State of South Dakota

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SENATE BILL NO. 83

Introduced by: Senators Tidemann, Cutler, Gray, Haverly, Hunhoff (Jean), Kraus, Lederman, Peters, Rave, and Schlekeway and Representatives Kirkeby, Abdallah, Brunner, Hunt, Jensen, Olson (Betty), Tornow, Turbiville, Verchio, Wick, and Willadsen

- 1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise certain requirements relating to the publication of
- 2 municipal ordinances and resolutions.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:
- 4 Section 1. That § 9-19-7 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 9-19-7. The title of all ordinances shall be read twice with at least five days intervening
- 6 between the first and second reading. The ordinance shall be signed by the mayor or acting
- 7 mayor or president of the Board of Trustees, filed with the auditor or clerk, and published once
- 8 except that an ordinance incorporating and adopting comprehensive regulations or a code
- 9 promulgated, approved, and published by a recognized and established national organization
- 10 prescribing building, electrical, plumbing, safety, fire, health, or milk regulations need not be
- 11 published in a newspaper, but upon adoption of such an ordinance the auditor or clerk shall
- 12 publish a notice of the fact of adoption once a week for two successive weeks in the official
- 13 newspaper, and twenty days after the completed publication of such notice, unless the
- 14 referendum shall have been invoked, such ordinance shall become effective by title with

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1 information on where to obtain the full text of the ordinance. Copies of the full ordinance shall

- 2 <u>be made available for review at the municipal finance office and shall be published on the</u>
- 3 municipal website if one exists.
- 4 Section 2. That § 9-19-8 be amended to read as follows:
- 5 9-19-8. Any resolution may be passed after one reading and shall be recorded at length by
- 6 <u>title</u> in the minutes of the meeting at which it is passed, with a statement of the number of votes
- for and against it. Such The resolution shall be published in full by title with information on
- 8 <u>where to obtain the full text of the resolution</u> either as part of the minutes or separately. <u>Copies</u>
- 9 of the full resolution shall be made available for review at the municipal finance office and shall
- be published on the municipal website if one exists.
- 11 Section 3. That § 7-18A-5 be amended to read as follows:
- 7-18A-5. The title of all ordinances shall be read twice with at least five days intervening
- between the first and second reading. Any ordinance shall be signed by the chairman of the
- board or the acting chairman, filed with the county auditor and published once by title, along
- with information on where to obtain the full text of the ordinance. However, an ordinance
- 16 incorporating and adopting comprehensive regulations or a code promulgated, approved, and
- 17 published by a recognized and established national organization prescribing building, electrical,
- plumbing, safety, fire, health, or milk regulations need not be published in a newspaper, but,
- 19 upon adoption of such an ordinance, the auditor shall publish a notice of the fact of adoption
- 20 once a week for two successive weeks.
- 21 Section 4. That § 7-18A-7 be amended to read as follows:
- 7-18A-7. A resolution may be passed after one reading. It shall be recorded at length by title
- 23 in the minutes of the meeting at which it is passed, with a statement of the number of votes for
- and against the same resolution and with information on where to obtain the full text of the

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1 <u>resolution</u>. It shall be published in full by title as part of the minutes of the board.