**24:05:26:01.01.  Suspension from school -- Definitions.** Terms used in this chapter and chapter 24:05:26.01 mean:

(1)  "Controlled substance," a drug or other substance identified under SDCL 34-20B-11 to 34-20B-26, inclusive;

(2)  "Dangerous weapon," a weapon, device, instrument, material, or substance, animate or inanimate, that is used for, or is readily capable of, causing death or serious bodily injury. The term does not include a pocket knife with a blade of less than 2 1/2 inches in length;

(3)  "Illegal drug," a controlled substance, but does not include such a substance that is legally possessed or used under the supervision of a licensed health-care professional or that is legally possessed or used under any other authority under SDCL 34-20B-11 to 34-20B-26, inclusive, or under any provision of federal law; and

(4)  "Serious bodily injury," bodily injury that involves:

(a)  A substantial risk of death;

(b)  Extreme physical pain;

(c)  Protracted and obvious disfigurement; or

(d)  Protracted loss or impairment of the function of a bodily member, organ, or mental faculty.

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