



## 2024 South Dakota Legislature

# Senate Bill 84

Introduced by: **Senator Johnson**

1 **An Act to update the edition of the guidebook used for measuring damages or**  
2 **appraised values to trees or plants.**

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA:

4 **Section 1. That § 21-3-10 be AMENDED:**

5 **21-3-10.** ~~The~~A consulting arborist shall use the most recent edition of the Guide  
6 for Plant Appraisal, Ninth Edition, as authored by the Council of Tree and Landscape  
7 Appraisers (CTLA) and published by the International Society of Arboriculture~~as of~~  
8 ~~January 1, 2007, shall be used~~ (ISA), as a guide to measure ~~the actual damages for the~~  
9 ~~wrongful injury to~~ damage to or the appraised value of trees or plants.