

State of South Dakota

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1148

Introduced by: Representatives Romkema and Solberg and Senators Gant and Miles

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to clarify requirements for employment of a city engineer.

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

3 Section 1. That § 9-14-24 be amended to read as follows:

4 9-14-24. ~~The~~ If a municipality chooses to employ or retain a person to serve as a city
5 engineer, the city engineer shall be a practical engineer and surveyor. He shall keep his office
6 in some convenient place in the municipality licensed professional engineer under chapter 36-
7 18A. If the city engineer is not also licensed as a land surveyor under chapter 36-18A, the city
8 engineer shall delegate any duties that are defined in chapter 36-18A as the practice of land
9 surveying to a licensed land surveyor.

10 The governing body shall by ordinance or agreement prescribe ~~his~~ the duties and fix ~~his~~ the
11 compensation of the city engineer.

12 All surveys, profiles, plans, or estimates made by the city engineer for the municipality ~~shall~~
13 be are the property of the municipality and shall be carefully preserved in the ~~office of the~~
14 ~~engineer~~ municipality's office or the office of the city engineer and are open to public inspection.

