

AN ACT

ENTITLED, An Act to create a Wind Energy Competitive Advisory Task Force and to provide for the appointment of the task force members.

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

Section 1. There is hereby established the Wind Energy Competitive Advisory Task Force. The task force shall consist of the following eleven members:

- (1) The speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two members of the House of Representatives;
- (2) The speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two members of the general public;
- (3) The president pro tempore of the Senate shall appoint two members of the Senate;
- (4) The president pro tempore of the Senate shall appoint two members of the general public; and
- (5) The Governor shall appoint three members of the general public.

The initial appointments shall be made no later than July 1, 2011, and shall serve until January 1, 2012. If there is a vacancy on the task force, the vacancy shall be filled in the same manner as the original appointment.

The task force shall review South Dakota wind energy taxation and incentives and shall advise the Governor and Legislature regarding the competitive atmosphere of wind energy incentives and taxation among the several states.

The task force shall make recommendations as to the proper mechanisms to tax wind energy and compete with surrounding states for the construction and maintenance of wind energy installations.

Section 2. The Wind Energy Competitive Advisory Task Force shall be under the supervision of the Executive Board of the Legislative Research Council and staffed and funded as an interim

legislative committee. The Legislative Research Council may receive additional funds from any legal source to carry out the purposes of this Act. The executive board shall designate the chair and the vice chair of the task force.

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I certify that the attached Act
originated in the

SENATE as Bill No. 194

Secretary of the Senate
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President of the Senate

Attest:

Secretary of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Attest:

Chief Clerk

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Chapter No. _____

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Received at this Executive Office
this _____ day of _____ ,

20____ at _____ M.

By _____
for the Governor
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The attached Act is hereby
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Governor
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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,
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Office of the Secretary of State

Filed _____, 20____
at _____ o'clock __ M.

Secretary of State

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Asst. Secretary of State