

# State of South Dakota

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1034

Introduced by: The Committee on Commerce and Energy at the request of the Governor's  
Office of Economic Development

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to repeal certain outdated and unnecessary statutes related  
2 to the Wind Energy Competitive Advisory Task Force.

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

4 Section 1. That § 2-6-24 be repealed.

5 ~~2-6-24. There is hereby established the Wind Energy Competitive Advisory Task Force. The~~  
6 ~~task force shall consist of the following eleven members:~~

7 ~~(1) The speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two members of the House~~  
8 ~~of Representatives;~~

9 ~~(2) The speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two members of the~~  
10 ~~general public;~~

11 ~~(3) The president pro tempore of the Senate shall appoint two members of the Senate;~~

12 ~~(4) The president pro tempore of the Senate shall appoint two members of the general~~  
13 ~~public; and~~

14 ~~(5) The Governor shall appoint three members of the general public.~~

15 ~~The initial appointments shall be made no later than July 1, 2011, and shall serve until~~



1 ~~January 1, 2012. If there is a vacancy on the task force, the vacancy shall be filled in the same~~  
2 ~~manner as the original appointment.~~

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

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

9 Section 2. That § 2-6-25 be repealed.

10 ~~—2-6-25. The Wind Energy Competitive Advisory Task Force shall be under the supervision~~  
11 ~~of the Executive Board of the Legislative Research Council and staffed and funded as an interim~~  
12 ~~legislative committee. The Legislative Research Council may receive additional funds from any~~  
13 ~~legal source to carry out the purposes of § 2-6-24 and this section. The executive board shall~~  
14 ~~designate the chair and the vice chair of the task force.~~