

State of South Dakota

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1210

Introduced by: Representatives Napoli, Crisp, Cutler, Duenwald, Gabriel, Hagen, Hassard, Jaspers, Koetzle, Kredit, Matthews, Moore, Pederson (Gordon), Putnam, Waltman, and Wick and Senators Aker, Benson, Drake, Flowers, Frederick, Halverson, Kleven, Morford-Burg, Olson, Staggers, Thompson, Valandra, and Vitter

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to allow the display of only one motor vehicle license plate
2 on certain motor vehicles.

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

4 Section 1. That chapter 32-5 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
5 follows:

6 A person may operate a motor vehicle on the public highways of this state and display only
7 one license plate on the motor vehicle if the motor vehicle has a manufacturer's model year
8 designation of prior to 1965. The license plate bearing the number assigned the vehicle by the
9 department shall be conspicuously displayed and attached on the rear of the motor vehicle in a
10 horizontal and upright position. The plate shall at all times, as far as is reasonably possible, be
11 kept clear and free of mud, ice, or snow so as to be clearly visible. A violation of this section is
12 a Class 2 misdemeanor.