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LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 1997

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HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE
ENGROSSED NO. **HJR1004** - 1/28/97

Introduced by: Representative Hunt and Senator Rounds at the request of the Legislative
Article Review Commission

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION, Proposing and submitting to the electors at the next general election
2 an amendment to Article III, section 12 of the Constitution of the State of South Dakota,
3 relating to legislative conflicts of interest.

4 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF
5 SOUTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

6 Section 1. That at the next general election held in the state, the following amendment to
7 Article III, section 12 of the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, as set forth in section
8 2 of this Joint Resolution, which is hereby agreed to, shall be submitted to the electors of the
9 state for approval.

10 Section 2. That Article III, section 12 of the Constitution of the State of South Dakota, be
11 amended to read as follows:

12 § 12. No member of the Legislature shall, during the term for which ~~he was elected or~~
13 appointed, be appointed or elected to any civil office in the state which shall have been created;
14 ~~or the emoluments of which shall have been increased during the term for which he was elected~~

1 or appointed, nor shall any member receive any paid civil appointment from the Governor, the
2 Governor and senate, or from the Legislature during the term for which ~~he shall have been~~
3 elected or appointed, and all such appointments and all votes given for any such members for any
4 such office or appointment shall be void; nor shall any member of the Legislature during the term
5 for which ~~he shall have been~~ elected or appointed, or within one year thereafter, be interested,
6 directly ~~or indirectly~~, in any contract with the state ~~or any county thereof~~, authorized by any law
7 passed during the term for which ~~he shall have been~~ elected or appointed.

1 **BILL HISTORY**

2 January 14 - First read in House and referred to State Affairs. H.J. 33

3 January 22 - Scheduled for hearing.

4 January 22 - Deferred to another day.

5 January 24 - Scheduled for hearing.

6 January 24 - Passed as amended, AYES 13, NAYS 0. H.J. 109