

# State of South Dakota

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## SENATE BILL NO. 233

Introduced by: Senators Dunn (Rebecca), Dennert, Flowers, Hunhoff, Hutmacher, Kloucek, Lange, Lawler, Morford-Burg, Olson, and Reedy and Representatives Lucas, Barker, Collier, Haley, and Sokolow

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to reinstate the Mickelson Scholars Program and  
2 appropriate money therefor.

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

4 Section 1. That § 13-55F-1 be amended to read as follows:

5 13-55F-1. There is established the Mickelson Scholars Program to be administered by the  
6 Board of Regents, which is hereby authorized to establish such policies and procedures as it  
7 deems necessary to carry out the purposes of this program. ~~However, the Board of Regents may~~  
8 ~~not award any Mickelson scholarships to any student who graduates from high school after~~  
9 ~~Spring 1995.~~ The purpose of the program is to encourage South Dakota's most academically  
10 accomplished high school graduates to remain in ~~the state~~ South Dakota for their postsecondary  
11 education and to contribute to the economic development of the state.

12 Section 2. There is hereby annually appropriated from the employer's investment in South  
13 Dakota's future fund created in § 61-5-24.2 the sum of eight hundred thousand dollars  
14 (\$800,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, to the Board of Regents to provide funding  
15 for the Mickelson Scholars Program.

1           Section 3. The Board of Regents may accept, transfer, and expend any funds obtained from  
2 federal sources, gifts, contributions, or any other source for the purposes of this Act..

3           Section 4. The executive director of the Board of Regents shall approve vouchers and the  
4 state auditor shall draw warrants to pay expenditures authorized by this Act.