

# State of South Dakota

SEVENTY-THIRD SESSION  
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 1998

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1097

Introduced by: Representatives de Hueck, Brown (Jarvis), Crisp, Diedrich, and Duxbury and  
Senators Daugaard and Halverson

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to permit public employees to appeal certain health and life  
2 insurance decisions directly to circuit court.

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

4 Section 1. That chapter 3-12A be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as  
5 follows:

6 Any member who has been denied benefits under the provisions of this chapter may appeal  
7 that decision or any subsequent decision at any level of administrative appeal directly to the  
8 circuit court for trial de novo.