

# State of South Dakota

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## SENATE BILL NO. 73

Introduced by: Senators Halverson, Frederick, and Symens and Representatives Diedrich,  
de Hueck, and Hunt

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for the challenging of nonresidents attempting  
2 to vote in municipal or school elections.

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

4 Section 1. That chapter 9-13 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as  
5 follows:

6 No person may vote at any municipal election unless the person is registered to vote pursuant  
7 to chapter 12-4 and resides in the municipality at the time of the election. A voter's qualification  
8 as a resident may be challenged in the manner provided in § 12-18-10. No election may be  
9 contested on the grounds that any nonresident was allowed to vote if the nonresident was not  
10 challenged in the manner provided in § 12-18-10.

11 Section 2. That chapter 13-7 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as  
12 follows:

13 No person may vote at any school election unless the person is registered to vote pursuant  
14 to chapter 12-4 and resides in the school district at the time of the election. A voter's  
15 qualification as a resident may be challenged in the manner provided in § 12-18-10. No election

- 1 may be contested on the grounds that any nonresident was allowed to vote if the nonresident was
- 2 not challenged in the manner provided in § 12-18-10.