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SENATE BILL NO. 81

Introduced by: Senators Madden, Albers, Flowers, Frederick, Hainje, Kleven, Lange, Lawler, Munson (David), Shoener, Symens, and Vitter and Representatives Duenwald, Brooks, Diedrich (Larry), Fischer-Clemens, Hagen, Hennies, Konold, Koskan, Napoli, Peterson, and Pummel

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to prohibit using a social security number for a driver's
2 license number.

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

4 Section 1. That § 32-12-17 be amended to read as follows:

5 32-12-17. The Department of Commerce and Regulation shall, upon payment of the fee
6 established by § 32-12-16, issue to every applicant qualifying therefor an operator's license. An
7 operator's license may be issued to a minor at least sixteen years of age but less than eighteen
8 years of age who has successfully passed all driver's license examination tests and completed the
9 requirements of an instruction permit as provided in § 32-12-11, if the applicant has not been
10 convicted of a traffic violation in the past six months, and if the applicant is not currently under
11 suspension, revocation, or disqualification. The license shall bear thereon a distinguishing number
12 assigned to the licensee, the full legal name or any name lawfully taken, date of birth, residence
13 address, an indication if the licensee is a donor pursuant to chapter 34-26, an indication if the
14 licensee as a living will pursuant to chapter 34-12D or a durable power of attorney for health
15 care pursuant to chapter 59-7, a color photo and a brief description of the licensee, and the

- 1 licensee's signature. The distinguishing number may not be the applicant's social security number.
- 2 The department shall indicate upon each driver's license the general class of vehicles which the
- 3 licensee may drive.