

State of South Dakota

SEVENTY-FIFTH SESSION
LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY, 2000

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1197

Introduced by: Representative Wilson

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to prohibit capital punishment of juvenile offenders.

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

3 Section 1. That chapter 23A-27A be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read

4 as follows:

5 The penalty of death may not be imposed upon any defendant for any offense committed

6 when the defendant was less than eighteen years of age.