

State of South Dakota

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SENATE BILL NO. 203

Introduced by: Senator Paisley and Representative Roe

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for highway signs denominating South Dakota
2 as the Home of the Lakota Sioux Nations.

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

4 Section 1. That chapter 31-2 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
5 follows:

6 The secretary of the Department of Transportation shall, in consultation with the
7 Transportation Commission and the Office of Tribal Governmental Relations, design, produce,
8 and erect companion signs to be displayed in conjunction with or in proximity to any South
9 Dakota welcome sign erected and maintained at or near the state borders along any state trunk
10 highway. The companion signs shall indicate and emphasize the relationship and role of the
11 Lakota people in the heritage of South Dakota and shall, at a minimum, bear the inscription,
12 HOME OF THE LAKOTA SIOUX NATIONS.