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Introduced by: Representatives Holbeck, Bartling, Begalka, Brown (Richard), Elliott, Garnos, Hunhoff, Jensen, Juhnke, McCoy, Pederson (Gordon), Rhoden, Van Etten, and Wick and Senators Ham, Brosz, and Olson (Ed)

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide that school districts or school bus contracting
2 companies be notified when the commercial driver license of a school bus driver is suspended
3 or revoked.

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

5 Section 1. That chapter 32-12 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
6 follows:

7 If a person's commercial driver license bearing a school bus endorsement is suspended or
8 revoked pursuant to this chapter, the Department of Commerce and Regulation shall, upon the
9 suspension or revocation, notify the Department of Education and Cultural Affairs. The
10 Department of Education and Cultural Affairs shall notify the school district or school bus
11 contracting company for which the person is employed of the suspension or revocation. The
12 notification may be done by first class mail.

13 Section 2. That chapter 32-12 be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as
14 follows:

1 Each school district and school bus contracting company shall report to the Department of
2 Education and Cultural Affairs, in a manner prescribed by the secretary, the names and social
3 security numbers of all individuals it employs as bus drivers. The school district and school bus
4 contracting company shall inform the department of any changes to the list within seven days
5 after they occur.