

# State of South Dakota

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## SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE

### ENGROSSED NO. **SB 14** - 02/15/2001

**This bill has been extensively amended (hoghoused) and may no longer be consistent with the original intention of the sponsor.**

Introduced by: Senators Brosz, Diedrich (Larry), Everist, Hutmacher, McIntyre, Munson, and Reedy and Representatives Juhnke, Brown (Richard), Heineman, and Pummel at the request of the Interim Education Committee

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for reimbursement of tuition and fees to certain  
2 students and to make an appropriation therefor.

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

4 Section 1. Any undergraduate student who attends a South Dakota public university who  
5 agrees to teach in a South Dakota public school district for a period of four years, beginning with  
6 the school year following the year in which the student graduates from a South Dakota public  
7 university is eligible for reimbursement grants of tuition and fees paid for the last two full years,  
8 not to exceed the tuition and fees for sixty-four semester-hours.

9 Section 2. An eligible student may apply to the Board of Regents for reimbursement as  
10 provided for in section 1 of this Act after the eligible student has graduated from a South Dakota  
11 public university.

12 Section 3. If an eligible student fails to meet the terms of the agreement provided for in  
13 section 1 of this Act, the student is required to repay any money received under the provisions

1 of this Act, plus any interest and penalty as may be determined by the Board of Regents,  
2 provided that the repayment plus interest and penalty may not exceed the twice the amount of  
3 money received.

4 Section 4. The Board of Regents may promulgate rules pursuant to chapter 1-26 to  
5 implement the provisions of this Act.

6 Section 5. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the general fund the sum of  
7 three million eight hundred thousand dollars (\$3,800,000) to the Board of Regents to make  
8 reimbursement grants as provided for in this Act.

9 Section 6. The executive director of the Board of Regents shall approve vouchers and the  
10 state auditor shall draw warrants to pay expenditures authorized by this Act.

11 Section 7. Any amounts appropriated in this Act not lawfully expended or obligated by  
12 June 30, 2002, shall revert in accordance with § 4-8-21.