

AN ACT

ENTITLED, An Act to provide that taking money or property from patients or inmates by certain institution employees constitutes theft.

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

Section 1. Any employee of the Department of Corrections or Department of Human Services who, for personal benefit, takes, borrows, or steals anything with a value of five dollars or more in property or money, from a patient, juvenile, or inmate who is under the care or supervision of the Department of Corrections or the Department of Human Services, is guilty of a Class 1 misdemeanor theft.

Section 2. For purposes of this Act, an employee of the Department of Corrections or the Department of Human Services means any person employed by the department, full or part time, including an individual under contract assigned to the department, an employee of another state agency assigned to the department, or a volunteer working in a department facility or for a department agency or program.

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I certify that the attached Act originated in the

SENATE as Bill No. 250

Secretary of the Senate

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President of the Senate

Attest:

Secretary of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Attest:

Chief Clerk

Senate Bill No. 250
File No. _____
Chapter No. _____

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Received at this Executive Office this _____ day of _____ ,

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By _____
for the Governor

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The attached Act is hereby approved this _____ day of _____ , A.D., 20____

Governor

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STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA,
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Office of the Secretary of State

Filed _____ , 20____
at _____ o'clock __ M.

Secretary of State

By _____
Asst. Secretary of State