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HOUSE BILL NO. 1045

Introduced by: The Committee on Transportation at the request of the Department of Revenue and Regulation

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to revise the time period during which a boat license may
2 be renewed.

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

4 Section 1. That § 32-3A-5.1 be amended to read as follows:

5 32-3A-5.1. Any owner whose boat is registered and documented in accordance with United
6 States Coast Guard regulations is not required to display a South Dakota boat number nor obtain
7 a South Dakota certificate of title on the boat. However, if the boat is used on the waters of this
8 state, the boat shall be registered and shall display South Dakota boat license validation decals.
9 The owner shall attach to each side of the bow of the boat a validation decal. At the time of
10 application for the boat license, the owner shall furnish proof of tax paid on the boat. Boat
11 license validation decals expire on December thirty-first of the terminal year for the period
12 issued. The owner can apply for renewal validation decals as early as ~~December~~ October first
13 for the following year.

14 Section 2. That § 32-3A-13 be amended to read as follows:

15 32-3A-13. Each registration and validation decal shall expire on December thirty-first of the



- 1 terminal year for the period issued. Validation decals may be purchased as early as ~~December~~
- 2 October first for the following year. The registration may be renewed by the owner and new
- 3 validation decals obtained as provided in § 32-3A-4.