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HOUSE STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE ENGROSSED

NO. **HB 1227** - 02/11/2004

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

Introduced by: Representatives Bradford, Bartling, Burg, Elliott, Engels, Gassman, Hargens, Kroger, Lange, Miles, Nesselhuf, Olson (Mel), Peterson (Jim), Sigdestad, Thompson, and Van Norman and Senators Koetzle and Nachtigal

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide an exception to the fees that may be charged by  
2 a notary public for certain instruments and to declare an emergency.

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

4 Section 1. That § 18-1-9 be amended to read as follows:

5 18-1-9. ~~Notaries~~ A notary public may charge and receive a fee not to exceed ten dollars for  
6 each instrument notarized, except that no notary public may charge a fee for notarizing a request  
7 for an absentee ballot.

8 Section 2. Whereas, this Act is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace,  
9 health, or safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Act shall be in full force and  
10 effect from and after its passage and approval.

