



## 2024 South Dakota Legislature

# House Bill 1144

Introduced by: **Representative** Heermann

1 **An Act to provide for the study of the Community, Hope, Opportunity, Independence,**  
2 **Careers, Empowerment, Success waiver program and to provide an**  
3 **appropriation therefor.**

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

5 **Section 1.** There is hereby appropriated from the general fund the sum of \$450,000 to the  
6 Department of Legislative Audit, for the purpose of hiring a contractor to study state and  
7 federal laws, regulations, and services relating to the operation and administration of the  
8 CHOICES waiver program within the Department of Human Services.

9 **Section 2.** The auditor general of Legislative Audit shall approve vouchers and the state  
10 auditor shall draw warrants to pay expenditures authorized by this Act.

11 **Section 3.** Any amounts appropriated in this Act not lawfully expended or obligated shall  
12 revert in accordance with the procedures prescribed in chapter 4-8.

13 **Section 4.** This Act is effective June 30, 2024.