

Legislation 1-30-2015

Updated legislative report

If you have any questions or if I missed any legislation we should be concerned about let me know by cell phone (605)-730-0462 or

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The two bills that the EMS Office and the South Dakota Board of Medical and Osteopathic Examiners had been pursuing will be dropped as of January 15 when we were informed by a telephone conference call that the EMS office will be moved back to the Department of Health. This will begin in April and the Department of Health is working to put together a stakeholders committee to work to update legislation to be proposed next session. If interested contact the Department of Health at (605)-773-3361 by March 1st and talk to Halley Lee.

DATE to remember EMS DAY in cooperation with the American Heart Association MONDAY FEBRUARY 9th timeline: committee meetings usually at 7:45 or 8:00 and 10:00, Democratic caucus at 12:00, picture with the Governor has been set for 3:45 on the 2nd floor Rotunda steps, session starts at 2:00, then the social at the Ramkota in the Lake Francis Case room from 5:30-8:00. We will have pizza and ice cream for them to snack on while we visit with them. Plan now to attend and pass the word.

Bills that have been dropped are as follows:

HB 1030: An act to provide certain restrictions regarding the passing of a bicycle.

(Giving a bicycle more room when passing making it safer for the bicycle on the road)

1-14 referred to House Transportation

1-22 amended-1030RA

1-27 passed 7-5

2-10 scheduled for hearing

HB 1032: An act to revise certain provisions regarding stopping for pedestrians at crosswalks.

(Waiting for the pedestrian is safely across the street before proceeding)

1-14 referred to House Transportation

1-22 tabled 9-4

1-27 Removed from the table 7-5

2-10 scheduled for hearing

HB 1083: An act to require reimbursement to certain entities for fire suppression and extinguishment costs. **(This bill has been extensively amended (hoghoused) and may no longer be consistent with the original intention of the sponsor.)**

(Each fire department may bill and collect the costs of firefighting and suppression of a fire not covered by the wild land fire suppression statues set forth in Chapter 34-35 equal to or less than a landowner's of homeowner's insurance coverage for property protection.)

1-23 referred to House Judiciary

1-30-Amended 1083fa

1-30-Do Pass as amended 12-0

2-5 Amended do pass as amended 56-11

2-6 referred to Senate local government

HB 1112: An act to provide authority to counties to prohibit and restrict the use of fireworks.

(Outside of any municipality after consultation with local fire officials and law officials)

1-27 referred to Local Government

2-10 scheduled for hearing

HB 1138: An act to revise the penalty for the failure to wear a properly adjusted and fastened safety seat belt system in a passenger vehicle.

(To increase the penalty to fifty dollars)

1-27- referred to House State Affairs

2-4-Do pass 8-5

2-5 Amended Do Pass failed 22-45

HB 1151: An act to improve public safety through confidential stress management services for emergency medical providers.

(Dealing with critical incident stress management)

1-27-referred to House Health and Human Services

2-3-Amended Do pass 10-0

2-5-House Do pass 67-0

2-6 referred to Senate Health and Human Services

HB 1169: An act to accommodate legislation on medical services.

(This is a stakeholder in case some topic comes up they have a place to put it)

1-27- referred to House State Affairs

SB 14-An act to provide for the possession and administering of opioid antagonists by first responders for the treatment of drug overdoses.

(This would include-law enforcement, driver and attendant of a licensed ambulance, and firefighters)

1-13 referred to Senate Health and Human Services

1-21 scheduled for hearing Amended DO PASS 7-0

1-26 Passed 33-0

1-27 referred to House Judiciary

1-30-Do Pass 12-0

SB 39-An act to make an appropriation for costs related to disasters in the State and declare an emergency.

An amount of \$7,994,449 into an account and with vouchers signed by the Secretary of Public Safety monies will be distributed by the State Auditor.

1-13 referred to Senate Appropriations

1-23 Hearing Do PASS 9-0

2-5 Amended to read (\$5,214,003) Do Pass 33-0

2-6 referred to House Appropriations

SB 61- An act to place certain substances on the controlled substances schedule and to declare an emergency.

This is just adding more items to the already long list that has been updated for many years.

1-13 referred to Senate Health and Human Services

1-21 scheduled for hearing DO PASS 7-0

1-22 Senate DO PASS 34-0

1-23 Referred to House Health and Human Services

1-29 Do Pass 13-0

SB 89: An act to require the development of school safety plans and to require the conduct of lockdown drills in accredited schools.

(The plan to be developed by a school safety team appointed by the superintendent consisting of building principal, a teacher, a counselor, the school resource officer or another law enforcement official, an emergency management professional, a member of a local fire department, and a custodian at the school.)

1-26 referred to Senate Education

1-29 Do Pass 7-0

2-3 Do Pass 33-0

2-4 referred to House Education

SB 141: An act to accommodate legislation on medical services

(This mirrors HB 1169 as a stakeholder)

1-27 referred to Senate State Affairs

SB 152: An act to make an appropriation for certain costs related to mountain pine beetle suppression and to declare an emergency.

(The sum of \$1,900,000)

1-28-referred to Senate appropriations

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1

A resolution, commending the improvements to health care in South Dakota achieved by the system of care established by the community-based Mission: Lifeline Initiative.

1-27Senate adopt resolution- Passed 34-0

1-29 House of Representatives concurred in resolution Passed 70-0