

# State of South Dakota

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## SENATE STATE AFFAIRS ENGROSSED NO. **SB 172** - 2/7/2018

Introduced by: Senators Curd, Ewing, Greenfield (Brock), Kolbeck, Langer, Maher, Stalzer, Tapio, and Youngberg and Representatives Heinemann, Brunner, Clark, Duvall, Hawley, Johnson, Kettwig, Lesmeister, Rounds, Schoenfish, Turbiville, and Wismer

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for an opt out by certain professions from the  
2 temporary licensing compact.

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

4 Section 1. That the code be amended by adding a NEW SECTION to read:

5 The Legislature finds that for the professions regulated under chapters 36-4, 36-5, 36-6A,  
6 36-7, 36-11, 36-18A, and 36-26 professional licensing requirements in each of the member  
7 states of the Interstate Compact for the Temporary Licensure of Professionals are deemed  
8 inadequate to protect the public health and safety.

9 The Legislature further finds that the respective criteria to become a licensed professional  
10 in this state are sufficiently expeditious, provide reasonable requirements to protect the public  
11 health and safety, and are not unduly burdensome to afford out-of-state license holders a  
12 pathway to licensure by applying for a license as provided for in chapters 36-4, 36-5, 36-6A, 36-  
13 7, 36-11, 36-18A, and 36-26.



1 Pursuant to section VI, an opt out of the Interstate Compact for the Temporary Licensure of  
2 Professionals, the Legislature declines to afford reciprocity and declines to grant temporary  
3 licensure to license holders in member states of the Interstate Compact for the Temporary  
4 Licensure of Professionals for the professions regulated under chapters 36-4, 36-5, 36-6A, 36-7,  
5 36-11, 36-18A, and 36-26.