

# State of South Dakota

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## HOUSE BILL NO. 1179

Introduced by: Representatives Gibson, Gosch, and Killer and Senators Rampelberg,  
Bradford, Kirkeby, and Maher

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to provide for the acceptance of more than one bid for the  
2 provision of certain services to cities or counties.

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

4 Section 1. That chapter 5-18A be amended by adding thereto a NEW SECTION to read as  
5 follows:

6 Notwithstanding any other more general provision in this chapter, whenever a city or county  
7 receives more than one bid to provide towing, storage, cleanup, or any other recurring short-  
8 term, low-cost services which are ordered by the city or county, but are not paid for by the city  
9 or county, if any or all of the bids provide for an equivalent quality of service at substantially  
10 the same cost, the city or county shall accept all such bids and shall rotate utilization of services  
11 among the successful bidders in such manner as is likely to provide each successful bidder with  
12 a proportional share of the total calls for the services to be provided.

