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HOUSE JUDICIARY ENGROSSED NO. **HB 1185** 2/10/2012

Introduced by: Representatives Hansen (Jon), Deelstra, Gosch, Haggar, Hickey, Hunt, Nelson (Stace), Olson (Betty), Rausch, Tornow, and Wick and Senator Brown

1 FOR AN ACT ENTITLED, An Act to prohibit all qualified health plans offered through a
2 health care exchange from including abortion coverage.

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

4 Section 1. Pursuant to the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act, Pub. L. No. 111-148,
5 no qualified health plan offered through a health insurance exchange established in the state may
6 include elective abortion coverage.

7 Section 2. For the purposes of this Act, an elective abortion is an abortion performed for any
8 reason other than a medical emergency as set forth in subdivision 34-23A-1(5).

