



2021 South Dakota Legislature

Senate Bill 192

JOINT APPROPRIATIONS ENGROSSED

Introduced by: **Senator Cammack**

1 **An Act to provide an appropriation for the renovation and upgrading of the South**
2 **Dakota State University Cottonwood Field Station and to declare an**
3 **emergency.**

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 \$3,500,000 to
6 the Board of Regents, for purposes of contracting for the design, renovation, construction,
7 attendant demolition work, remodeling, and upgrading of the South Dakota State University
8 Cottonwood Field Station of the Agricultural Experiment Station, located in Jackson County,
9 South Dakota, together with furnishings and equipment, including heating, air conditioning,
10 plumbing, water, sewer, electric facilities, sidewalks, parking, landscaping, architectural and
11 engineering services, and other services or actions, as necessary to complete the project. The
12 cost of the project is \$3,500,000, subject to any adjustments permitted by this Act.

13 **Section 2.** The cost estimates contained in this Act are stated in 2020 values. The Board of
14 Regents may adjust such cost estimates to reflect inflation, as measured by the Building Cost
15 Index, reported by the Engineering News Record and additional expenditures required to
16 comply with regulations adopted after the effective date of this Act, or additional sums
17 received pursuant to this Act. Adjustments to construction cost estimates for the project may
18 not exceed one hundred twenty-five percent of the estimated project construction cost, as
19 stated in section 1 of this Act.

20 **Section 3.** The Board of Regents may accept, transfer, and expend any funds obtained for
21 the projects authorized in this Act from federal sources, donations, or any other external
22 sources, all of which comprise a special fund for the benefitted project.

23 **Section 4.** The administration of the design and construction of the project authorized in this
24 Act is under the general charge and supervision of the Bureau of Administration, as provided
25 for in chapter 5-14.

1 **Section 5.** The executive director of the Board of Regents shall approve vouchers and the
2 state auditor shall draw warrants to pay expenditures authorized by this Act.

3 **Section 6.** Any amounts appropriated in this Act not lawfully expended or obligated shall
4 revert in accordance with the procedures prescribed in chapter 4-8.

5 **Section 7.** Whereas, this Act is necessary for the support of the state government and its
6 existing public institutions, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Act shall be in
7 full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.