



## 2022 South Dakota Legislature

# Senate Bill 198

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE ENGROSSED

Introduced by: **Senator V. J. Smith**

1 **An Act to establish an interim committee regarding alternative programming for**  
 2 **juvenile offenders.**

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

4 **Section 1.** An interim juvenile continuum of care committee is established to consider and  
 5 develop community based alternative programming to best fit the needs of the identified  
 6 juvenile or juvenile offender within their community and report the committee's findings.

7 The committee must consist of:

- 8 (1) Four members of the House of Representatives, appointed by the speaker of the  
 9 House of Representatives;
- 10 (2) Four members of the Senate, appointed by the president pro tempore of the  
 11 Senate;
- 12 (3) Two administrators employed by school districts, appointed by the speaker of the  
 13 House of Representatives;
- 14 (4) Two administrators employed by school districts, appointed by the president pro  
 15 tempore of the Senate;
- 16 (5) One mental health professional employed in the private sector, appointed by the  
 17 speaker of the House of Representatives;
- 18 (6) One mental health professional employed in the private sector, appointed by the  
 19 president pro tempore of the Senate;
- 20 (7) One addiction and prevention professional who is employed in the private sector  
 21 and provides services primarily to juveniles, appointed by the speaker of the House  
 22 of Representatives;
- 23 (8) One addiction and prevention professional who is employed in the private sector  
 24 and provides services primarily to juveniles, appointed by the president pro  
 25 tempore of the Senate;

1       (9) One person representing law enforcement, appointed by the speaker of the House  
2           of Representatives;

3       (10) One person representing law enforcement, appointed by the president pro tempore  
4           of the Senate; and

5       (11) Two persons representing the South Dakota Unified Judicial System, appointed by  
6           the Chief Justice of the South Dakota Supreme Court.

7           If there is a vacancy on the committee, the vacancy may be filled in the same  
8       manner as the original appointment.

9           The committee shall be under the supervision of the Executive Board of the  
10       Legislative Research Council and staffed and funded as an interim legislative committee.

11           The committee shall deliver its report and recommended legislation to the  
12       Legislature by January 1, 2023.