



## 2025 South Dakota Legislature

# Senate Bill 100

Introduced by: **Senator Voita**

1 **An Act to prohibit the imposition of restrictions on the carrying of a concealed pistol**  
 2 **and other items of self-defense while on the campus of a public institution of**  
 3 **higher education.**

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

5 **Section 1. That a NEW SECTION be added to chapter 13-39A:**

6 Neither the South Dakota Board of Technical Education nor any institution under  
 7 the control of the board may restrict or limit the lawful carrying, possession, storage, or  
 8 transportation of:

- 9 (1) A concealed pistol, as defined in § 22-1-2, and compatible ammunition, by any  
 10 individual within the boundaries of the institution, or while in any building or  
 11 structure owned or leased by the board or the institution;  
 12 (2) A stun gun, as defined in § 22-1-2, by any individual within the boundaries of the  
 13 institution, or while in any building or structure owned or leased by the board or  
 14 the institution; or  
 15 (3) Mace, pepper spray, or other chemical irritant by any individual within the  
 16 boundaries of the institution, or while in any building or structure owned or leased  
 17 by the board or the institution.

18 **Section 2. That a NEW SECTION be added to chapter 13-53:**

19 Neither the Board of Regents nor any institution under the control of the board  
 20 may restrict or limit the lawful carrying, possession, storage, or transportation of:

- 21 (1) A concealed pistol, as defined in § 22-1-2, and compatible ammunition, by any  
 22 individual within the boundaries of the institution, or while in any building or  
 23 structure owned or leased by the board or the institution;

- 1        (2) A stun gun, as defined in § 22-1-2, by any individual within the boundaries of the  
2            institution, or while in any building or structure owned or leased by the board or  
3            the institution; or
- 4        (3) Mace, pepper spray, or other chemical irritant by any individual within the  
5            boundaries of the institution, or while in any building or structure owned or leased  
6            by the board or the institution.
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