

**AERONAUTICS COMMISSION
SPECIAL TELECONFERENCE CALL MEETING MINUTES
JANUARY 29, 2018 – 2:30 P.M.
BECKER-HANSEN BUILDING – 700 EAST BROADWAY
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA**

COMMISSIONERS PRESENT

VIA CONFERENCE CALL: Eric Odenbach, Chairman
Arnie Hauge, Vice Chairman
Robert Huggins, Member
Christopher Funk, Member
Dave Luers, Member

DOT STAFF PRESENT: Joel Jundt, Bill Nevin, Karla Engle, Bonnie Olson, Jack Dokken, Jennifer Boehm, Jon Becker, Colton Stahl, Tom Koch, and Patricia Saukel

OTHERS PRESENT

VIA CONFERENCE CALL: Representative David Johnson – District 33, Rapid City; Steve Hamilton – SD Pilots Association; Kyle Lewis, Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association (AOPA)

Chairman Odenbach called the meeting of the South Dakota Aeronautics Commission (the “Commission”) to order at 2:30 p.m.

Deputy Secretary Joel Jundt of the Department of Transportation (the “Department”) addressed the Commission regarding the reason for the special meeting. South Dakota Codified Law (SDCL) Title 50 was brought to the Commission’s attention at the January 23, 2018, regular meeting of the South Dakota Aeronautics Commission by State Representative David Johnson. Johnson came before the Commission to explain that he had been working on revisions to SDCL Title 50 to provide clarification and clean-up of outdated language and code provisions in the chapter. Johnson’s intention was to bring his work before the Commission as an enhancement to the code before he filed it before the Legislature.

A MOTION WAS MADE by Huggins and seconded by Funk to begin discussion of the proposed bill and discuss changes to SDCL Title 50.

Discussion ensued with specific questions and concerns about the deletion of some of the language in the proposed bill.

Huggins withdrew the motion with the consent of the second, Funk.

A MOTION WAS MADE by Hauge and seconded by Luers opposing the proposed draft legislation with the suggestion that a summer study of concerned aviation groups take place. All present voted aye by roll call vote. The motion carried.

With no other business to come before the Commission, the meeting was adjourned at 3:35 p.m.