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SD Legislative Scorecard 2024

Based on the Principles of the U.S. Constitution

★ Constitutional ✗ Unconstitutional ? Did not Vote **Vote**

1. SB144 Airport Grants (Passed 55 to 15 on March 6, 2024). **YES**
Appropriates \$10,000,000 from the general fund to the Aeronautics Commission for grants aimed at enhancing airport terminal infrastructure projects, including airport expansion. **✗**

Estimated cost per household: -\$28.00/year.

2. HB1219 Reject Eminent Domain (Rejected 32 to 36 on 2/20/2024). **YES**
Prohibits companies from using eminent domain to construct pipelines primarily for transporting carbon oxide for geological storage or sequestration. **★**

3. HB1178 Prohibit Drag Shows on Campus (Passed 62 to 7 on 2/29/2024). **YES**
Prohibits the Board of Regents or any institution under its control from using state resources for drag shows or other "obscene live conduct" on college campuses. **★**

4. SB115 Prohibit Guaranteed Income Programs (Passed 64 to 5 on 2/26/2024). **YES**
Prohibits counties, townships, and municipalities in South Dakota from establishing ordinances, orders, or rules that implement a guaranteed income program. **★**

5. HB1186 Pipeline Easements (Passed 41 to 29 on 3/6/2024). **YES**
Forces landowners to grant a right-of-way for carbon dioxide pipelines, putting their property at risk, disguising it as "property rights." **✗**

6. SB201 Carbon-Capture Pipeline (Passed 39 to 31 on 3/6/2024). **YES**
Facilitates the construction of carbon-capture pipelines that threaten property rights, permits state authorities to override local ordinances regulating the pipelines for safety or economic reasons, and fails to impose restrictions on eminent domain. **✗**

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