

**GRAND LODGE OF SOUTH DAKOTA A.F. & A.M.**  
**SPECIAL DISPENSATION**

SECTION 4-14. APPLIED FOR BY LODGE: All applications to the Grand Master for dispensations for any purpose shall emanate from a Lodge at a Stated Meeting, and be concurred in by a majority vote of the members present at such Communication; and such application shall set forth fully and clearly the emergency, under the seal of the Lodge, and be signed by the Master and the Secretary.

SECTION 4-15. BY THE MASTER: In case of special emergency, where the provisions of the preceding section cannot be complied with, application for a dispensation may emanate from the Master.

SECTION 4-16. TO BE NOTED ON RECORDS: Every dispensation shall be noted in the records of the Lodge, and prompt report made to the Grand Master of the action taken by authority thereof.

In accordance with the above regulations, \_\_\_\_\_  
Lodge No. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ South Dakota,  
respectfully requests Special Dispensation of Most Worshipful Brother  
\_\_\_\_\_, Grand Master of Masons of South  
Dakota to transact the following business:

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Reason for this request (must give details to clearly explain the request for a dispensation)

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\_\_\_\_\_ W. Master  
signature

\_\_\_\_\_ Secretary  
signature

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APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ DISAPPROVED \_\_\_\_\_  
(date) (date)

SEAL OF THE GRAND MASTER IMPRINTED HERE

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