COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENT AND PUBLIC WORKS
CONGRESSIONALLY DIRECTED SPENDING ITEM CERTIFICATION
PURSUANT TO RULE XLIV
OF THE STANDING RULES OF THE SENATE

Name of the Senator requesting the congressionally directed spending item:

Senator John Thune

For the congressionally directed spending item, the name and location of the intended recipient or, if there is no specifically intended recipient, the intended location of the activity:

South Dakota Department of Transportation -- Pierre, South Dakota

The purpose of the congressionally directed spending item:

This modification to the original project description will ensure that this project is carried out as initially envisioned by the South Dakota Department of Transportation as they continue work on the Heartland Expressway.

Pursuant to Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I certify that neither my immediate family nor I has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending item requested.



(Signature of Senator)

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This modification to the original project earmark is due to cost savings achieved as a result of project number 4916 coming in below bid. The resulting savings will be transferred to project number 4924 which will enable the South Dakota Department of Transportation to use this funding for those projects it considers to be of the highest priority.

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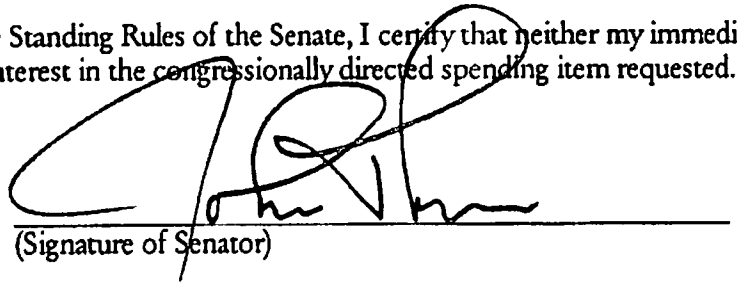
The purpose of the congressionally directed spending item:

This modification to the original project description (Section 1702, project #4914) will ensure that this project is carried out as initially envisioned by the South Dakota Department of Transportation.

The existing description should be deleted and replaced with:

"Roadway improvements on I-90 loop in Mitchell along Haven St. from near Burr St. to near Ohlman St. "

Pursuant to Rule XLIV of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I certify that neither my immediate family nor I has a pecuniary interest in the congressionally directed spending item requested.



(Signature of Senator)

Submit an original of this certification to Chairman Barbara Boxer, Committee on Environment and Public Works, 410 Dirksen Senate Office Building, and Ranking Member James M. Inhofe, Committee on Environment and Public Works, 456 Dirksen Senate Office Building.