

APPENDIX EXPLANATION OF TABLES

- Table 3. **Percent Change:** Calculated by taking the difference in the population for 1990 and 2000 and dividing it by the 1990 population.
- Table 6. **American Indian Population:** The number of persons who indicated their race as American Indian.
- Table 10. **Hispanic Population:** The number of persons who identified their origin or descent as Hispanic. It should be noted that persons of Hispanic origin may be of any race.
- Table 37. **Median Age:** This represents the middle value in a distribution, or a value that is exceeded (or preceded) by as many values as it exceeds (or precedes). It divides the measure into two equal parts in a way that one-half are larger and one-half are smaller than the median.
- Table 38. **Births:** This is the number of recorded live resident births occurring between January 1, 1990 and December 31, 1999. This information was obtained from the South Dakota ,,, Office of Vital Statistics.
- Table 39. **Deaths:** This is the number of recorded resident deaths occurring between January 1, 1990 and December 31, 1999. This information was obtained from the South Dakota,,,, Office of Vital Statistics.
- Table 40. **Family:** A family is a group of two people or more (one of whom is the householder) related by birth, marriage, or adoption and residing together; all such people (including related subfamily members) are considered as members of one family.
- Table 41. **Household:** A person or group of persons who live in a housing unit. These equal the count of occupied housing units in a traditional census.
- Table 44. **Housing Unit:** A house, an apartment, a mobile home or trailer, a group of rooms, or a single room that is occupied as a separate living quarters, or, if vacant, is intended for occupancy as a separate living quarters.
- Table 47. **Farm:** The current definition, first used for the 1974 census, is any place from which \$1,000 or more of agriculture products were produced and sold, or normally would have been sold, during the census year.

- Table 51. **Farm Operator:** The term “operator” designates a person who operates a farm, either doing the work or making day-to-day decisions about such things as planting, harvesting, feeding and marketing. The operator may be the owner, a member of the owner’s household, a hired manager, a tenant, a renter, or a sharecropper. For census purposes, the number of operators is customarily the same as the number of farms.
- Table 52. **Estimated Value of Land and Buildings (per farm):** Respondents were asked to report their estimate of the current market value of land and buildings owned, rented or leased from others, and rented or leased to others. Market value refers to the value the land and buildings would sell for under current market conditions.
- Table 55. **Full Owner Farms:** All farms are classified by tenure of operator, full owners operate only the land they own.
- Table 57. **Number of Farms With Sales Less Than \$10,000:** This represents the gross market value of all agricultural products sold before taxes and expenses in the Census year. The sales include livestock, poultry and their products, crops including hay and nursery crops.