

Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly, State of North Dakota, begun in the Capitol in the City of Bismarck, on Monday, the sixth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-seven

SENATE BILL NO. 2084
(Appropriations Committee)
(At the request of the Office of Administrative Hearings)

AN ACT to amend and reenact subsection 3 of section 54-57-07 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the administrative hearings fund of the office of administrative hearings.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 3 of section 54-57-07 of the 1995 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

3. A special fund is established in the state treasury and designated as the administrative hearings fund. The ~~director office~~ of administrative hearings shall deposit in the fund all moneys received by ~~the office of administrative hearings~~ it in payment for providing ~~temporary services rendered by any administrative law judges to judge in the conduct of an administrative hearings hearing~~ and related proceedings under this chapter, as well as all moneys received by the office in payment for mileage, meals, and lodging in connection with providing any administrative law judge to conduct an administrative hearing and related proceedings. The moneys in the fund are a standing and continuing appropriation and are appropriated, as necessary, for the following purposes:
 - a. For the ~~director office~~ of administrative hearings to ~~contract with and make pay for salaries, wages, benefits, operating expenses, and equipment, including payment to temporary administrative law judges, as necessary, for the purpose of providing requested administrative law judges to agencies, to any unit of local government in this state, to any tribal government in this state, or to the judicial branch.~~
 - b. For the ~~director office~~ of administrative hearings to pay mileage, meals, and lodging to any administrative law judges, as necessary, in connection with the services to be provided ~~by~~ under this chapter.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2084.

Senate Vote: Yeas 48 Nays 0 Absent 1

House Vote: Yeas 93 Nays 0 Absent 4

Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 1997.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 1997.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 1997,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State