

**Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 9, 2001**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3066
(Representatives Boucher, Berg)
(Senators Krauter, D. Mathern)

A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the feasibility and desirability of increasing the communication between the executive and legislative branches to monitor and assess the development of state policy regarding economics, population, and business growth.

WHEREAS, crucial elements of state economic development are deeply rooted in several state agencies, but we encourage a formal forum at the executive level or legislative level to coordinate these elements of state economic development; and

WHEREAS, increased communications between the Governor, the Attorney General, the Agriculture Commissioner, the Public Service Commissioners, the President of the Bank of North Dakota, the Chancellor of the University System, the State Engineer, the State Health Officer, and the majority and minority leaders of the North Dakota House of Representatives and Senate would aid in coordinating a comprehensive economic development plan; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the state benefit of efficient use of resources, the state's citizens and businesses could benefit from a unified, coordinated economic development strategic plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:

That the Legislative Council study the feasibility and desirability of increasing the communication between the executive and legislative branches to monitor and assess the development of state policy regarding economics, population, and business growth; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Legislative Council report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the Fifty-eighth Legislative Assembly.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2001,
at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State