

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

(At the request of the Governor)

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the highway patrol;
2 and to provide a statement of legislative intent.

3 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

4 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the
5 funds as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state
6 treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and
7 other income, to the highway patrol for the purpose of defraying its expenses, for the biennium
8 beginning July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2003, as follows:

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| 9 Administration | \$2,164,675 |
| 10 Field operations | 30,095,704 |
| 11 Law enforcement training academy | <u>982,723</u> |
| 12 Total all funds | \$33,243,102 |
| 13 Less estimated income | <u>7,429,443</u> |
| 14 Total general fund appropriation | \$25,813,659 |

15 **SECTION 2. PAYMENTS TO HIGHWAY PATROL OFFICERS.** Each patrol officer of
16 the state highway patrol is entitled to receive from funds appropriated in section 1 of this Act an
17 amount not to exceed \$170 per month for the biennium beginning July 1, 2001, and ending
18 June 30, 2003. The payments are in lieu of reimbursement for meals and other expenses,
19 except lodging, while in travel status within the state of North Dakota or while at their respective
20 home stations. The amounts must be paid without the presentation of receipts or other
21 memorandums at the time and in the same manner as salaries of members of the highway
22 patrol are paid.

23 **SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - PERFORMANCE MEASURE MONITORING.** It
24 is the intent of the legislative assembly that the highway patrol monitor its actual to planned

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- 1 expenditures and its actual to projected performance measures by program for the biennium
- 2 beginning July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2003. The highway patrol shall make this
- 3 information available as requested by the appropriations committees of the fifty-eighth
- 4 legislative assembly.