## **FISCAL NOTE**

## Requested by Legislative Council 03/31/2005

Bill/Resolution No.: HB 1531

1A. **State fiscal effect:** Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.

2003-2005 Biennium 2005-2007 Biennium 2007-2009 Biennium

General Other Funds General Other Funds
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Revenues Expenditures Appropriations

1B. County, city, and school district fiscal effect: Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.

2003-2005 Biennium

2007-2009 Biennium

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2. **Narrative:** Identify the aspects of the measure which cause fiscal impact and include any comments relevant to your analysis.

WORKFORCE SAFETY & INSURANCE 2005 LEGISLATION SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL INFORMATION

BILL DESCRIPTION: WSI Reserve Discount-Surplus

**BILL NO: HB 1531** 

SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL INFORMATION: Workforce Safety & Insurance, together with its actuary, Glenn Evans of Pacific Actuarial Consultants, has reviewed the legislation proposed in this bill in conformance with Section 54-03-25 of the North Dakota Century Code.

The proposed legislation establishes a maximum discount rate to be used in evaluating the financial reserves at six percent and defines adequate reserve and surplus as a range of 120% to 140% of the actuarially established discounted reserve.

FISCAL IMPACT: The proposed legislation is relatively consistent with current Board operating policy.

DATE: March 31, 2005

- 3. State fiscal effect detail: For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:
  - A. **Revenues:** Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.

see Narrative for Actuarial Impact Statement required to conform with Section 54-03-25 of the NDCC.

B. **Expenditures**: Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line

item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.

see Narrative for Actuarial Impact Statement required to conform with Section 54-03-25 of the NDCC.

C. **Appropriations:** Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, of the effect on the biennial appropriation for each agency and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget. Indicate the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations.

not applicable

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