STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

Senate Bill No. 2023 - Commission on Legal Counsel for Indigent - Senate Action

	Executive Budget	Senate Changes	Senate Version
Comm. on Legal Counsel for Indigents	\$11,928,876	(\$503,276)	\$11,425,600
Total all funds Less estimated income	\$11,928,876 2,453,493	(\$503,276) (503,276)	\$11,425,600 1,950,217
General fund	\$9,475,383	\$0	\$9,475,383
FTE	33.00	(3.00)	30.00

Department No. 188 - Commission on Legal Counsel for Indigent - Detail of Senate Changes

	Removes Funding for Public Defender Office ¹	Total Senate Changes
Comm. on Legal Counsel for Indigents	(\$503,276)	(\$503,276)
Total all funds Less estimated income	(\$503,276) (503,276)	(\$503,276) (503,276)
General fund	\$0	\$0
FTE	(3.00)	(3.00)

¹ This amendment removes 3 FTE positions and related operating costs for a new public defender office in Devils Lake.