Sixty-second Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

FIRST ENGROSSMENT with House Amendments ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2016

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 office of the

2 adjutant general; to provide appropriations; to provide for transfers; to provide exemptions; to

3 create and enact a new section to chapter 37-17.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating

4 to written confirmation of federal disaster funding; to amend and reenact section 37-17.3-08 of

5 the North Dakota Century Code, relating to state radio fees; to provide legislative intent; and to

6 declare an emergency.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

8 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds 9 as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state 10 treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and 11 other income, to the office of the adjutant general for the purpose of defraying the expenses of 12 that agency, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2013, as follows: 13 Subdivision 1.

| 14 | NATIONAL GUARD | | | |
|----|------------------------------------|----------------|--------------|----------------------|
| 15 | | Adjustments or | | |
| 16 | | Base Level | Enhancements | <u>Appropriation</u> |
| 17 | Salaries and wages | \$4,841,436 | \$312,450 | \$5,153,886 |
| 18 | Operating expenses | 3,676,891 | 386,000 | 4,062,891 |
| 19 | Capital assets | 223,670 | 331,082 | 554,752 |
| 20 | Grants | 449,514 | 60,000 | 509,514 |
| 21 | Civil air patrol | 222,836 | 20,517 | 243,353 |
| 22 | Tuition, recruiting, and retention | 2,407,500 | 0 | 2,407,500 |
| 23 | Air guard contract | 9,551,543 | 1,437,780 | 10,989,323 |
| 24 | Army guard contract | 60,058,099 | (3,947,342) | 56,110,757 |
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Subdivision 2.

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| 1 | Reintegration program | 1,377,409 | 172,740 | 1,550,149 |
|---|-----------------------|-------------------|--------------------|-------------------|
| 2 | Veterans' cemetery | <u>489,141</u> | <u>87,775</u> | <u>576,916</u> |
| 3 | Total all funds | \$83,298,039 | (\$1,138,998) | \$82,159,041 |
| 4 | Less estimated income | <u>67,337,232</u> | <u>(1,615,330)</u> | <u>65,721,902</u> |
| 5 | Total general fund | \$15,960,807 | \$476,332 | \$16,437,139 |

| 7 | DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES | | | |
|----|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| 8 | Adjustments or | | | |
| 9 | | Base Level | Enhancements | Appropriation |
| 10 | Salaries and wages | \$9,383,605 | \$1,980,139 | \$11,363,744 |
| 11 | Operating expenses | 4,102,057 | 5,827,965 | 9,930,022 |
| 12 | 2 Capital assets 492,000 1,935,347 2,42 | | | |
| 13 | Grants | 44,402,267 | 27,017,504 | 71,419,771 |
| 14 | 2009 flood disaster | 0 | 52,923,008 | 52,923,008 |
| 15 | 15 Radio communications <u>0</u> <u>3,735,000</u> | | <u>3,735,000</u> | |
| 16 | Total all funds | \$58,379,929 | \$93,418,963 | \$151,798,892 |
| 17 | Less estimated income | <u>52,550,869</u> | <u>86,331,607</u> | <u>138,882,476</u> |
| 18 | Total general fund | \$5,829,060 \$7,087,356 \$12,916,416 | | \$12,916,416 |
| 19 | Subdivision 3. | | | |
| 20 | BILL TOTAL | | | |
| 21 | Adjustments or | | | |
| 22 | | Base Level | Enhancements | Appropriation |
| 23 | Grand total general fund | \$21,789,867 | \$7,563,688 | \$29,353,555 |
| 24 | Grand total special funds | <u>119,888,101</u> | <u>84,716,277</u> | 204,604,378 |
| 25 | Grand total all funds | \$141,677,968 | \$92,279,965 | \$233,957,933 |

26Full-time equivalent positions232.0010.00242.0027SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING - EFFECT ON BASE BUDGET - REPORT TO

28 SIXTY-THIRD LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. The following amounts reflect the one-time funding

items approved by the sixty-first legislative assembly for the 2009-11 biennium and the 2011-13

30 one-time funding items included in the appropriation in section 1 of this Act:

| 31 | One-Time Funding Description | <u>2009-11</u> | <u>2011-13</u> |
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| 1 | Motorola lease purchase payment | \$1,525,347 | \$1,525,347 |
|----|---|--------------------|----------------|
| 2 | Message switch upgrades | 0 | 235,000 |
| 3 | Central electronics bank dispatch system | 0 | 1,100,000 |
| 4 | Veterans' bonus multiple deployments | 500,000 | 0 |
| 5 | Technology projects | 3,600,000 | 100,000 |
| 6 | Technology equipment and software | 160,000 | 0 |
| 7 | purchases | | |
| 8 | Tornado disaster grants | 250,000 | 0 |
| 9 | Snow removal grants | 20,000,000 | 0 |
| 10 | 2009 flood disaster | 105,500,000 | 0 |
| 11 | Volunteer management grants | 400,000 | 0 |
| 12 | 2009 federal fiscal stimulus | 3,783,770 | 0 |
| 13 | State radio tower package | 0 | 1,500,000 |
| 14 | Statewide seamless base map | 0 | 900,000 |
| 15 | Military service center east | 0 | 72,700 |
| 16 | Armory grants | 0 | 60,000 |
| 17 | Extraordinary repairs | <u>0</u> | <u>325,381</u> |
| 18 | Total all funds | \$135,719,117 | \$5,818,428 |
| 19 | Less estimated income | <u>116,783,770</u> | <u>500,000</u> |
| 20 | Total general fund | \$18,935,347 | \$5,318,428 |
| 21 | The 2011-13 one-time funding amounts are not a part of the entity's base budget for the | | |

21 The 2011-13 one-time funding amounts are not a part of the entity's base budget for the
22 2013-15 biennium. The adjutant general shall report to the appropriations committees of the
23 sixty-third legislative assembly on the use of this one-time funding for the biennium beginning
24 July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2013.

25 SECTION 3. VETERANS' CEMETERY MAINTENANCE FUND - APPROPRIATION. In

addition to the amount appropriated to the adjutant general in the veterans' cemetery line item

- 27 in subdivision 1 of section 1 of this Act, there is appropriated any additional funds which are
- 28 received and deposited in the veterans' cemetery maintenance fund pursuant to sections
- 29 37-03-14 and 39-04-10.10 for the operation of the North Dakota veterans' cemetery for the
- biennium beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2013.

SECTION 4. STATE DISASTER RELIEF FUND - APPROPRIATION. In addition to the amount appropriated to the adjutant general in subdivision 2 of section 1 of this Act, there is appropriated out of any moneys in the state disaster relief fund, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$3,500,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the adjutant general for the purpose of providing the required state share of funding to match federal funds for defraying the expenses associated with presidential-declared state disasters pursuant to section 37-17.1-27.

8 transfer to the operating expenses and capital assets line items contained in section 1 of this 9 Act up to the sum of \$500,000 from the various other line items contained in section 1 of this 10 Act, as determined necessary by the adjutant general to provide for the maintenance and repair 11 of state-owned armories in this state during the biennium beginning July 1, 2011, and ending 12 June 30, 2013. Any amounts transferred pursuant to this section must be reported to the 13 director of the office of management and budget.

SECTION 6. EXEMPTION. Any amounts carried over pursuant to section 3 of chapter 312 of the 2009 Session Laws that is unexpended as of June 30, 2011, is not subject to section 54-44.1-11 and is available for payment of adjusted compensation to veterans. Any unexpended funds from this appropriation must be transferred to the veterans' cemetery trust fund during the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015.

SECTION 7. EXEMPTION. The amount appropriated in the capital assets line for the next generation 911 study and state radio tower study in section 1, subdivision 2, of chapter 16 of the 2009 Session Laws is not subject to section 54-44.1-11 and any unexpended funds from this line item are available for conducting these studies during the biennium beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2013.

SECTION 8. A new section to chapter 37-17.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
and enacted as follows:

26 <u>Written confirmation of federal disaster funding required.</u>

27 If the expected source of funding or reimbursement for a construction or repair project is

28 from or through the approval of the federal emergency management agency, a political

29 <u>subdivision shall request and receive written approval from the federal emergency management</u>

30 agency before contracting for the construction or repair.

SECTION 9. AMENDMENT. Section 37-17.3-08 of the North Dakota Century Code is
 amended and reenacted as follows:

3 **37-17.3-08. State radio system and service fees.**

4 The director shall establish the appropriate fees for access to the state radio system 1. 5 and the service provided to local government users of the mobile data terminal system 6 and North Dakota law enforcement telecommunications systems and other such 7 systems that may be employed that enhance public safety. Changes to fees charged 8 by the division, including schedule of charges for counties and cities, will take effect on 9 July first. The director shall announce any fee increases a minimum of one year prior-10 tobefore the effective date. When the director considers an adjustment, as a part of 11 the process the director shall consult with representatives of state and local units of 12 government prior tobefore setting fees. The director may consider economic 13 conditions and the general economy when setting fees. The director shall deposit all 14 revenue obtained under this chapter with the state treasurer for deposit in the state 15 radio broadcasting system operating account. The state radio broadcasting system 16 operating account must be expended pursuant to legislative appropriation for the 17 operation and maintenance of the system. Fee structures will include:

- 181.2.Mobile data terminal fees. The division shall establish and charge fees to provide19mobile data terminal service to interested local law enforcement agencies except for20local law enforcement agencies using private commercial access to the state message21switch. The fees must be based on actual costs incurred by the division for providing22the service and will be levied on a per system user basis. State general fund agencies23that access the system will not incur any fees for the service.
- 24 2.3. Each county and city law enforcement department that accesses the North Dakota 25 teletype system shall pay a fee based upon fifty percent of the actual costs incurred by 26 the division for providing the service. Fees will be levied on a per terminal basis. Other 27 law enforcement affiliated organizations and federal agencies will pay one hundred 28 percent of the actual costs incurred by the division for providing the service. Fees will 29 be levied on a per terminal basis. State general fund agencies that access the system 30 will not incur any fees for the service. City and county law enforcement fees will be 31 based on the following schedule of charges per terminal:

| 1 | a. | County population of less than five thousand shall pay thirtyforty dollars per |
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| 2 | | month. |
| 3 | b. | County population of five thousand or more but less than ten thousand shall pay |
| 4 | | sixtyeighty dollars per month. |
| 5 | C. | County population of ten thousand or more but less than fifteen thousand shall |
| 6 | | pay ninetyone hundred twenty dollars per month. |
| 7 | d. | County population of fifteen thousand or more but less than twenty-five thousand |
| 8 | | shall pay one hundred twentysixty dollars per month. |
| 9 | e. | County population of twenty-five thousand or more shall pay onetwo hundred |
| 10 | | sixty dollars per month. |
| 11 | SECTION | 10. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - STATE RADIO TOWER PACKAGE. It is the intent |
| 12 | of the sixty-se | econd legislative assembly that the adjutant general work with other public |
| 13 | agencies and | private sector entities to maximize the number of state radio tower enhancements |
| 14 | or additions the | nat may be implemented within the funding appropriated in subdivision 2 of |
| 15 | section 1 of th | nis Act, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2013. |
| 16 | SECTION | 11. EMERGENCY. Section 4 of this Act is declared to be an emergency |
| 17 | measure. | |
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