

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1477

Page 1, line 3, replace "appropriations" with "an appropriation"

Page 2, replace lines 9 through 29 with:

**"SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - DICKINSON STATE UNIVERSITY THEODORE ROOSEVELT CENTER APPROPRIATION.** It is the intent of the sixty-second legislative assembly that the \$750,000 general fund appropriation provided in House Bill No. 1003, as approved by the sixty-second legislative assembly, to Dickinson state university for the digitization of documents related to the Theodore Roosevelt center may be used for any project or program related to the Theodore Roosevelt center, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2011, and ending June 30, 2013.

**SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - WILLISTON STATE COLLEGE.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$2,000,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to Williston state college for public safety or other unusual or unexpected expenses due to the impact of oil and gas development in the region, for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act and ending June 30, 2013. The funding provided in this section is considered one-time funding."

Renumber accordingly

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:**

This amendment removes Sections 3 and 4 of the bill providing appropriations to Williston State College and Dickinson State University. The amendment adds a section of legislative intent regarding the use of funds appropriated by the 62<sup>nd</sup> Legislative Assembly for the Theodore Roosevelt Center at Dickinson State University and adds a new appropriation section to provide a \$2 million one-time general fund appropriation to Williston State College for expenses associated with the impact of oil and gas development.