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Bismarck, February 24, 2015

The House convened at 8:30 a.m., with Speaker Belter presiding.

The prayer was offered by Pastor Paul Gibson, First Baptist Church, Bismarck.

The roll was called and all members were present except Representatives Frantsovog and Glassheim.

A quorum was declared by the Speaker.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

SPEAKER BELTER DEEMED approval of the amendments to HB 1004, HB 1011, HB 1014, HB 1016, HB 1017, HB 1019, HB 1020, HB 1021, HB 1022, HB 1023, HB 1032, HB 1041, HB 1144, Engrossed HB 1151, HB 1206, HB 1241, HB 1272, and HB 1357.

HB 1004, HB 1011, HB 1014, HB 1016, HB 1017, HB 1019, HB 1020, HB 1021, HB 1022, HB 1023, HB 1032, HB 1041, HB 1144, Engrossed HB 1151, HB 1206, HB 1241, HB 1272, and HB 1357, as amended, were placed on the Eleventh order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

HCR 3029: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study methods through which residents of areas within the extraterritorial zoning jurisdiction of cities may be represented on city governing bodies.

The question being on the final adoption of the resolution, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS.

HCR 3029 was declared lost on a voice vote.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1157: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new subdivision to subsection 2 of section 62.1-02-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to elected public officials and concealed weapons at publicly owned or operated buildings; and to amend and reenact section 62.1-01-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to definitions.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 47 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boehning; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delzer; Dockter; Dosch; Hatlestad; Headland; Hofstad; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemmin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Laning; Looyesen; Louser; Meier; Monson; Nathe; Olson; Owens; Paur; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Schatz; Schmidt; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Thoreson; Toman; Vigasaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Boe; Boschee; Delmore; Devlin; Fehr; Froseth; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hawken; Hogan; Holman; Hunsakor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Keiser; Kelsh; Klein; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Larson; Lefor; Maragos; Martinson; Mitskog; Mock; Mooney; Muscha; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Pollert; Sanford; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Strinden; Sukut; Trottier; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsovog; Glassheim

Engrossed HB 1157 failed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1219: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 1 of section 62.1-02-01, subsection 1 of section 62.1-02-01.1, subsection 2 of section 62.1-03-01, subsections 7 and 8 of section 62.1-04-03, and section 62.1-05-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to weapons.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 89 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Becker, Rick C.; Olson

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsovog; Glassheim; Headland

Engrossed HB 1219 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1457: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 62.1-01-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the forfeiture and disposition of firearms.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 90 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Amerman; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsovog; Glassheim

Engrossed HB 1457 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1450: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsections 1 and 16 of section 62.1-01-01, sections 62.1-02-04 and 62.1-02-05, subdivision a of subsection 6 of section 62.1-02-13, section 62.1-03-01, and subsection 2 of section 62.1-04-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to concealed weapons and firearms.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 67 YEAS, 26 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boehning; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Hatlestad; Headland; Hofstad; Hunsakor; Johnson, D.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Monson; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Olson; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Amerman; Anderson, P.; Boe; Boschee; Delmore; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hawken; Hogan; Holman; Johnson, M.; Kelsh; Kretschmar; Mitskog; Mock; Mooney; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Schneider; Silbernagel; Strinden; Sukut; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1450 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1001: A BILL for an Act providing an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the legislative branch of state government; to provide for applications, transfers, and cancellation of unexpended appropriations; to amend and reenact sections 54-03-20 and 54-35-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to legislative compensation; to provide an effective date; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 87 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunsakor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Brabandt; Mock; Oversen; Strinden; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog; Rohr

Engrossed HB 1001 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1005: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the Indian affairs commission; to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-36 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of an North Dakota American Indian business development office within the Indian affairs commission; and to repeal section 54-60-14 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the North Dakota American Indian business development office.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 83 YEAS, 9 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brandenburg; Carlson; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looysen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Sanford; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Becker, Rick C.; Brabandt; Damschen; Kading; Klein; Koppelman, B.; Olson; Ruby; Schatz

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantvog; Skarphol

Engrossed HB 1005 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1006: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the North Dakota aeronautics commission; and to create and enact a new section to chapter 2-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to earnings of the aeronautics commission special fund.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 85 YEAS, 7 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Delmore; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looysen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Damschen; Delzer; Olson; Paur; Toman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantvog; Skarphol

Engrossed HB 1006 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1007: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the veterans' home; to provide an exemption; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 86 YEAS, 7 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trotter; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Becker, Rick C.; Brabandt; Dosch; Keiser; Koppelman, B.; Meier; Ruby

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1007 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

MOTION

SPEAKER BELTER ANNOUNCED that the House stand in recess until 1:00 p.m.

THE HOUSE RECONVENED pursuant to recess taken, with Speaker Belter presiding.

REQUEST

REP. FEHR REQUESTED that the amendments to HB 1279 on the Sixth order be heard separately for the purpose of debate, which request was granted.

REQUEST

REP. MOCK REQUESTED that the amendments on HB 1080 on the Sixth order be heard separately for the purpose of debate, which request was granted.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

SPEAKER BELTER DEEMED approval of the amendments to HB 1002, HB 1013, HB 1015, HB 1018, Engrossed HB 1049, HB 1139, HB 1205, Engrossed HB 1218, Engrossed HB 1234, HB 1274, Engrossed HB 1285, HB 1396, and HB 1459.

HB 1205 and Engrossed HB 1234, as amended, were rereferred to the **Appropriations Committee**.

HB 1002, HB 1013, HB 1015, HB 1018, Engrossed HB 1049, HB 1139, Engrossed HB 1218, HB 1274, Engrossed HB 1285, HB 1396, and HB 1459, as amended, were placed on the Eleventh order of business on the calendar for the succeeding legislative day.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

Amendments to HB 1279 were debated on the floor. On a verification vote, the amendments to HB 1279 were adopted.

MOTION

REP. VIGASAA MOVED that Rule 601.3.C be suspended and HB 1279 be moved to the top of the Eleventh order to be acted on immediately, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1279: A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of home and community-based services in North Dakota.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 83 YEAS, 10 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Strinden; Thoreson; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Becker, Rick C.; Brabandt; Delzer; Hanson; Hatlestad; Koppelman, B.; Laning; Streyle; Sukut; Toman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1279 passed.

SIXTH ORDER OF BUSINESS

Amendments to HB 1080 were debated on the floor.

REQUEST

REP. MOCK REQUESTED a recorded roll call vote, which request was granted.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the motion to adopt the amendments to HB 1080, the roll was called and there were 62 YEAS, 31 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boehning; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Hatlestad; Headland; Hofstad; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Kasper; Keiser; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Laning; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Monson; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Olson; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Amerman; Anderson, P.; Boe; Boschee; Delmore; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hawken; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Karls; Kelsh; Kretschmar; Larson; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Mooney; Muscha; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Porter; Schneider; Strinden; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

The proposed amendments to HB 1080 were adopted on a recorded roll call vote.

MOTION

REP. VIGESAA MOVED that Rule 601.3.C be suspended and HB 1080 be moved to the top of the Eleventh order to be acted on immediately, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1080: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 54-52-06.4 and 54-52-17 and subsection 1 of section 54-52-17.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to decreased employee contributions under the public employees retirement system for

peace officers employed by the bureau of criminal investigation and benefit changes for employees first enrolled in the public employees retirement system defined benefit retirement plan after December 31, 2015.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 68 YEAS, 25 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boehning; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Martinson; Meier; Monson; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Olson; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigesaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Amerman; Anderson, P.; Boe; Boschee; Delmore; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Kelsh; Kretschmar; Maragos; Mitskog; Mock; Mooney; Muscha; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Schneider; Strinden; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1080 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1008: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the department of financial institutions.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 93 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigesaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1008 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1009: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state fair association; and to declare an emergency.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 80 YEAS, 13 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Bellew; Boe; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Pollert; Porter; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbermagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Trottier; Vigesaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Becker, Rick C.; Boehning; Delzer; Devlin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Laning; Olson; Paur; Rohr; Ruby; Toman; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1009 passed and the emergency clause was declared carried.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1010: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the council on the arts.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 71 YEAS, 22 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Becker, Rich S.; Boe; Boschee; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Devlin; Dockter; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Sanford; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbermagel; Steiner; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Vigesaa; Wallman; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Beadle; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boehning; Brabandt; Delzer; Dosch; Headland; Kading; Kempenich; Koppelman, B.; Laning; Louser; Olson; Rohr; Ruby; Schatz; Skarphol; Streyle; Toman; Trottier; Weisz

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1010 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1024: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the comprehensive tobacco control advisory committee.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 56 YEAS, 37 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Becker, Rich S.; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brandenburg; Damschen; Delmore; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Keiser; Kelsh; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Larson; Lefor; Maragos; Martinson; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Pollert; Sanford; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbermagel; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Wallman; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Beadle; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Brabandt; Carlson; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Laning; Looyesen; Louser; Meier; Nathe; Olson; Paur; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Schatz; Schmidt; Skarphol; Steiner; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Weisz

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1024 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1025: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the department of veterans' affairs; and to provide an exemption.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 93 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1025 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1046: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the department of human services for costs relating to expanded traumatic brain injury programming.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 93 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Reengrossed HB 1046 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1055: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact sections 4-02-26, 4-02-27.1, 4-02-27.2, 4-02-37, 4-08-02, 4-08-04, 4-08-15, and 4-08-15.1, subsection 17 of section 4-22-26, subsection 2 of section 4.1-47-14, sections 4.1-47-16 and 4.1-47-25, subsection 2 of section 11-09.1-05, subsection 15 of section 11-11-14, sections 11-11-46, 11-28-17, 11-28.3-03, 11-28.3-04, 11-28.3-09, 11-37-14, 15-04-23, 15-52-09, 15-52-26, 15.1-09-49, and 15.1-12-09.1, subdivision n of subsection 1 of section 15.1-12-10, sections 15.1-12-16.1, 15.1-27-02, 15.1-27-04.1, 15.1-27-04.2, 15.1-27-11, 15.1-27-20.2, 16.1-01-11, 18-06-11, and 18-10-12.1, subsection 4.1 of section 21-03-06, subsection 5 of section 21-03-07, sections 21-07-01, 23-18-01, 23-18-02, and 23-18-03, subsection 13 of section 23-18.2-10, sections 23-18.2-11, 23-18.2-14, 23-18.2-16, and 23-30-02, subsection 5 of section 23-30-11, sections 23-35-05 and 23-35-07, subsection 2 of section 23-35.1-02, section 23-46-01, subsection 2 of section 40-05.1-06, sections 40-37-02 and 40-37-03, subsection 4 of section 40-38-02, sections 40-38.1-02, 40-45-16, 40-55-08, and 40-55-09, subsection 3 of section 40-57.1-03, subsections 2, 3, 4, 5, and 10 of section 40-58-20, sections 40-59-02, 40-59-03, 50-01.2-03.2, 54-24.2-02.1, 54-24.2-02.2, 54-24.2-03, 54-24.2-05, and 54-24.3-10, subsections 1, 13, and 15 of section 57-02-01, subsection 22 of section 57-02-08, subsection 1 of section 57-02-08.1, sections 57-02-08.2, 57-02-08.8, 57-02-27, 57-02.1-05, 57-02.1-06, 57-02.3-05, 57-02.3-06, 57-06-14.1, 57-06-17.2, 57-06-24, 57-15-01.1, 57-15-02, 57-15-02.1, 57-15-06, 57-15-06.7, 57-15-06.8, 57-15-06.10, 57-15-08, 57-15-10, 57-15-12, 57-15-12.1, 57-15-12.2, 57-15-14, 57-15-14.2, 57-15-14.4, 57-15-14.5, 57-15-16, 57-15-17.1, 57-15-19.4, 57-15-20, 57-15-20.2, 57-15-22, 57-15-22.2, 57-15-26.1, 57-15-26.2, 57-15-26.3, 57-15-26.4, 57-15-26.5, 57-15-26.6, 57-15-26.8, 57-15-27.1, 57-15-27.2, 57-15-28, 57-15-28.1, 57-15-31, 57-15-38, 57-15-42, 57-15-48, 57-15-50, 57-15-51, 57-15-53, 57-15-56, 57-15-59, 57-15-61, 57-19-01, 57-19-04, 57-20-02, 57-22-16, and 57-32-02, subdivision b of subsection 3 of section 57-33.2-19, sections 57-39.2-26.2, 57-44-03, 57-47-04, 57-51-15, 57-55-04, 57-64-01, 57-64-02, 57-64-03, and 57-64-04, subsection 18 of section 58-03-07, sections 58-15-02, 61-04.1-24, 61-04.1-26, and 61-04.1-32, subsection 2 of section 61-16.1-11, subsection 9 of section 61-24-08, sections 61-24-09, 61-24.5-10, 61-24.5-11, 61-24.5-12, 61-24.5-13, and 61-24.5-14, and subsection 5 of section 61-41-02 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to determination of taxable valuation and replacement of statutory references to mills with references to cents for property tax rate purposes; to provide for legislative council reconciliation of statutory references to mill levies and taxable valuation; to provide for a recommendation on implementation of a uniform chart of accounts for counties; and to provide an effective date.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 65 YEAS, 28 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, D.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Guggisberg; Haak; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kempenich; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looysen; Louser; Martinson; Meier; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Olson; Owens; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Seibel; Silbernagel; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trotter; Vigasaa; Weisz

NAYS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, P.; Boe; Delmore; Glassheim; Hanson; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Kelsh; Kiefert; Maragos; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Paur; Schreiber Beck; Skarphol; Wallman; Zubke; Speaker Belter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Reengrossed HB 1055 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1372: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for the identification of and provision of services to veterans exposed to agent orange.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 93 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigesaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1372 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1446: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 17-10 and subsection 9 to section 39-12-05.3 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to natural gas fueling stations and weight limitations for natural gas vehicles; and to provide an appropriation.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 45 YEAS, 48 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Boe; Boschee; Brandenburg; Damschen; Delmore; Devlin; Fehr; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Kretschmar; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Schneider; Silbernagel; Strinden; Sukut; Wallman; Weisz

NAYS: Anderson, B.; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boehning; Brabandt; Carlson; Delzer; Dockter; Dosch; Froseth; Headland; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Nathe; Olson; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigesaa; Zubke; Speaker Belter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Reengrossed HB 1446 failed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1038: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 54-52.1-04.13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to public employees retirement system uniform group insurance coverage of telemedicine; to require a report regarding coverage of telemedicine; and to provide an expiration date.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 88 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looysen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Brabandt; Karls; Ruby

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1038 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1387: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-21-18 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to parking on the capitol grounds for employees with infants.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 89 YEAS, 4 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Becker, Rick C.; Brabandt; Klein; Looysen

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1387 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1389: A BILL for an Act to provide for a legislative management study relating to verification of citizenship status for voting and for obtaining driver's licenses and nondriver photo identification cards.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 90 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.;

Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemm; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Kelsh; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Damschen; Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1389 passed.

MOTION

REP. VIGESAA MOVED that the House stand in recess until 2:45 p.m., which motion prevailed.

THE HOUSE RECONVENED pursuant to recess taken, with Speaker Belter presiding.

MOTION

REP. VIGESAA MOVED that HB 1241 be moved to the top of the calendar, which motion prevailed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1241: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 20.1-01-36, subsection 1 of section 62.1-01-01, sections 62.1-02-04, 62.1-02-05, 62.1-02-10, and 62.1-03-01, subsection 5 of section 62.1-04-01, and sections 62.1-04-02 and 62.1-05-01 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to firearms and dangerous weapons; and to provide a penalty.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 78 YEAS, 15 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Haak; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemm; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Olson; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Amerman; Anderson, P.; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hogan; Johnson, M.; Mock; Mooney; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Schneider; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1241 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1095: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 61-16.1-09, section 61-16.1-53.1, subsection 4 of section 61-21-01, and section 61-32-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a water resource board's eminent domain power, administrative hearings for noncomplying dams, dikes, and other devices, the

definition of drain, and administrative hearings for drainage projects.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 92 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigesaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Nelson, M.

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1095 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1249: A BILL for an Act to create and enact chapter 61-42 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the creation of the Missouri River empower advisory council.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 80 YEAS, 13 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Becker, Rich S.; Bellew; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Muscha; Nathe; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Trottier; Vigesaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Beadle; Becker, Rick C.; Boe; Delmore; Hawken; Holman; Koppelman, B.; Mock; Mooney; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Ruby; Toman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1249 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1456: A BILL for an Act to create and enact section 54-01-29.1 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the encouragement of federal legislation to return lands and mineral rights to the state.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 91 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Onstad; Ruby

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1456 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1442: A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the introduction of bills by executive branch agencies and the judicial branch.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 18 YEAS, 75 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boehning; Devlin; Hanson; Kading; Kasper; Koppelman, B.; Louser; Mock; Olson; Rohr; Ruby; Schatz; Steiner; Streyle; Thoreson; Toman

NAYS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Boe; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hatlestad; Hawken; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Karls; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Sanford; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Strinden; Sukut; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog

Engrossed HB 1442 failed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1050: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the department of human services for the establishment of volunteer-based services; and to provide for reports to the legislative management.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO NOT PASS, the roll was called and there were 23 YEAS, 70 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, P.; Boschee; Damschen; Delmore; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hawken; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Kiefert; Mitskog; Mock; Mooney; Muscha; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Schneider; Strinden; Wallman

NAYS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr;

Froseth; Glassheim; Hatlestad; Headland; Hofstad; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Monson; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Olson; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsovog

HB 1050 failed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

HCR 3025: A concurrent resolution of commendation to the North Dakota State University Bison football team and Coach Chris Klieman for achieving an unprecedented level of dominance in NCAA Division I football.

The question being on the final adoption of the resolution, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS.

HCR 3025 was declared adopted on a voice vote.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1214: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-27-25 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the tobacco settlement trust fund; and to provide for a legislative management study.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 41 YEAS, 50 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 3 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Bellew; Boe; Damschen; Fehr; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunsakor; Johnson, D.; Kiefert; Klein; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Larson; Maragos; Mitskog; Mock; Mooney; Muscha; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schneider; Seibel; Silbernagel; Toman; Weisz

NAYS: Amerman; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Boehning; Boschee; Brabant; Brandenburg; Carlson; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Froseth; Hatlestad; Headland; Johnson, M.; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Laning; Lefor; Looyen; Louser; Martinson; Meier; Monson; Nathe; Olson; Paur; Schatz; Schmidt; Schreiber Beck; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Zubke; Speaker Belter

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsovog; Hawken; Kading

Engrossed HB 1214 failed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1181: A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 16.1-13-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to filling vacancies in the office of United States senator.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 67 YEAS, 25 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boehning; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Hatlestad; Headland; Hofstad; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Meier; Monson; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Olson; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigesaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Amerman; Anderson, P.; Boe; Boschee; Delmore; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hogan; Holman; Johnson, M.; Keiser; Kelsh; Martinson; Mitskog; Mock; Mooney; Muscha; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Schneider; Strinden; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog; Hawken

Engrossed HB 1181 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1004: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state department of health; and to amend and reenact section 43-29.1-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to selection criteria for the veterinarian loan repayment program.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 87 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyesen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigesaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Becker, Rick C.; Brabandt; Koppelman, B.; Nelson, M.; Olson

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsvog; Hawken

Engrossed HB 1004 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1011: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the highway patrol; to provide for a transfer; to provide for legislative intent; and to provide for expense payments to highway patrol officers.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 91 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Anderson, P.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Boehning; Boschee; Brabandt; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delmore; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Guggisberg; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunskor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh;

Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, B.; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Olson; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Paur; Pollert; Porter; Rohr; Ruby; Sanford; Schatz; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Toman; Trottier; Vigasaa; Wallman; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Delzer

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsovog; Hawken

Engrossed HB 1011 passed.

SECOND READING OF HOUSE BILL

HB 1014: A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state industrial commission and the agencies under the management of the industrial commission; to provide a continuing appropriation; to authorize transfers; to provide legislative intent; to amend and reenact sections 54-17-40, 54-17-41, 54-17.5-02, and 57-38-01.32 of the North Dakota Century Code and section 22 of chapter 579 of the 2011 Session Laws, relating to the housing incentive fund credits, the lignite research council, and the use of the flex PACE program; and to provide an expiration date.

ROLL CALL

The question being on the final passage of the amended bill, which has been read, and has committee recommendation of DO PASS, the roll was called and there were 77 YEAS, 15 NAYS, 0 EXCUSED, 2 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING.

YEAS: Amerman; Anderson, B.; Anderson, D.; Beadle; Becker, Rich S.; Boehning; Boschee; Brandenburg; Carlson; Damschen; Delzer; Devlin; Dockter; Dosch; Fehr; Froseth; Glassheim; Haak; Hanson; Hatlestad; Headland; Hofstad; Hogan; Holman; Hunsakor; Johnson, D.; Johnson, M.; Kading; Karls; Kasper; Keiser; Kelsh; Kempenich; Kiefert; Klein; Klemin; Koppelman, K.; Kreidt; Kretschmar; Laning; Larson; Lefor; Looyen; Louser; Maragos; Martinson; Meier; Mitskog; Mock; Monson; Mooney; Muscha; Nathe; Nelson, J.; Nelson, M.; Onstad; Oversen; Owens; Pollert; Porter; Sanford; Schmidt; Schneider; Schreiber Beck; Seibel; Silbernagel; Skarphol; Steiner; Streyle; Strinden; Sukut; Thoreson; Trottier; Vigasaa; Weisz; Zubke; Speaker Belter

NAYS: Anderson, P.; Becker, Rick C.; Bellew; Boe; Brabandt; Delmore; Guggisberg; Koppelman, B.; Olson; Paur; Rohr; Ruby; Schatz; Toman; Wallman

ABSENT AND NOT VOTING: Frantsovog; Hawken

Engrossed HB 1014 passed.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (JANE SCHAIBLE, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2002, SB 2004, SB 2005, SB 2014, SB 2021, SB 2075, SB 2128, SB 2150, SB 2199, SB 2221, SB 2226, SB 2236, SB 2283, SB 2340, SB 2351, SB 2361, SB 2374.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (JANE SCHAIBLE, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2006, SB 2020, SB 2185, SB 2189, SB 2191, SB 2299, SB 2314, SB 2343, SB 2356, SCR 4011.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (JANE SCHAIBLE, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2026, SB 2037, SB 2041, SB 2045, SB 2046, SB 2048, SB 2050, SB 2054, SB 2107, SB 2134, SB 2147, SB 2160, SB 2218, SB 2284, SB 2289, SB 2295, SB 2378.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (JANE SCHAIBLE, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2027, SB 2096, SB 2175, SB 2197, SB 2202, SB 2251, SB 2253, SB 2320, SB 2332, SB 2336, SCR 4004, SCR 4006, SCR 4015, SCR 4018, SCR 4020, SCR 4021.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (JANE SCHAIBLE, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause carried, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2003, SB 2018, SB 2019.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (JANE SCHAIBLE, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause carried, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2008, SB 2016, SB 2087, SB 2355.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (JANE SCHAIBLE, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The Senate has passed, the emergency clause failed, and your favorable consideration is requested on: SB 2294.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: Your signature is respectfully requested on: HCR 3023.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (JANE SCHAIBLE, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: Your signature is respectfully requested on: SB 2159, SB 2177.

MESSAGE TO THE HOUSE FROM THE SENATE (JANE SCHAIBLE, SECRETARY)

MR. SPEAKER: The President has signed: HCR 3023.

MESSAGE TO THE SENATE FROM THE HOUSE (BUELL J. REICH, CHIEF CLERK)

MR. PRESIDENT: The Speaker has signed: SB 2159, SB 2177.

MOTION

REP. VIGESAA MOVED that the absent members be excused, which motion prevailed.

MOTION

REP. VIGESAA MOVED that the House be on the Fourth, Fifth, Ninth, and Thirteenth orders of business and at the conclusion of those orders, the House stand adjourned until 9:00 a.m., Wednesday, February 25, 2015, which motion prevailed.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1002: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (19 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1002 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, replace lines 15 through 21 with:

"Salaries and wages	\$9,851,552	\$1,593,693	\$11,445,245
Accrued leave payments	531,696	(531,696)	0
Operating expenses	2,754,254	253,745	3,007,999
Judges retirement	75,017	4,571	79,588
Guardianship monitoring program	<u>70,000</u>	<u>234,542</u>	<u>304,452</u>
Total general fund	\$13,282,519	\$1,554,855	\$14,837,374"

Page 2, replace lines 3 through 11 with:

"Salaries and wages	\$61,177,621	\$10,851,454	\$72,029,075
Accrued leave payments	2,399,277	(2,399,277)	0
Operating expenses	20,847,479	2,852,512	23,699,991
Capital assets	0	1,748,460	1,748,460
Judges retirement	500,936	(92,287)	408,649
UND central legal research	<u>80,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>80,000</u>
Total all funds	\$85,005,313	\$12,960,862	\$97,966,175
Less estimated income	<u>1,808,090</u>	<u>114,060</u>	<u>1,922,150</u>
Total general fund	\$83,197,223	\$12,846,802	\$96,044,025"

Page 2, replace lines 16 through 20 with:

"Judicial conduct commission and disciplinary board	\$1,020,874	\$109,625	\$1,130,499
Total all funds	\$1,020,874	\$109,625	\$1,130,499
Less estimated income	<u>367,499</u>	<u>77,157</u>	<u>444,656</u>
Total general fund	\$653,375	\$32,468	\$685,843"

Page 2, replace lines 25 through 28 with:

"Grand total general fund	\$97,133,117	\$14,434,125	\$111,567,242
Grand total special funds	<u>2,175,589</u>	<u>191,217</u>	<u>2,366,806</u>
Grand total all funds	\$99,308,706	\$14,625,342	\$113,934,048
Full-time equivalent positions	363.00	28.00	391.00"

Page 3, replace lines 8 through 19 with:

"Office equipment and furniture	\$331,470	\$0
Information technology equipment	516,556	924,460
Juvenile case management system replacement study	90,000	0
Disaster recovery planning	95,000	0
Criminal justice information sharing publisher project	139,850	0
Disaster recovery project	0	2,171,672
Criminal case eFile initiation	<u>0</u>	<u>99,000</u>
Total general fund	\$1,172,876	\$3,195,132"

Page 4, line 13, replace "fifty-five" with "fifty-two"

Page 4, line 14, replace "three" with "four"

Page 4, line 14, replace "ninety-six" with "thirty-six"

Page 4, line 15, replace "sixty-three" with "fifty-seven"

Page 4, line 15, remove the overstrike over "nine"

Page 4, line 15, remove "one"

Page 4, line 15, overstrike "hundred"

Page 4, line 15, remove "sixty-six"

Page 4, line 16, replace "four" with "three"

Page 4, line 17, replace "sixty-two" with "seventy-seven"

Page 4, line 18, replace "six" with "five"

Page 4, line 18, replace "eighty-five" with "eight"

Page 4, line 22, replace "forty-two" with "thirty-nine"

Page 4, line 23, remove the overstrike over "six"

Page 4, line 23, remove "three"

Page 4, line 23, replace "ninety-two" with "seventy-nine"

Page 4, line 24, replace "forty-nine" with "forty-three"

Page 4, line 24, replace "five" with "eight"

Page 4, line 24, overstrike "eleven" and insert immediately thereafter "sixty-nine"

Page 4, line 28, remove "one"

Page 4, line 28, overstrike "hundred"

Page 4, line 28, replace "thirteen" with "thirty-five"

Page 4, line 29, replace "three" with "one"

Page 4, line 30, replace "nineteen" with "fifty-six"

Renumber accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

House Bill No. 1002 - Summary of House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Supreme Court			
Total all funds	\$13,282,519	\$1,554,855	\$14,837,374
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$13,282,519	\$1,554,855	\$14,837,374
District Courts			
Total all funds	\$85,005,313	\$12,960,862	\$97,966,175
Less estimated income	1,808,090	114,060	1,922,150
General fund	\$83,197,223	\$12,846,802	\$96,044,025
Judicial Conduct Commission			
Total all funds	\$1,020,874	\$109,625	\$1,130,499
Less estimated income	367,499	77,157	444,656
General fund	\$653,375	\$32,468	\$685,843
Bill total			
Total all funds	\$99,308,706	\$14,625,342	\$113,934,048
Less estimated income	2,175,589	191,217	2,366,806
General fund	\$97,133,117	\$14,434,125	\$111,567,242

House Bill No. 1002 - Supreme Court - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Salaries and wages	\$9,851,552	\$1,593,693	\$11,445,245
Operating expenses	2,754,254	253,745	3,007,999
Judges' retirement	75,017	4,571	79,588
Guardianship training	70,000	234,542	304,542
Accrued leave payments	531,696	(531,696)	
Total all funds	\$13,282,519	\$1,554,855	\$14,837,374
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$13,282,519	\$1,554,855	\$14,837,374
FTE	45.00	2.00	47.00

Department No. 181 - Supreme Court - Detail of House Changes

	Adds Funding for Base Payroll Changes ¹	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increases ²	Adds New Positions ³	Increases Operating Expenses ⁴	Adds Funding for Maintenance Costs for Information Technology ⁵	Total House Changes
Salaries and wages	\$721,531	\$489,414	\$382,748			\$1,593,693
Operating expenses				194,262	59,483	253,745
Judges' retirement	6,916	(2,345)				4,571
Guardianship training	191,374	11,924		31,244		234,542
Accrued leave payments	(531,696)					(531,696)
Total all funds	\$388,125	\$498,993	\$382,748	\$225,506	\$59,483	\$1,554,855
Less estimated income	0	0	0	0	0	0
General fund	\$388,125	\$498,993	\$382,748	\$225,506	\$59,483	\$1,554,855
FTE	0.00	0.00	2.00	0.00	0.00	2.00

¹ Funding is added for cost-to-continue 2013-15 biennium salaries and benefit increases and for other base payroll changes.

² The following funding is added for 2015-17 biennium performance salary adjustments of 2 to 4 percent per year for employees and 4 percent annual increases for Supreme Court Justices and increases in monthly health insurance premiums:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Health insurance increase	\$287,421		\$287,421
Salary increase - Performance	211,572		211,572
Total	\$498,993	\$0	\$498,993

³ The following funding and FTE are added:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
1 FTE guardian-related position	\$191,374		\$191,374
1 FTE account analyst position	191,374		191,374
Total	\$382,748	\$0	\$382,748

⁴ Funding is added for increased operating expenses.

⁵ Funding is added for increased information technology maintenance costs.

This amendment also adds or changes sections providing:

- Line item transfers as requested by the judicial branch.
- Four percent annual salary increases for Supreme Court Justices.

House Bill No. 1002 - District Courts - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Salaries and wages	\$61,177,621	\$10,851,454	\$72,029,075
Operating expenses	20,847,479	2,852,512	23,699,991
Capital assets		1,748,460	1,748,460
Judges' retirement	500,936	(92,287)	408,649
UND central legal research	80,000		80,000
Accrued leave payments	2,399,277	(2,399,277)	
Total all funds	\$85,005,313	\$12,960,862	\$97,966,175
Less estimated income	1,808,090	114,060	1,922,150
General fund	\$83,197,223	\$12,846,802	\$96,044,025
FTE	314.00	26.00	340.00

Department No. 182 - District Courts - Detail of House Changes

	Adds Funding for Base Payroll Changes ¹	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increases ²	Adds New Positions ³	Adds Funding for Increased Payments to Counties ⁴	Increases Funding for Juvenile Court Program Services ⁵	Adds Funding for Information Technology Costs ⁶
Salaries and wages	\$3,652,095	\$2,823,223	\$5,026,136			
Operating expenses				381,748	232,340	162,417
Capital assets						
Judges' retirement	(80,173)	(12,114)				
UND central legal research						
Accrued leave payments	(2,399,277)					
Total all funds	\$1,172,645	\$2,811,109	\$5,026,136	\$381,748	\$232,340	\$162,417
Less estimated income	201,737	3,239	0	0	0	0
General fund	\$970,908	\$2,807,870	\$5,026,136	\$381,748	\$232,340	\$162,417
FTE	0.00	0.00	26.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

	Adds Funding for Operating Expenses ⁷	Reduces Funding for Salaries and Wages ⁸	Adds One-Time Funding ⁹	Total House Changes
Salaries and wages		(\$650,000)		\$10,851,454
Operating expenses	629,335		1,446,672	2,852,512
Capital assets			1,748,460	1,748,460
Judges' retirement				(92,287)
UND central legal research				

Accrued leave payments				(2,399,277)
Total all funds	\$629,335	(\$650,000)	\$3,195,132	\$12,960,862
Less estimated income	(90,916)	0	0	114,060
General fund	\$720,251	(\$650,000)	\$3,195,132	\$12,846,802
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	26.00

¹ Funding is added for cost-to-continue 2013-15 biennium salaries and benefit increases and for other base payroll changes.

² The following funding is added for 2015-17 biennium performance salary adjustments of 2 to 4 percent per year for employees and 4 percent annual salary increases for judges and increases in monthly health insurance premiums:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Salary increase - Performance	\$1,318,214	\$3,239	\$1,321,453
Health insurance increase	1,489,656		1,489,656
Total	\$2,807,870	\$3,239	\$2,811,109

³ The following funding and FTE positions are added:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
2 FTE clerk of district court I positions	\$422,059		\$422,059
13 FTE clerk of district court II positions	1,851,480		1,851,480
4 FTE district judge positions	1,603,148		1,603,148
4 FTE court reporter positions	669,951		669,951
1 FTE paralegal position	161,962		161,962
1 FTE law clerk position	175,114		175,114
1 FTE electronic court recorder position	142,422		142,422
Total	\$5,026,136	\$0	\$5,026,136

⁴ Funding is added for increasing payments to counties for providing clerk of court services.

⁵ Funding is added for juvenile court program services.

⁶ Funding is added for increased information technology costs.

⁷ Funding is added for increases in operating expenses.

⁸ Funding for salaries and wages is reduced in anticipation of savings resulting from employee vacancies and turnover.

⁹ One-time funding is added for the following:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Information technology disaster recovery site	\$2,171,672		\$2,171,672
Information technology equipment over \$5,000	924,460		924,460
Criminal case eFiling initiation project	99,000		99,000
Total	\$3,195,132	\$0	\$3,195,132

This amendment also adds or changes sections providing:

- Two additional district court judges in the South Central Judicial District, one additional district court judge in the Southwest Judicial District, and one additional district court judge in the Northwest Judicial District.
- Four percent annual salary increases for district court judges.

	Budget	Changes	Version
Judicial conduct commission	\$1,020,874	\$109,625	\$1,130,499
Total all funds	\$1,020,874	\$109,625	\$1,130,499
Less estimated income	367,499	77,157	444,656
General fund	\$653,375	\$32,468	\$685,843
FTE	4.00	0.00	4.00

Department No. 183 - Judicial Conduct Commission - Detail of House Changes

	Adds Funding for Base Payroll Changes ¹	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increase ²	Adds Funding for Operating Expenses ³	Total House Changes
Judicial conduct commission	(\$28,843)	\$47,703	\$90,765	\$109,625
Total all funds	(\$28,843)	\$47,703	\$90,765	\$109,625
Less estimated income	28,660	0	48,497	77,157
General fund	(\$57,503)	\$47,703	\$42,268	\$32,468
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

¹ Funding is added for cost-to-continue 2013-15 biennium salaries and benefit increases and for other base payroll changes.

² The following funding is added for 2015-17 biennium performance salary adjustments of 2 to 4 percent per year and increases in monthly health insurance premiums:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Salary increase - Performance	\$30,431		\$30,431
Health insurance increase	17,272		17,272
Total	\$47,703	\$0	\$47,703

³ Funding is added for operating expense increases.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1003: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (18 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1003 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, after "system" insert "; to create and enact six new sections to chapter 15-10, chapters 15-62.4 and 15-62.5, and a new section to chapter 54-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a unified workforce, vocational, and technical education program system, the workforce education advisory council, the required use of electronic mail, file server administration, database administration, application server, and hosting services, capital project budget requests, audits of higher education computer systems, annual reports regarding scholarships, the student financial assistance program, the scholars program, and higher education audits"

Page 1, line 2, replace "sections" with "section 15-10-12.1, subsection 3 of section 15-10-17, sections"

Page 1, line 2, after "15-18.2-02" insert ", 15-18.2-03, 15-18.2-04"

Page 1, line 2, remove "15-62.2-02,"

Page 1, line 3, after "15.1-21-02.6" insert ", 54-12-08, and 54-44.1-04, subsection 4 of section 54-44.1-06"

Page 1, line 3, after "and" insert "section"

Page 1, line 3, after the first "to" insert "campus building projects and maintenance, legislative authority to set tuition and fees at institutions of higher education"

Page 1, line 4, remove "student financial assistance grants,"

Page 1, line 4, after "scholarships" insert ", attorneys hired by the state board of higher education, budget requests submitted to the office of the budget, preparation of budget data"

Page 1, line 5, after "appropriations" insert "; to repeal chapter 15-62.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the student financial assistance program and the scholars program"

Page 1, line 5, after "for" insert "the"

Page 1, line 6, remove "to authorize the"

Page 1, line 7, replace "state board of higher education to issue and sell bonds for capital projects" with "to provide for budget section reports; to provide for reports to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly; to provide for legislative management reports and studies; to provide an appropriation to the state auditor; to provide an appropriation to the attorney general; to provide a contingent appropriation to the state board of higher education; to provide exemptions;"

Page 1, line 13, replace "North Dakota university system" with "state board of higher education"

Page 1, line 13, remove "various"

Page 1, line 14, remove "state"

Page 1, line 14, replace "of higher education" with a comma

Page 1, line 15, replace "North Dakota university system office" with "state board of higher education"

Page 1, line 15, remove "to"

Page 1, line 15, remove "various"

Page 1, line 15, after "entities" insert "and institutions under the control of the board,"

Page 1, remove lines 17 through 24

Page 2, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 3, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 4, remove lines 1 through 30

Page 5, remove lines 1 through 30

Page 6, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 7, replace lines 1 through 3 with:

"Subdivision 1.

NORTH DAKOTA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM OFFICE

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Capital assets - bond payments	\$10,436,045	(\$2,067,209)	\$8,368,836
Competitive research program	7,050,000	0	7,050,000
System governance	12,666,502	(5,114,727)	7,551,775
Title II	1,006,472	0	1,006,472
Core technology services	38,662,551	7,390,980	46,053,531
Student financial assistance grants	21,245,679	4,388,597	25,634,276
Professional student exchange program	4,275,015	0	4,275,015
Academic and technical education	10,000,000	4,997,653	14,997,653

scholarships			
Two-year campus marketing	800,000	0	800,000
Scholars program	2,113,584	0	2,113,584
Native American scholarships	649,267	0	649,267
Tribally controlled community college grants	1,000,000	(500,000)	500,000
Education incentive programs	3,349,000	0	3,349,000
Student mental health	282,520	33,480	316,000
Veterans assistance grants	325,000	0	325,000
Deferred maintenance pool	0	5,000,000	5,000,000
Campus security pool	0	3,000,000	3,000,000
Open education resources training	0	110,000	110,000
Extraordinary repairs pool	0	11,162,008	11,162,008
Total all funds	\$113,861,635	\$28,400,782	\$142,262,417
Less estimated income	<u>2,299,912</u>	<u>(288,696)</u>	<u>2,011,216</u>
Total general fund	\$111,561,723	\$28,689,478	\$140,251,201
Full-time equivalent positions	112.91	(16.52)	96.39

Subdivision 2.

BISMARCK STATE COLLEGE

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$32,653,654	\$3,975,752	\$36,629,406
Capital assets	417,673	939,927	1,357,600
Total all funds	\$33,071,327	\$4,915,679	\$37,987,006
Less estimated income	0	0	0
Total general fund	\$33,071,327	\$4,915,679	\$37,987,006
Full-time equivalent positions	126.96	6.57	133.53

Subdivision 3.

LAKE REGION STATE COLLEGE

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$12,429,097	\$2,844,995	\$15,274,092
Capital assets	155,367	(155,367)	0
Total all funds	\$12,584,464	\$2,689,628	\$15,274,092
Less estimated income	0	0	0
Total general fund	\$12,584,464	\$2,689,628	\$15,274,092
Full-time equivalent positions	40.22	9.97	50.19

Subdivision 4.

WILLISTON STATE COLLEGE

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$12,783,506	(\$535,584)	\$12,247,922
Capital assets	197,801	87,199	285,000
Total all funds	\$12,981,307	(\$448,385)	\$12,532,922
Less estimated income	0	0	0
Total general fund	\$12,981,307	(\$448,385)	\$12,532,922
Full-time equivalent positions	44.15	5.81	49.96

Subdivision 5.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$149,683,005	\$12,074,256	\$161,757,261
Capital assets	4,411,566	57,830,019	62,241,585
Total all funds	\$154,094,571	\$69,904,275	\$223,998,846

Less estimated income	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total general fund	\$154,094,571	\$69,904,275	\$223,998,846
Full-time equivalent positions	633.60	(3.40)	630.20

Subdivision 6.

NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$140,341,540	\$10,545,417	\$150,886,957
Capital assets	<u>2,732,244</u>	<u>(1,140,818)</u>	<u>1,591,426</u>
Total all funds	\$143,073,784	\$9,404,599	\$152,478,383
Less estimated income	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total general fund	\$143,073,784	\$9,404,599	\$152,478,383
Full-time equivalent positions	491.21	45.89	537.10

Subdivision 7.

NORTH DAKOTA STATE COLLEGE OF SCIENCE

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$38,181,456	\$3,511,925	\$41,693,381
Capital assets	<u>1,012,379</u>	<u>(737,281)</u>	<u>275,098</u>
Total all funds	\$39,193,835	\$2,774,644	\$41,968,479
Less estimated income	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total general fund	\$39,193,835	\$2,774,644	\$41,968,479
Full-time equivalent positions	171.87	(3.57)	168.30

Subdivision 8.

DICKINSON STATE UNIVERSITY

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$26,299,227	(\$1,096,445)	\$25,202,782
Capital assets	<u>409,078</u>	<u>(409,078)</u>	<u>0</u>
Total all funds	\$26,708,305	(\$1,505,523)	\$25,202,782
Less estimated income	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total general fund	\$26,708,305	(\$1,505,523)	\$25,202,782
Full-time equivalent positions	100.32	19.94	120.26

Subdivision 9.

MAYVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$14,364,424	\$623,654	\$14,988,078
Capital assets	<u>358,992</u>	<u>(130,707)</u>	<u>228,285</u>
Total all funds	\$14,723,416	\$492,947	\$15,216,363
Less estimated income	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
Total general fund	\$14,723,416	\$492,947	\$15,216,363
Full-time equivalent positions	62.78	3.45	66.23

Subdivision 10.

MINOT STATE UNIVERSITY

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$43,810,211	\$2,980,534	\$46,790,745
Capital assets	<u>899,620</u>	<u>(899,620)</u>	<u>0</u>
Total all funds	\$44,709,831	\$2,080,914	\$46,790,745

Less estimated income	0	0	0
Total general fund	\$44,709,831	\$2,080,914	\$46,790,745
Full-time equivalent positions	201.76	2.34	204.10

Subdivision 11.

VALLEY CITY STATE UNIVERSITY

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$20,691,135	\$1,215,404	\$21,906,539
Capital assets	408,319	(165,081)	243,238
Total all funds	\$21,099,454	\$1,050,323	\$22,149,777
Less estimated income	0	0	0
Total general fund	\$21,099,454	\$1,050,323	\$22,149,777
Full-time equivalent positions	97.29	8.30	105.59

Subdivision 12.

DAKOTA COLLEGE AT BOTTINEAU

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$7,892,043	(\$18,821)	\$7,873,222
Capital assets	114,007	(85,550)	28,457
Total all funds	\$8,006,050	(\$104,371)	\$7,901,679
Less estimated income	0	0	0
Total general fund	\$8,006,050	(\$104,371)	\$7,901,679
Full-time equivalent positions	36.12	10.84	46.96

Subdivision 13.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA SCHOOL OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH SCIENCES

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$52,762,590	\$19,511,649	\$72,274,239
Total all funds	\$52,762,590	\$19,511,649	\$72,274,239
Less estimated income	0	0	0
Total general fund	\$52,762,590	\$19,511,649	\$72,274,239
Full-time equivalent positions	156.55	28.03	184.58

Subdivision 14.

NORTH DAKOTA FOREST SERVICE

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Operations	\$6,249,979	\$326,982	\$6,576,961
Capital assets	101,210	(44,962)	56,248
Total all funds	\$6,351,189	\$282,020	\$6,633,209
Less estimated income	1,650,000	0	1,650,000
Total general fund	\$4,701,189	\$282,020	\$4,983,209
Full-time equivalent positions	29.00	(0.04)	28.96

Subdivision 15.

BILL TOTAL

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Grand total general fund	\$679,271,846	\$142,614,291	\$821,886,137
Grand total special funds	3,949,912	(288,696)	3,661,216
Grand total all funds	\$683,221,758	\$142,325,595	\$825,547,353"

Page 7, replace lines 9 and 10 with:

"Capital projects - general fund	\$155,691,350	\$62,000,000
Capital projects - other funds	168,531,029	0"

Page 7, replace lines 13 and 14 with:

"Campus security pool	0	3,000,000"
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Page 7, replace line 16 with:

"Open education resource training	0	110,000"
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Page 7, replace line 25 with:

"Education challenge fund	29,000,000	0
School of medicine and health sciences residency positions	0	4,700,000"

Page 7, replace lines 28 through 30 with:

"Total all funds	\$394,389,098	\$95,696,995
Total other funds	<u>171,031,029</u>	<u>0</u>
Total general fund	\$223,358,069	\$95,696,995"

Page 8, after line 4, insert:

"SECTION 3. CONTINGENT APPROPRIATION - LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT REPORT. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$50,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the state board of higher education for the unified workforce, vocational, and technical education program system, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017. The funding provided in this section is available only if the state board of higher education certifies to the office of management and budget that a unified workforce, vocational, and technical program system has been established. The board shall provide reports to the legislative management on the status of the development of the unified system.

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - STATE AUDITOR. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$1,221,914, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the state auditor for the purpose of conducting audits of institutions and entities under the control of the state board of higher education, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017. The state auditor is authorized six full-time equivalent positions for higher education audit purposes.

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - ATTORNEY GENERAL. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$1,604,500, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the attorney general for the purpose of providing legal services for the state board of higher education and institutions and entities under the control of the board, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017. The attorney general is authorized six full-time equivalent positions for the purpose of providing legal services to the state board of higher education and institutions and entities under the control of the board.

SECTION 6. AMENDMENT. Section 15-10-12.1 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

15-10-12.1. Acceptance of buildings and campus improvements - Legislative approval.

The state board of higher education may authorize campus improvements and building maintenance on land under the control of the board ~~which are financed by donations, gifts, grants, and bequests~~ if the cost of the improvement or building maintenance is not more than three hundred eighty-five thousand dollars. The

consent of the legislative assembly is required for the construction, purchase, or receipt of any building financed by donations, gifts, grants, and bequests and for campus improvements or building maintenance financed by donations, gifts, grants, and bequests if the cost or estimated cost of the building, improvements, or maintenance is more than three hundred eighty-five thousand dollars. During the time the legislative assembly is not in session, except for the six months preceding the convening of a regular session and the three months following the close of a regular session, and unless otherwise restricted by previous legislative action or other law, the state board of higher education, with the approval of the budget section of the legislative management, may authorize the use of land under the control of the board and construct buildings financed by donations, gifts, grants, and bequests construction, purchase, or receipt of any building and may authorize campus improvements and building maintenance financed by donations, gifts, grants, and bequests and if the cost or estimated cost of the building, improvement, or maintenance is more than three hundred eighty-five thousand dollars. The budget section approval must include a specific dollar limit for each building, campus improvement project, or maintenance project. The state board of higher education may authorize the sale of any real property or buildings which an institution of higher learning has received by gift or bequest. The board shall prescribe such conditions for the sale of the property as it determines necessary. The conditions must include requiring an appraisal and public auction or advertisement for bids, unless the gift instrument requires a different process. If the state board of higher education submits a request for campus improvements, building maintenance, or to construct buildings under this section to the budget section for approval, the legislative council shall notify each member of the legislative assembly of the date of the budget section meeting at which the request will be considered and provide a copy of the meeting agenda to each member of the legislative assembly. The chairman of the budget section shall allow any member of the legislative assembly an opportunity to present testimony to the budget section regarding any such request.

SECTION 7. AMENDMENT. Subsection 3 of section 15-10-17 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

3. a. SetCharge tuition and fees in the amounts established by the legislative assembly.
- b. Charge fees subject to any statutory limitations or requirements.

SECTION 8. A new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Capital project requests - Maintenance reserve account.

Every new building project funding request and building maintenance funding request submitted for approval to the legislative assembly or to the budget section of the legislative management under section 15-10-12.1 must conform to campus master plan and space utilization studies completed by or for the state board of higher education. Each new building project request exceeding five million dollars must include a funding request for future maintenance costs equal to three percent of the project cost. The future maintenance funds must be deposited in an account under the control of the state board of higher education to be used only for future maintenance costs of buildings subject to this section.

SECTION 9. A new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Required use of electronic mail, file server administration, database administration, application server, and hosting services.

Each institution and entity under the control of the state board of higher education shall obtain electronic mail, file server administration, database administration, storage, application server, and hosting services through a delivery system established by the board. The board shall establish policies and guidelines for the delivery of services, including the transition from existing systems to

functional consolidation, with consideration given to the creation of efficiencies, cost-savings, and improved quality of service.

SECTION 10. A new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Audits of computer systems - Penalty.

1. Any auditor hired to conduct audits of the state board of higher education and the entities under the control and supervision of the board may:
 - a. Conduct a review and assessment of any computer system or related security system of the state board of higher education or any entity under the control and supervision of the board. A review and assessment under this section may include an assessment of system vulnerability, network penetration, any potential security breach, and the susceptibility of the system to cyber attack or cyber fraud.
 - b. Disclose the findings of a review and assessment to an individual or committee designated by the state board of higher education or to the board. Any record relating to a review and assessment, including a working paper or preliminary draft of a review and assessment report and a report of the findings of a review and assessment, and any record that may cause or perpetuate vulnerability of a computer system or related security system which is obtained or created during a review and assessment is an exempt record.
 - c. In conjunction with the state board of higher education or a committee designated by the board, procure the services of a specialist in information security systems or any other contractor deemed necessary in conducting a review and assessment under this section.
2. Any person hired or contracted to provide services in relation to a review and assessment under this section is subject to the privacy and confidentiality provisions of subsection 1 and any other section of law, including section 44-04-27, and for the purposes of section 12.1-13-01, is a public servant.

SECTION 11. A new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Unified workforce, vocational, and technical education program system.

The state board of higher education shall establish and maintain a unified system to offer workforce training, vocational education, and technical education programs at institutions under its control. The board shall periodically review programs offered by institutions under its control and revise program offerings based on the workforce needs of the state identified by the workforce education advisory council. The board shall develop administrative arrangements that make possible the efficient use of facilities and staff. The board shall limit administrative costs by eliminating duplicative administrative positions.

SECTION 12. A new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Workforce education advisory council - Membership - Duties.

The state board of higher education shall establish a workforce education advisory council to advise the board regarding skills and qualifications needed for workforce training, vocational, and technical education programs offered at institutions under the control of the board. The council is composed of a representative of the department of career and technical education, a representative of job service North Dakota, a representative of the department of commerce, and

eight members representing business and industry in the state. The eight members representing business and industry shall be appointed by the chairman of the legislative management. The North Dakota university system office shall provide staff services for the advisory council and members of the council who are not employees of the state are entitled to expense reimbursement from the board, as provided by law for state officers, for attending meetings of the council.

SECTION 13. A new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Annual report - Scholarships.

The state board of higher education shall provide to the legislative management an annual report regarding the number of North Dakota academic scholarships and career and technical education scholarships provided and demographic information pertaining to the recipients."

Page 10, line 3, overstrike "2.3" and insert immediately thereafter "1.0"

Page 10, after line 9, insert:

"SECTION 15. AMENDMENT. Section 15-18.2-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

15-18.2-03. Credit completion factor - Determination.

1. ~~For~~Except as provided in subsections 2 and 3 of this section, for each institution under its control, the state board of higher education shall multiply the product determined under section 15-18.2-02 by a factor of:
 - a. ~~1.00 if the number of credit hours is at least 100,000;~~
 - b. ~~1.05 if the number of credit hours is at least 95,000 but less than 100,000;~~
 - c. ~~1.10 if the number of credit hours is at least 90,000 but less than 95,000;~~
 - d. ~~1.15 if the number of credit hours is at least 85,000 but less than 90,000;~~
 - e. ~~1.20 if the number of credit hours is at least 80,000 but less than 85,000;~~
 - f. ~~1.25 if the number of credit hours is at least 75,000 but less than 80,000;~~
 - g. ~~1.30 if the number of credit hours is at least 70,000 but less than 75,000;~~
 - h. ~~1.35 if the number of credit hours is at least 65,000 but less than 70,000;~~
 - i. ~~1.40 if the number of credit hours is at least 60,000 but less than 65,000;~~
 - j. ~~1.45 if the number of credit hours is at least 55,000 but less than 60,000;~~
 - k. ~~1.50 if the number of credit hours is at least 50,000 but less than 55,000;~~
 - l. ~~1.55 if the number of credit hours is at least 45,000 but less than 50,000;~~

- m. ~~1.60 if the number of credit-hours is at least 40,000 but less than 45,000;~~
 - n. ~~1.65 if the number of credit-hours is at least 35,000 but less than 40,000;~~
 - o. ~~1.70 if the number of credit-hours is at least 30,000 but less than 35,000;~~
 - p. ~~1.75 if the number of credit-hours is at least 25,000 but less than 30,000;~~
 - q. ~~1.80 if the number of credit-hours is at least 20,000 but less than 25,000;~~
 - r. ~~1.85 if the number of credit-hours is at least 15,000 but less than 20,000;~~
 - s. ~~1.90 if the number of credit-hours is at least 10,000 but less than 15,000;~~
 - t. ~~1.95 if the number of credit-hours is at least 5,000 but less than 10,000; and~~
 - u. ~~2.00 if the number of credit-hours is less than 5,000.~~
 - a. 1.00 if the number of credit-hours is at least 1,000,000;
 - b. 1.10 if the number of credit-hours is at least 400,000 but less than 1,000,000;
 - c. 1.15 if the number of credit-hours is at least 200,000 but less than 400,000;
 - d. 1.35 if the number of credit-hours is at least 100,000 but less than 200,000;
 - e. 1.50 if the number of credit-hours is at least 50,000 but less than 100,000; and
 - f. 1.75 if the number of credit-hours is less than 50,000.
2. If the square footage of an institution, when divided by the institution's weighted credit-hours results in a quotient greater than 5.00, the state board of higher education shall multiply the product determined under section 15-18.2-02 by a factor of 1.00. For purposes of this subsection, the square footage of an institution includes real property as determined by the state board of higher education in accordance with section 15-18.2-04.
3. If the number of credit-hours completed by an institution causes a decrease in the credit completion factor for that institution, the new credit completion factor shall not be in effect for calculation purposes for the first two fiscal years following the change.
4. For purposes of this section, the number of credit-hours must be those determined by the state board of higher education in accordance with section 15-18.2-01.

SECTION 16. AMENDMENT. Section 15-18.2-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

15-18.2-04. Institutional size factor - Determination.

1. For each institution under its control, the state board of higher education shall multiply the product determined under section 15-18.2-03 by a size factor of:
 - a. 1.0 if the square footage of the institution, when divided by the institution's weighted credit-hours results in a quotient of less than 5.00; or
 - b. ~~4.81.7~~ if the square footage of the institution, when divided by the institution's weighted credit-hours results in a quotient of 5.00 or more.
2. For purposes of this section, an institution's square footage:
 - a. Includes all real property owned by the state within an institution's perimeter, except for agricultural experiment stations, agricultural research extension centers, technology parks, and state agencies; and
 - b. Is determined as of June thirtieth in each odd-numbered year."

Page 10, line 16, replace "\$79.05" with "\$71.00"

Page 10, line 18, replace "\$120.32" with "\$105.10"

Page 10, line 18, remove the overstrike over "Dickinson state university;"

Page 10, line 19, after the semicolon insert "and"

Page 10, line 20, overstrike "\$98.75"

Page 10, line 20, remove "\$121.19"

Page 10, line 20, overstrike "in the case of Minot"

Page 10, line 20, remove "Dickinson"

Page 10, line 20, overstrike "state university;"

Page 10, line 21, overstrike "4."

Page 10, line 21, replace "\$132.58" with "\$112.46"

Page 10, line 22, overstrike "and"

Page 10, line 22, overstrike the semicolon and insert immediately thereafter an underscored comma

Page 10, line 23, overstrike "5. \$104.88"

Page 10, line 23, remove "\$138.69"

Page 10, line 23, overstrike "in the case of"

Page 10 remove lines 24 through 30

Page 11, replace lines 1 through 11 with:

"SECTION 18. Chapter 15-62.4 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

15-62.4-01. Student financial assistance program.

The state board of higher education shall administer the North Dakota student financial assistance program for the purpose of providing a grant to an individual who demonstrates significant financial need and who:

1.
 - a. Graduated from a high school in this state;
 - b. Graduated from a high school in a bordering state, pursuant to chapter 15.1-29;
 - c. Graduated from a nonpublic high school in a bordering state while residing with a custodial parent in this state; or
 - d. Completed a program of home education supervised in accordance with chapter 15.1-23;
2.
 - a. Is enrolled at an accredited institution of higher education in this state, provided the institution offers a program of instruction equal to at least two academic years; or
 - b. Because of a medically certifiable disability is enrolled at an accredited institution of higher education outside of this state which offers the individual special services or facilities not available in this state, provided the institution offers a program of instruction equal to at least two academic years; and
3. Is pursuing a course of study determined by the state board of higher education to be at least quarter-time.

15-62.4-02. Student financial assistance program - Criteria and procedures.

The state board of higher education shall adopt:

1. Criteria governing the application process;
2. Criteria governing the determination of financial need, which must include consideration of parental contributions to educational expenses;
3. Criteria governing the selection process; and
4. Procedures for providing fiscal control, fund accounting, and reports.

15-62.4-03. Student financial assistance program - Grants.

1. The state board of higher education shall provide to each eligible student a financial assistance grant in an amount not exceeding:
 - a. Nine hundred seventy-five dollars per semester; or
 - b. Six hundred fifty dollars per quarter.
2.
 - a. A student is not entitled to receive grants under this chapter for more than the equivalent of:
 - (1) Eight semesters of full-time enrollment; or
 - (2) Twelve quarters of full-time enrollment.
 - b. Notwithstanding subdivision a, a student is not entitled to receive a grant under this chapter after the student obtains a baccalaureate degree.

3. The board shall forward grants payable under this chapter directly to the institution in which the student is enrolled.

15-62.4-04. Student financial assistance program - Advisory board.

1. The student financial assistance advisory board is created for the purposes of:
 - a. Providing advice to the state board of higher education regarding the student financial assistance program; and
 - b. Functioning as a liaison between the state board of higher education and the institutions of higher education participating in the student financial assistance program.
2. a. The student financial assistance advisory board consists of:
 - (1) Three financial aid officers;
 - (2) A chief financial officer;
 - (3) A high school counselor; and
 - (4) A student enrolled at an institution of higher education in this state.

b. All members must be appointed by the state board of higher education.

c. All members other than the student must be employed by an educational institution in this state.

d. No more than one member may be employed by the same educational institution as another member.
3. The state board of higher education shall determine the terms of the student financial assistance advisory board members and establish any necessary rules of operation and procedure.
4. Each member of the student financial assistance advisory board is entitled to reimbursement for expenses, as provided by law for state officers, if the member is attending meetings or performing duties directed by the advisory board.

15-62.4-05. Student financial assistance program - Gifts and grants - Acceptance.

The state board of higher education may receive, administer, and expend moneys from public and private sources for the purposes of this chapter.

SECTION 19. Chapter 15-62.5 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

15-62.5-01. Scholars program.

The state board of higher education shall administer the scholars program for the purpose of providing a merit-based scholarship to an individual who:

1. a. Graduated from a high school in this state;
- b. Graduated from a high school in a bordering state, pursuant to chapter 15.1-29;
- c. Graduated from a nonpublic high school in a bordering state while residing with a custodial parent in this state; or

- d. Completed a program of home education supervised in accordance with chapter 15.1-23;
- 2. On the ACT, achieved composite scores that ranked the individual at or above the ninety-fifth percentile among those who took the ACT prior to July first in the calendar year preceding the individual's enrollment;
- 3. a. Is enrolled at an accredited institution of higher education in this state that offers a program of instruction equal to at least two academic years;
b. Because of a medically certifiable disability is enrolled at an accredited institution of higher education outside of this state that offers the individual special services or facilities not available in this state, provided the institution offers a program of instruction equal to at least two academic years; and
- 4. Is pursuing a course of study determined by the board to be full-time.

15-62.5-02. Scholars program - Criteria and procedures.

The state board of higher education shall adopt:

- 1. Criteria governing the application process;
- 2. Criteria governing the selection process, within the requirements of section 15-62.5-03; and
- 3. Procedures for providing fiscal control, fund accounting, and reports.

15-62.5-03. Scholars program - Ranking and selection of recipients.

- 1. The state board of higher education shall rank scholars program applicants by their ACT composite scores.
- 2. If two or more applicants have the same composite scores, they must be ranked by the numeric sum of their four scale scores on the ACT.
- 3. If two or more applicants have the same composite scores and the same numeric sum of the four scale scores, they must be ranked by the numeric sum of their English and mathematics scores.
- 4. The state board of higher education may establish additional criteria to rank applicants who have the same numeric sum of their English and mathematics scores.
- 5. Scholarships must be offered to applicants in descending order according to this ranking until available funds have been expended or until the pool of applicants has been exhausted.

15-62.5-04. Scholars program - Scholarship amounts - Stipends.

- 1. a. Each semester, the state board of higher education shall provide to an eligible student a scholarship in an amount not exceeding the tuition charged at the institution in which the student is enrolled, provided the amount may not exceed the highest undergraduate semester tuition charged at an institution of higher education under the control of the state board of higher education.
b. Each quarter the state board of higher education shall provide to an eligible student a scholarship in an amount not exceeding the tuition charged per quarter at the institution in which the student is enrolled, provided the amount may not exceed two-thirds of the highest undergraduate semester tuition charged at an institution of higher education under the control of the state board of higher education.

- c. For purposes of this subsection, the rates are calculated using a traditional fall and spring academic year.
- 2. The scholarships provided for under this section are conditioned on the student maintaining a 3.5 cumulative grade point average, based on a 4.0 grading system.
- 3. Any student eligible for a scholarship under this section is also eligible for a stipend in an amount not exceeding two thousand dollars annually. The state board of higher education may distribute the stipend on a semester or a quarter basis.
- 4. a. A student is not entitled to receive scholarships under this chapter for more than the equivalent of:
 - (1) Eight semesters of full-time enrollment; or
 - (2) Twelve quarters of full-time enrollment.
- b. Notwithstanding subdivision a, a student is not entitled to receive a scholarship under this chapter after the student obtains a baccalaureate degree.
- 5. The state board of higher education shall forward scholarships and stipends payable under this chapter directly to the institution in which the student is enrolled.

15-62.5-05. Use of scholarships and stipends - Refund policy.

Scholarships and stipends awarded under this chapter may be applied to defray tuition charges, fees, room and board charges, and the cost of books and supplies, and for any other expenses incidental to attending an institution of higher education. If an individual discontinues attendance before the completion of any semester or quarter for which a scholarship or stipend has been received, the individual is subject to the refund or repayment policy of the institution at which the individual was enrolled."

Page 11, line 22, after "of" insert "at least"

Page 11, line 22, after "2.75" insert "on a 4.0 scale"

Page 11, line 30, after "of" insert "at least"

Page 11, line 30, after "2.75" insert "on a 4.0 scale"

Page 12, line 5, remove "one thousand two hundred"

Page 12, line 6, replace "fifty" with "nine hundred seventy-five"

Page 12, line 8, after "of" insert "at least"

Page 12, line 8, after "2.75" insert "on a 4.0 grading scale"

Page 12, line 13, replace "eight hundred thirty-three" with "six hundred fifty"

Page 12, line 16, after "of" insert "at least"

Page 12, line 16, after "2.75" insert "on a 4.0 grading scale"

Page 12, line 24, replace "ten thousand" with "seven thousand eight hundred"

Page 14, after line 3, insert:

"SECTION 21. A new section to chapter 54-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

State board of higher education audits.

1. The state auditor shall employ an audit manager to perform all audit related functions of the state board of higher education, including the examination and evaluation of the adequacy and effectiveness of the board's governance, risk management, internal controls, and performance of constitutionally and statutorily required duties. The audit manager shall conduct audits, as determined appropriate by the state auditor, of each institution under the supervision and control of the state board of higher education. The audit manager shall consult with the state board of higher education, or a committee designated by the board, regarding audit plans, results of audit activities, and any other appropriate issue. This section does not require the state auditor to perform any duties that would compromise the auditor's independence under government auditing standards.
2. The audit manager may access and examine any record under the control of the state board of higher education. For purposes of reviewing records under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act [20 U.S.C. 1232g; 34 CFR 99] or any other federal privacy law, the audit manager must be considered an agent of the state board of higher education.
3. The state auditor may hire employees necessary to carry out the duties and responsibilities of this section. The state auditor may hire consultants to assist with any duties required under this section subject to approval by the legislative audit and fiscal review committee. The state board of higher education shall pay for the cost of any consultant approved under this section.

SECTION 22. AMENDMENT. Section 54-12-08 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

54-12-08. Assistant and special assistant attorneys general - Appointment - Revocation - Compensation.

After consultation with the head of the state department or institution or with the state board, commission, committee, or agency affected, the attorney general may appoint assistant or special assistant attorneys general to represent the state board, commission, committee, or agency. A state officer, head of any state department, whether elected or appointed, or state department, board, commission, committee, or agency may not employ legal counsel, and no person may act as legal counsel in any matter, action, or proceeding in which the state or any state department, board, commission, committee, or agency is interested or is a party, except upon written appointment by the attorney general. Workforce safety and insurance, the department of transportation, the state tax commissioner, the public service commission, the insurance commissioner, ~~the board of higher education~~, and the securities commissioner may employ attorneys to represent them. These entities shall pay the salaries and expenses of the attorneys they employ within the limits of legislative appropriations. The attorneys that represent these entities must be special assistant attorneys general appointed by the attorney general pursuant to this section. Absent good cause, the attorney general shall appoint as special assistant attorneys general licensed attorneys selected by these entities. The attorney general may revoke the appointment only for good cause or upon the request of the entity. Good cause means an inadequate level of experience, competence, or ethical standards. The powers conferred upon special assistant attorneys general are the same as are exercised by the regular assistant attorneys general, unless the powers are limited specifically by the terms of the appointment. Except as otherwise provided by this section, an appointment is revocable at the pleasure of the attorney general. The appointment may be made with or without compensation, and when compensation is allowed by the attorney general for services performed, the compensation must be paid out of the funds appropriated therefor. The attorney general may require payment for legal services rendered by any assistant or special assistant attorney general to any state official, board, department, agency, or commission and those entities shall make the required payment to the attorney general. Moneys received by the attorney general in payment for legal services

rendered must be deposited into the attorney general's operating fund. General fund moneys may not be utilized for the payment of legal services provided by the attorneys employed by the attorney general, except for those payments required of the department of human services, state department of health, and the state hospital.

SECTION 23. AMENDMENT. Section 54-44.1-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

54-44.1-04. Budget estimates of budget units filed with the office of the budget - Deadline.

The head of each budget unit, not later than July fifteenth of each year next preceding the session of the legislative assembly, shall submit to the office of the budget, estimates of financial requirements of the person's budget unit for the next two fiscal years, on the forms and in the manner prescribed by the office of the budget, with such explanatory data as is required by the office of the budget and such additional data as the head of the budget unit wishes to submit. The estimates of financial requirements for budget units under the control of the state board of higher education must be made using the same forms, supporting information, and documentation as other budget units. Any request for a new full-time or part-time permanent position included in a budget unit's estimate of its financial requirements for the next two fiscal years must include documentation justifying the need for the position. The documentation must describe the circumstances resulting in the need for the position and identify the number of hours the position will be involved in specific types of activities and the anticipated outcomes of the activities. The estimates so submitted must bear the approval of the board or commission of each budget unit for which a board or commission is constituted. The director of the budget may extend the filing date for any budget unit if the director finds there is some circumstance that makes it advantageous to authorize the extension. If a budget unit has not submitted its estimate of financial requirements by the required date or within a period of extension set by the director of the budget, the director of the budget shall prepare the budget unit's estimate of financial requirements except the estimate may not exceed ninety percent of the budget unit's previous biennial appropriation. The director of the budget or a subordinate officer as the director shall designate shall examine the estimates and shall afford to the heads of budget units reasonable opportunity for explanation in regard thereto and, when requested, shall grant to the heads of budget units a hearing thereon which must be open to the public.

SECTION 24. AMENDMENT. Subsection 4 of section 54-44.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

4. Detailed comparative statements of expenditures and requests for appropriations by funds, budget units and classification of expenditures, showing the expenditures for the previous biennium, the first fiscal year of the present biennium, the budget of the current biennium, and the governor's recommendation for appropriations for each budget unit for the next biennium, all distributed according to the prescribed classification of expenditures. Following the lists of actual and proposed expenditures of each budget unit there must be a brief explanation of the functions of the unit and comments on its policies and plans and on any considerable differences among the amounts recommended, with any descriptive, quantitative, comparative, and other data as to work done, unit costs, and like information as may be considered necessary or desirable. For capital outlay expenditures involving construction projects to be completed in two or more fiscal years, there must be shown the total estimated cost of each such project and the amount thereof recommended to be appropriated and expended in each ensuing fiscal year until completion of the project. Capital outlay needs may be projected for at least two years beyond the period covered by the budget. The detailed comparative statements of budget units under the control of the state board of higher education must include the same information presented for other budget units."

Page 15, after line 24, insert:

"SECTION 26. REPEAL. Chapter 15-62.2 of the North Dakota Century Code is repealed."

Page 15, line 27, after "part" insert "as provided in this section"

Page 15, line 29, remove "based on the recommendations"

Page 15, line 30, remove "of the commissioner of higher education"

Page 16, line 3, remove "the"

Page 16, line 3, replace "study" with "studies"

Page 16, after line 6, insert:

- "3. The campus security funding pool line item includes funding that must be used to address security needs at institutions based on campus risk and security assessments.
4. The extraordinary repairs funding pool line item includes funding that must be used to address infrastructure needs at institutions and forest service facilities based on university system master plan and space utilization studies and identified needs of the forest service.

The state board of higher education may not transfer any funding from the deferred maintenance funding pool or the extraordinary repairs funding pool to an institution or entity under its control unless the institution or entity has submitted a comprehensive space utilization study to the board. The comprehensive space utilization study must include a review of current space for instruction, academic support, student services, and administration; the current utilization of each type of space; and the projected future needs for each type of space. The state board of higher education shall provide reports to the legislative management during the 2015-16 interim regarding distributions from the deferred maintenance, campus security, and extraordinary repairs funding pools."

Page 16, line 14, after "**REAUTHORIZATION**" insert "- **BUDGET SECTION REPORT**"

Page 17, line 7, remove "based on the recommendation of the commissioner of higher education"

Page 17, line 22, after "**EXEMPTION**" insert "- **CONTINGENT APPROPRIATION REDUCTION**"

Page 17, line 24, remove "from this line item are available during the biennium beginning"

Page 17, remove lines 25 through 30

Page 18, remove line 1

Page 18, line 2, replace "legislative management regarding the distribution of funds from the performance funding pool" with "in this line item must be canceled by the office of management and budget on the effective date of this section. The office of management and budget shall reduce the general fund appropriation authority included in the system governance line item contained in subdivision 1 of section 1 of this Act in an amount equal to any appropriation used from the performance funding pool line item contained in section 1 of chapter 34 of the 2013 Session Laws"

Page 18, after line 2, insert:

"SECTION 36. EXEMPTION - TRANSFER - GRANT. The sum of \$750,000 from the general fund is appropriated in the capital assets line item in subdivision 5 of section 1 of chapter 34 of the 2013 Session Laws for the university of North Dakota school of medicine and health sciences Bismarck family practice center

skywalk project. Pursuant to section 54-44.1-11, \$200,000 of the unexpended appropriation authority for the project must be continued into the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017, and must be transferred to the university system office for the purpose of providing a grant to the North Dakota humanities council for the development of elementary and secondary civics education. Any remaining unexpended appropriation authority for the project is not subject to section 54-44.1-11 and the office of management and budget shall cancel the remaining unexpended appropriation authority on the effective date of this section.

SECTION 37. STATE FLEET REIMBURSEMENT - TRANSFER.

Notwithstanding any other provision of law, the university of North Dakota shall transfer the sum of \$375,000 to the department of transportation for costs associated with previous use by the institution of state fleet services motor coaches and North Dakota state university shall transfer the sum of \$375,000 to the department of transportation for costs associated with previous use by the institution of state fleet services motor coaches. The university of North Dakota and North Dakota state university shall transfer the funds as directed under this section to the department of transportation prior to January 1, 2016.

SECTION 38. STATE BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION - EVALUATION OF EMPLOYEES. The state board of higher education shall conduct or contract for comprehensive performance evaluations of the president and each individual designated as a vice president of an institution under the supervision and control of the board and of the commissioner of higher education and each individual within the university system office with the title of "vice chancellor". Each performance review must include participation and input from the individual's subordinates, peers, supervisors, and other appropriate individuals, as well as the individual being evaluated. Each performance review must include an analysis of the individual's contribution and performance in leadership, teamwork, interpersonal communication, management, contribution, work habits, interpersonal interaction, and accountability. Notwithstanding any provision of law, any record created or collected in the conduct of a performance review under this section and the report of each performance review is a public record. This section does not apply to any individual who has served in their respective position for less than three years as of July 1, 2015.

SECTION 39. STATE BOARD OF HIGHER EDUCATION DATA INCONSISTENCIES - REPORT TO THE SIXTY-FIFTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

During the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017, the state board of higher education shall evaluate the following data inconsistency issues at institutions and entities under its control and develop policies and procedures to correct the inconsistencies:

1. Lack of integration of personal and demographic information among computer systems;
2. Lack of use of standard chart of accounts for financial reporting and standard department budget table deduction and tax override flags;
3. Absence of standard business processes for recording mandatory fees and for changing payroll funding source information;
4. Inconsistent methods and procedures at institutions for recording high school completions, identifying student cohorts for reporting purposes, and classifying agency funds;
5. Inconsistent practices and policies at institutions for awarding tuition waivers, admitting students, using purchasing card, charging tuition and fees, and accruing of faculty sick leave;
6. Inconsistent coding and naming for bad debt expense and journal entries;
7. Use of shadow accounting systems for reporting purposes; and

8. Inconsistent definitions for a distance education student, a resident student for tuition purposes, and a full-time student for federal tax purposes.

The state board of higher education shall provide a report to the appropriations committees of the sixty-fifth legislative assembly regarding the status of the inconsistencies, including policies and procedures implemented to correct the inconsistencies.

SECTION 40. HIGHER EDUCATION INSTITUTION PERMANENT FUNDS - REPORT TO SIXTY-FIFTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. The state board of higher education shall provide a report to the appropriations committees of the sixty-fifth legislative assembly regarding the use of funds received by institutions under its control from permanent fund income established for the benefit of the institutions in section 1 of article IX of the Constitution of North Dakota.

SECTION 41. EXTRAORDINARY CAMPUS NEEDS FUNDING - REPORT TO THE SIXTY-FIFTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. The operations line item in subdivision 4 of section 1 of this Act includes the sum of \$2,500,000 for extraordinary campus needs at Williston state college. Williston state college shall provide a report to the appropriations committees of the sixty-fifth legislative assembly regarding the use of this funding and the need to continue the funding in to the biennium beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2019.

SECTION 42. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - HIGHER EDUCATION COURSE DELIVERY METHODS. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying the delivery methods of higher education courses offered by institutions under the control of the state board of higher education. The study, if conducted, must include a review of current methods of distance education offered by institutions, options to improve delivery methods, revenue generated by each type of delivery method, and how course delivery methods may affect future campus infrastructure needs. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly.

SECTION 43. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - INSTITUTION MISSIONS. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall study the missions of all two-year institutions and the missions of any other institutions under the control of the state board of higher education, as determined by the legislative management, including the feasibility and desirability of the institutions offering only workforce and career and technical education programs. The study must review the current missions of the institutions, current and projected course and program enrollments, projected workforce needs, including how the institutions can serve the needs, and options to increase operating efficiencies. The legislative management shall report its findings, together with any legislation necessary to implement the findings, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly."

Page 18, remove lines 3 through 20

Page 18, line 21, replace "The" with "Sections 10, 27, 35, and 36 and the"

Page 18, line 21, after "assets" insert ", extraordinary repairs pool, campus security pool,"

Renumber accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

House Bill No. 1003 - Summary of House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
State Auditor			
Total all funds	\$0	\$1,221,914	\$1,221,914
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$1,221,914	\$1,221,914
Attorney General			

Total all funds	\$0	\$1,604,500	\$1,604,500
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$1,604,500	\$1,604,500
University System Office			
Total all funds	\$113,861,635	\$28,450,782	\$142,312,417
Less estimated income	2,299,912	(288,696)	2,011,216
General fund	\$111,561,723	\$28,739,478	\$140,301,201
Bismarck State College			
Total all funds	\$33,071,327	\$4,915,679	\$37,987,006
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$33,071,327	\$4,915,679	\$37,987,006
Lake Region State College			
Total all funds	\$12,584,464	\$2,689,628	\$15,274,092
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$12,584,464	\$2,689,628	\$15,274,092
Williston State College			
Total all funds	\$12,981,307	(\$448,385)	\$12,532,922
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$12,981,307	(\$448,385)	\$12,532,922
University of North Dakota			
Total all funds	\$154,094,571	\$69,904,275	\$223,998,846
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$154,094,571	\$69,904,275	\$223,998,846
UND Medical Center			
Total all funds	\$52,762,590	\$19,511,649	\$72,274,239
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$52,762,590	\$19,511,649	\$72,274,239
North Dakota State University			
Total all funds	\$143,073,784	\$9,404,599	\$152,478,383
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$143,073,784	\$9,404,599	\$152,478,383
State College of Science			
Total all funds	\$39,193,835	\$2,774,644	\$41,968,479
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$39,193,835	\$2,774,644	\$41,968,479
Dickinson State University			
Total all funds	\$26,708,305	(\$1,505,523)	\$25,202,782
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$26,708,305	(\$1,505,523)	\$25,202,782
Mayville State University			
Total all funds	\$14,723,416	\$492,947	\$15,216,363
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$14,723,416	\$492,947	\$15,216,363
Minot State University			
Total all funds	\$44,709,831	\$2,080,914	\$46,790,745
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$44,709,831	\$2,080,914	\$46,790,745
Valley City State University			
Total all funds	\$21,099,454	\$1,050,323	\$22,149,777
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$21,099,454	\$1,050,323	\$22,149,777
Dakota College at Bottineau			
Total all funds	\$8,006,050	(\$104,371)	\$7,901,679
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$8,006,050	(\$104,371)	\$7,901,679
Forest Service			
Total all funds	\$6,351,189	\$282,020	\$6,633,209
Less estimated income	1,650,000	0	1,650,000
General fund	\$4,701,189	\$282,020	\$4,983,209
Bill total			
Total all funds	\$683,221,758	\$142,325,595	\$825,547,353
Less estimated income	3,949,912	(288,696)	3,661,216
General fund	\$679,271,846	\$142,614,291	\$821,886,137

House Bill No. 1003 - State Auditor - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Higher education audit		\$1,221,914	\$1,221,914
	\$0	\$1,221,914	\$1,221,914

Total all funds			
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$1,221,914	\$1,221,914
FTE	0.00	6.00	6.00

Department No. 117 - State Auditor - Detail of House Changes

	Adds Higher Education Audit Positions ¹	Total House Changes
Higher education audit	\$1,221,914	\$1,221,914
Total all funds	\$1,221,914	\$1,221,914
Less estimated income	0	0
General fund	\$1,221,914	\$1,221,914
FTE	6.00	6.00

¹ Funding of \$1,221,914 and 6 full-time equivalent (FTE) positions are added to the State Auditor's office to conduct audits of the North Dakota University System. The new positions are to be filled based on a competitive hiring process. A section is also added to provide statutory provisions regarding the higher education audit duties and functions.

House Bill No. 1003 - Attorney General - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Higher education legal services		\$1,604,500	\$1,604,500
Total all funds	\$0	\$1,604,500	\$1,604,500
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$1,604,500	\$1,604,500
FTE	0.00	6.00	6.00

Department No. 125 - Attorney General - Detail of House Changes

	Adds Higher Education Legal Positions ¹	Total House Changes
Higher education legal services	\$1,604,500	\$1,604,500
Total all funds	\$1,604,500	\$1,604,500
Less estimated income	0	0
General fund	\$1,604,500	\$1,604,500
FTE	6.00	6.00

¹ Funding of \$1,604,500 and 6 FTE positions are added for the Attorney General's office to provide legal services to the University System. The new positions are to be filled based on a competitive hiring process. A section is also added to provide statutory changes regarding the employment of attorneys by the State Board of Higher Education.

House Bill No. 1003 - North Dakota University System - General Fund Summary

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
University System Office	111,561,723	28,739,478	140,301,201
Bismarck State College	33,071,327	4,915,679	37,987,006
Lake Region State College	12,584,464	2,689,628	15,274,092
Williston State College	12,981,307	(448,385)	12,532,922
University of North Dakota	154,094,571	69,904,275	223,998,846
UND Medical Center	52,762,590	19,511,649	72,274,239
North Dakota State University	143,073,784	9,404,599	152,478,383
State College of Science	39,193,835	2,774,644	41,968,479
Dickinson State University	26,708,305	(1,505,523)	25,202,782
Mayville State University	14,723,416	492,947	15,216,363
Minot State University	44,709,831	2,080,914	46,790,745
Valley City State University	21,099,454	1,050,323	22,149,777

Dakota College at Bottineau	8,006,050	(104,371)	7,901,679
Forest Service	4,701,189	282,020	4,983,209
Total general fund	\$679,271,846	\$139,787,877	\$819,059,723

Detail of House changes to the General Fund

	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increases and Adjusts FTE Positions ¹	Adjusts Funding for the University System Office ²	Adds Funding for Core Technology Services Initiatives ³	Increases Funding for Student Financial Assistance Programs ⁴	Removes Internal Audit and Legal Positions ⁵	Adds Campus Deferred Maintenance and Security Funding Pools ⁶
University System Office	\$2,095,253	(\$4,423,729)	\$5,799,800	\$9,386,250	(\$3,330,104)	\$8,000,000
Bismarck State College						
Lake Region State College						
Williston State College						
University of North Dakota						
UND Medical Center						
North Dakota State University						
State College of Science						
Dickinson State University						
Mayville State University						
Minot State University						
Valley City State University						
Dakota College at Bottineau						
Forest Service	326,982					
Total general fund	\$2,422,235	(\$4,423,729)	\$5,799,800	\$9,386,250	(\$3,330,104)	\$8,000,000

	Adds Contingent Appropriation for Unified Workforce Education ⁷	Removes Campus Assessments and Consolidates Services ⁸	Transfers Funding to Extraordinary Repairs Funding Pool ⁹	Provides Funding Formula and Base Level Adjustments ¹⁰	Adds Funding for UND School of Medicine and Health Sciences Initiatives ¹¹	Adds Funding for Capital Projects and Special Assessments ¹²
University System Office	\$50,000		\$11,162,008			
Bismarck State College		(39,822)	(417,673)	4,015,574		1,357,600
Lake Region State College		(12,086)	(155,367)	2,857,081		
Williston State College		(16,476)	(197,801)	(519,108)		285,000
University of North Dakota		(489,539)	(4,411,566)	12,563,795		62,241,585
UND Medical Center					19,511,649	
North Dakota State University		(265,418)	(2,732,244)	10,810,835		1,591,426
State College of Science		(38,329)	(1,012,379)	3,550,254		275,098
Dickinson State University		(27,603)	(409,078)	(1,068,842)		
Mayville State University		(19,864)	(358,992)	643,518		228,285
Minot State University		(54,831)	(899,620)	3,035,365		
Valley City State University		(50,616)	(408,319)	1,266,020		243,238
Dakota College at Bottineau		(8,368)	(114,007)	(10,453)		28,457
Forest Service			(44,962)			
Total general fund	\$50,000	(\$1,022,952)	\$0	\$37,144,039	\$19,511,649	\$66,250,689

	Total General Fund Changes
University System Office	\$28,739,478
Bismarck State College	4,915,679
Lake Region State College	2,689,628
Williston State College	(448,385)
University of North Dakota	69,904,275
UND Medical Center	19,511,649
North Dakota State University	9,404,599
State College of Science	2,774,644
Dickinson State University	(1,505,523)
Mayville State University	492,947
Minot State University	2,080,914
Valley City State University	1,050,323
Dakota College at Bottineau	(104,371)
Forest Service	282,020
Total general fund	\$139,787,877

House Bill No. 1003 - North Dakota University System - Other Funds Summary

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
University System Office	2,299,912	(288,696)	2,011,216
Bismarck State College			
Lake Region State College			
Williston State College			
University of North Dakota			
UND Medical Center			
North Dakota State University			

State College of Science		
Dickinson State University		
Mayville State University		
Minot State University		
Valley City State University		
Dakota College at Bottineau		
Forest Service	1,650,000	1,650,000
Total other funds	\$3,949,912	(\$288,696)
		\$3,661,216

Detail of House changes to Other Funds

	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increases and Adjusts FTE Positions ¹	Adjusts Funding for the University System Office ²	Adds Funding for Core Technology Services Initiatives ³	Increases Funding for Student Financial Assistance Programs ⁴	Removes Internal Audit and Legal Positions ⁵	Adds Campus Deferred Maintenance and Security Funding Pools ⁶
University System Office		(\$288,696)				
Bismarck State College						
Lake Region State College						
Williston State College						
University of North Dakota						
UND Medical Center						
North Dakota State University						
State College of Science						
Dickinson State University						
Mayville State University						
Minot State University						
Valley City State University						
Dakota College at Bottineau						
Forest Service						
Total other funds	\$0	(\$288,696)	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

	Adds Contingent Appropriation for Unified Workforce Education ⁷	Removes Campus Assessments and Consolidates Services ⁸	Transfers Funding to Extraordinary Repairs Funding Pool ⁹	Provides Funding Formula and Base Level Adjustments ¹⁰	Adds Funding for UND School of Medicine and Health Sciences Initiatives ¹¹	Adds Funding for Capital Projects and Special Assessments ¹²
University System Office						
Bismarck State College						
Lake Region State College						
Williston State College						
University of North Dakota						
UND Medical Center						
North Dakota State University						
State College of Science						
Dickinson State University						
Mayville State University						
Minot State University						
Valley City State University						
Dakota College at Bottineau						
Forest Service						
Total other funds	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

	Total Other Funds Changes
University System Office	(\$288,696)
Bismarck State College	
Lake Region State College	
Williston State College	
University of North Dakota	
UND Medical Center	
North Dakota State University	
State College of Science	
Dickinson State University	
Mayville State University	
Minot State University	
Valley City State University	
Dakota College at Bottineau	
Forest Service	
Total other funds	(\$288,696)

House Bill No. 1003 - North Dakota University System - All Funds Summary

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
University System Office	113,861,635	28,450,782	142,312,417

Bismarck State College	33,071,327	4,915,679	37,987,006
Lake Region State College	12,584,464	2,689,628	15,274,092
Williston State College	12,981,307	(448,385)	12,532,922
University of North Dakota	154,094,571	69,904,275	223,998,846
UND Medical Center	52,762,590	19,511,649	72,274,239
North Dakota State University	143,073,784	9,404,599	152,478,383
State College of Science	39,193,835	2,774,644	41,968,479
Dickinson State University	26,708,305	(1,505,523)	25,202,782
Mayville State University	14,723,416	492,947	15,216,363
Minot State University	44,709,831	2,080,914	46,790,745
Valley City State University	21,099,454	1,050,323	22,149,777
Dakota College at Bottineau	8,006,050	(104,371)	7,901,679
Forest Service	6,351,189	282,020	6,633,209
Total all funds	\$683,221,758	\$139,499,181	\$822,720,939
FTE	2304.74	117.61	2422.35

Detail of House changes to All Funds

	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increases and Adjusts FTE Positions ¹	Adjusts Funding for the University System Office ²	Adds Funding for Core Technology Services Initiatives ³	Increases Funding for Student Financial Assistance Programs ⁴	Removes Internal Audit and Legal Positions ⁵	Adds Campus Deferred Maintenance and Security Funding Pools ⁶
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Bismarck State College						
Lake Region State College						
Williston State College						
University of North Dakota						
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North Dakota State University						
State College of Science						
Dickinson State University						
Mayville State University						
Minot State University						
Valley City State University						
Dakota College at Bottineau						
Forest Service	326,982					
Total all funds	\$2,422,235	(\$4,712,425)	\$5,799,800	\$9,386,250	(\$3,330,104)	\$8,000,000
FTE	113.21	(1.00)	0.00	0.00	(15.60)	0.00

	Adds Contingent Appropriation for Unified Workforce Education ⁷	Removes Campus Assessments and Consolidates Services ⁸	Transfers Funding to Extraordinary Repairs Funding Pool ⁹	Provides Funding Formula and Base Level Adjustments ¹⁰	Adds Funding for UND School of Medicine and Health Sciences Initiatives ¹¹	Adds Funding for Capital Projects and Special Assessments ¹²
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Forest Service			(44,962)			
Total all funds	\$50,000	(\$1,022,952)	\$0	\$37,144,039	\$19,511,649	\$66,250,689
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	21.00	0.00

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Williston State College	(448,385)
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UND Medical Center	19,511,649
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Dickinson State University	(1,505,523)
Mayville State University	492,947
Minot State University	2,080,914
Valley City State University	1,050,323

Dakota College at Bottineau	(104,371)
Forest Service	282,020
Total all funds	\$139,499,181
FTE	117.61

¹ Funding is added for the following general fund salary and benefit adjustments for the University System office, Core Technology Services, and Forest Service:

	University System Office	Core Technology Services	Forest Service	Total
Cost-to-continue 2013-15 biennium salary and benefit adjustments	\$74,151	\$273,490	\$48,974	\$396,615
Three percent annual salary adjustments for the 2015-17 biennium	287,795	901,517	161,434	1,350,746
Health insurance premium increases	142,127	416,173	116,574	674,874
Total	\$504,073	\$1,591,180	\$326,982	\$2,422,235

The number of 2013-15 biennium authorized FTE positions is adjusted for institutions and entities under the control of the State Board of Higher Education by adding 113.21 FTE positions pursuant to Section 36 of 2013 Senate Bill No. 2003 which authorizes the board to adjust FTE positions as needed subject to the availability of funds.

² Funding for the University System office is adjusted as follows:

- General fund appropriations for capital bond payments are reduced by \$2,067,209 to reflect lower estimated bond payments.
- Federal funding of \$288,696 and 1 FTE position is transferred to the Department of Veterans' Affairs for the State Approving Agency.
- General fund appropriations for University System governance and operations are reduced by \$2 million.
- General fund appropriations for tribal college assistance grants are reduced from the base level of \$1 million to \$500,000.
- Funding from the general fund for student mental health services is increased by \$33,480.
- One-time funding from the general fund of \$110,000 is added for open educational resources training.

³ Funding from the general fund is added for the following Core Technology Services initiatives:

Initiative	Ongoing Funding	One-Time Funding	Total
Information technology security	\$152,900	\$1,350,000	\$1,502,900
Centralized document imaging	915,400	270,000	1,185,400
Predictive analytics reporting and other student success initiatives	1,910,000	181,500	2,091,500
Identity management system		1,020,000	1,020,000
Total	\$2,978,300	\$2,821,500	\$5,799,800

⁴ Funding is added for student financial assistance programs to:

- Increase the maximum student financial assistance grant award (needs-based aid) amount from \$1,650 per year to \$1,950 per year.
- Increase the academic and career and technical education scholarship award (merit-based aid) amount from \$1,500 per year to \$1,950 per year with a lifetime maximum of \$7,800.

Section 6 of the bill is amended to provide the statutory adjustments needed to increase the academic and career and technical education scholarship award amount. Sections are also added to repeal North Dakota Century Code Chapter 15-62.2 which relates to the student financial assistance grant program and the scholars program and to add two new chapters regarding the programs. The new chapters provide the statutory adjustments needed to increase the student financial assistance grant award amount and to provide clarification

regarding residency requirements for the programs and the ability to distribute awards on a semester or quarterly basis.

⁵ University System internal audit legal functions are removed as follows:

- General fund base funding of \$771,964 and 7 FTE internal audit positions are removed.
- General fund base funding of \$2,558,140 and 8.6 FTE legal positions are removed.

⁶ Funding is added for the following pools to be transferred by the State Board of Higher Education to institutions and entities under its control:

- A \$5 million deferred maintenance funding pool is added and is to be distributed to institutions based on campus master plan and space utilization studies.
- A \$3 million campus security pool is added and is to be distributed to institutions based on campus security and risk assessments.

Section 8 of the bill is amended to provide transfer authority for the funding pools.

⁷ A contingent appropriation of \$50,000 is added from the general fund for a unified system of workforce, vocational, and technical education. The appropriation is contingent upon the State Board of Higher Education certifying to the Office of Management and Budget that a unified system of workforce, vocational, and technical education has been established. The board is to provide reports to the Legislative Management regarding the status of establishing the unified system.

⁸ Funding is removed for the following campus assessments and consolidated services:

- Funding of \$431,627 previously used by campuses to pay internal audit assessments is removed.
- Funding of \$224,500 is removed from campus budgets for predictive analytics and student success programs.
- Funding of \$366,825 is removed from campus budgets for document imaging.

Funding for document imaging and predictive analytics and student success services is added to the University System office budget to provide consolidated systemwide services. Please see the "Adds Funding for Core Technology Services Initiatives" footnote for additional information.

⁹ Base funding for extraordinary repairs is transferred from campuses and the Forest Service to the University System office for an extraordinary repairs funding pool. Funds in the pool are to be distributed to campuses and the Forest Service based on campus master plan and space utilization studies and identified needs of the Forest Service.

¹⁰ The following funding adjustments are made based on the higher education funding formula and other adjustments:

	<u>General Fund</u>
Bismarck State College	\$4,015,574
Dakota College at Bottineau	(10,453)
Lake Region State College	2,857,081
North Dakota State College of Science	3,550,254
Williston State College	(519,108)
Dickinson State University	(1,068,842)
Mayville State University	643,518
Minot State University	3,035,365
Valley City State University	1,266,020
North Dakota State University	10,810,835
University of North Dakota	<u>12,563,795</u>
Total	\$37,144,039

The funding formula adjustments are based on 2011-13 biennium completed student credit hours. Sections are also added to the bill to provide for statutory adjustments to the funding

formula remedial education factor rate, credit completion factor rates, and institutional size factor rates.

The adjustments include the removal of \$2.5 million of base funding provided to Minot State University during the 2013-15 biennium for flood recovery needs.

¹¹ Funding is added for the following University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences initiatives:

	<u>General Fund</u>
RuralMed program	\$996,843
Health care workforce initiative (includes the addition of 21 FTE positions)	13,814,806
Residency positions	<u>4,700,000</u>
Total	\$19,511,649

The funding for the health care workforce initiative and residency positions is considered one-time funding.

¹² Funding from the general fund is added for Phase II of the University of North Dakota School of Medicine and Health Sciences facility project (\$62 million) and for special assessments payments at campuses (\$4,250,689).

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This amendment also:

- Amends Section 15-10-12.1 regarding legislative approval for campus building and maintenance projects.
- Amends Section 15-10-17 regarding the authority to set tuition and fees at institutions of higher education.
- Adds a new section to Chapter 15-10 to require capital projects to conform to University System master plan and space utilization studies and requires future capital project budget requests for new buildings over \$5 million to include a 3 percent funding request for future building maintenance costs.
- Adds a new section to Chapter 15-10 relating to consolidated use of electronic mail, file server administration, database administration, application server, and hosting services by higher education institutions.
- Adds a new section to Chapter 15-10 to exempt computer audit risk assessment results from open records requirements.
- Adds two new sections to Chapter 15-10 to create a unified workforce, vocational, and technical education program system and to create a workforce education advisory council.
- Amends Sections 54-44.1-04 and 54-44.1-06 to require budget requests of institutions and entities under the control of the State Board of Higher Education to include the same detailed information as budget requests of other state agencies.
- Amends Section 16 of the bill to cancel the appropriation authority provided for a 2013-15 biennium higher education performance funding pool.
- Cancels \$550,000 of 2013-15 biennium general fund appropriation for the University of North Dakota Bismarck Family Practice Center skywalk project and requires the remaining funding of \$200,000 to be provided as a grant for the development of civics curriculum.
- Requires University System institutions to reimburse the Department of Transportation for costs associated with previous use of State Fleet Services motor coaches.
- Requires comprehensive performance evaluations of the chancellor, vice-chancellors, institution presidents, and institution vice-presidents if the individuals have been employed in those positions for at least three years.
- Requires the State Board of Higher Education to address identified data inconsistency issues and report to the 65th Legislative Assembly regarding the status of the inconsistencies.
- Requires the State Board of Higher Education to provide a report to the appropriations committees of the 65th Legislative Assembly regarding the use of funds received by each campus from permanent constitutional fund income

distributions.

- Requires Williston State College to provide a report to the appropriations committees of the 65th Legislative Assembly regarding the use of extraordinary campus needs funding.
- Provides for a Legislative Management study of higher education course delivery methods.
- Provides for a Legislative Management study of the missions of institutions under the control of the State Board of Higher Education.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1012: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (23 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1012 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

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

Page 1, line 2, after the semicolon insert "to provide an appropriation to the state treasurer for allocations to townships in non-oil-producing counties;"

Page 1, line 2, replace "a transfer" with "transfers; to amend and reenact section 39-02-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to department of transportation motor vehicle branch offices; to provide legislative intent; to provide for legislative management studies"

Page 1, replace lines 12 through 20 with:

"Salaries and wages	\$187,477,585	\$20,909,550	\$208,387,135
Accrued leave payments	7,280,897	(7,280,897)	0
Operating expenses	376,721,715	18,452,036	395,173,751
Capital assets	727,911,207	374,774,753	1,102,685,960
Grants	79,788,030	(14,120,000)	65,668,030
Total special funds	\$1,379,179,434	\$392,735,442	\$1,771,914,876
Full-time equivalent positions	1,079.50	0.00	1,079.50"

Page 2, replace lines 2 through 16 with:

"General fund transfer to highway fund	\$541,600,000	\$0
Enhanced state highway investments	1,161,600,000	504,115,558
TIGER III federal railroad program	10,000,000	0
General license plate issue	6,820,000	0
Contingent general fund transfer to public transportation fund	1,100,000	0
Airplane replacement	4,500,000	0
Transportation distribution to oil-producing counties	160,000,000	0
Transportation distribution to non-oil-producing counties	120,000,000	0
Recreational road access	0	1,000,000
Vehicle registration and titling system replacement	0	2,500,000
Motor coach reimbursement from colleges	0	750,000
Total all funds	\$2,005,620,000	\$508,365,558
Total special fund	541,600,000	508,365,558
Total general fund	\$1,464,020,000	\$0"

Page 2, after line 25, insert:

"SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - TRANSFER - GENERAL FUND TO HIGHWAY FUND. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$504,115,558, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, which the office of management and budget shall transfer to the highway fund during the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017. The office of management and budget shall transfer the funds provided under this section to the state highway fund at the request of the director of the department of transportation. This appropriation is a one-time funding item.

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - TRANSFER - GENERAL FUND TO SPECIAL ROAD FUND. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$1,000,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, which the office of management and budget shall transfer to the special road fund during the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017. The office of management and budget shall transfer the funds provided under this section to the special road fund at the request of the director of the department of transportation. This appropriation is a one-time funding item.

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the strategic investment and improvements 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 the department of transportation for the purpose of one-time funding for the department of transportation's short line railroad program, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017.

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - STATE TREASURER. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$8,000,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the state treasurer for allocation to counties for allocation to or for the benefit of organized and unorganized townships in non-oil-producing counties, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017. The funding provided in this section must be distributed in February 2016. The state treasurer shall distribute the funds provided under this section to counties and the county treasurer shall allocate the funds to or for the benefit of townships in non-oil-producing counties through a one-time distribution of \$5,000 to each organized township and a one-time distribution of \$5,000 for each unorganized township to the county in which the unorganized township is located. For unorganized townships within the county, the board of county commissioners may expend an appropriate portion of revenues under this section for township roads or other infrastructure needs in those townships. A township is not eligible for an allocation of funds under this section if the township does not maintain any township roads. For the purposes of this section, a "non-oil-producing county" means a county that has received an allocation of funding under section 57-51-15 of less than \$5,000,000 in the state fiscal year ending June 30, 2014.

SECTION 8. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - CONTINGENT FUNDING FOR BUILDING AND NEW MAJOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY PROJECTS. It is the intent of the legislative assembly that the department of transportation refrain from using funds appropriated to the department of transportation in section 1 of this Act for construction or improvements to buildings and any new major information technology projects during the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017, unless the department receives at least the amount of federal highway construction funds that was anticipated by the sixty-fourth legislative assembly."

Page 3, line 2, replace "\$904,115,558" with "\$504,115,558"

Page 3, after line 17, insert:

"SECTION 13. AMENDMENT. Section 39-02-03 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

39-02-03. Powers and duties of director and department.

The director, ~~subject to the approval of the governor,~~ may adopt and enforce such administrative rules and designate such agencies and establish such branch offices as may be necessary to carry out the laws applicable to the director's office and department. The director shall provide suitable forms for applications, registration cards, license number plates, and all other forms requisite for the operation of the director's office and department, and shall prepay all transportation charges thereon. Branch office contracts entered into under this section may extend five years and may be renewed in accordance with this section. At the end of each current branch office contract term, the department shall consider entering into contracts with new branch office vendors. Notwithstanding any other provision of law,

the director may enter into direct negotiations and contract with qualified vendors to provide branch office services. The director may provide for a maximum fee schedule for the various services provided by the branch offices, not to exceed ten dollars for each service provided. Any branch office may establish a different fee schedule if the schedule does not contain a fee that exceeds a maximum fee established by the director and is approved by the director. All branch office managers must be bonded. The department may lease or provide office space or other costs as necessary to independent motor vehicle branch managers. All rents collected under this section must be deposited in the state highway fund. The department and the officers thereof shall enforce the provisions of all laws pertaining to the director and the department.

SECTION 14. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - SHORT LINE RAILROAD INFRASTRUCTURE. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying short line railroad expansion, spurs, switches, or other infrastructure enhancements and the effect of short line railroads on reducing commercial traffic on the state highway system. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly.

SECTION 15. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - HIGH-EFFICIENCY VEHICLES. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying the potential effect high-efficiency vehicles may have on the revenue generated from motor vehicle registration fees, special fuels taxes, special fuels excise taxes, and gasoline and gasohol taxes. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly.

SECTION 16. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - AUTOMATED MOTOR VEHICLE. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying potential statutory changes that may be necessary to accommodate the introduction or testing of automated motor vehicles in North Dakota and any automated corridors affecting North Dakota. "Automated motor vehicle" means a vehicle capable of operating in a full automation mode where full automation is defined by the Society of Automotive Engineers Standard, J3016, section 5.6 issued January 2014, as the unconditional, full-time performance by an automated driving system of all aspects of the dynamic driving task. The study may include research into the degree that automated motor vehicles could reduce traffic fatalities and crashes by reducing or eliminating driver error and the degree that automated motor vehicles could reduce congestion and improve fuel economy through better utilization of existing highway capacity and more efficient operation of the vehicles' acceleration and braking controls. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

House Bill No. 1012 - Summary of House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
State Treasurer			
Total all funds	\$0	\$8,000,000	\$8,000,000
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$8,000,000	\$8,000,000
Department of Transportation			
Total all funds	\$1,379,179,434	\$897,851,000	\$2,277,030,434
Less estimated income	1,379,179,434	392,735,442	1,771,914,876
General fund	\$0	\$505,115,558	\$505,115,558
Bill total			
Total all funds	\$1,379,179,434	\$905,851,000	\$2,285,030,434
Less estimated income	1,379,179,434	392,735,442	1,771,914,876
General fund	\$0	\$513,115,558	\$513,115,558

House Bill No. 1012 - State Treasurer - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Transportation distribution to townships		\$8,000,000	\$8,000,000
Total all funds	\$0	\$8,000,000	\$8,000,000
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$8,000,000	\$8,000,000
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00

Department No. 120 - State Treasurer - Detail of House Changes

	Adds Funding for Distribution to Townships in Non-Oil- Producing Counties ¹	Total House Changes
Transportation distribution to townships	\$8,000,000	\$8,000,000
Total all funds	\$8,000,000	\$8,000,000
Less estimated income	0	0
General fund	\$8,000,000	\$8,000,000
FTE	0.00	0.00

¹ One-time funding is added for a transportation distribution to organized and unorganized townships in non-oil-producing counties.

House Bill No. 1012 - Department of Transportation - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Salaries and wages	\$187,477,585	\$20,909,550	\$208,387,135
Operating expenses	376,721,715	18,452,036	395,173,751
Capital assets	727,911,207	374,774,753	1,102,685,960
Grants	79,788,030	(16,120,000)	63,668,030
Accrued leave payments	7,280,897	(7,280,897)	
General fund transfer to highway fund		504,115,558	504,115,558
General fund trans. to special road fund		1,000,000	1,000,000
Short line railroad program		2,000,000	2,000,000
Total all funds	\$1,379,179,434	\$897,851,000	\$2,277,030,434
Less estimated income	1,379,179,434	392,735,442	1,771,914,876
General fund	\$0	\$505,115,558	\$505,115,558
FTE	1079.50	0.00	1079.50

Department No. 801 - Department of Transportation - Detail of House Changes

	Adds Funding for Base Payroll Changes ¹	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increases ²	Adjusts Base Level Funding ³	Adds One-Time Funding for Enhanced State Infrastructure Investments ⁴	Adds One-Time Funding for Recreational Road Access Improvements ⁵	Adds One-Time Funding for Motor Coach Reimbursement from Colleges ⁶
Salaries and wages	\$9,190,542	\$11,719,008				
Operating expenses			(81,547,964)	97,500,000		
Capital assets			(32,840,805)	406,615,558	1,000,000	
Grants			(16,870,000)			750,000
Accrued leave payments	(7,280,897)					
General fund transfer to highway fund						
General fund trans. to special road fund						
Short line railroad program						
Total all funds	\$1,909,645	\$11,719,008	(\$131,258,769)	\$504,115,558	\$1,000,000	\$750,000
Less estimated income	1,909,645	11,719,008	(131,258,769)	504,115,558	1,000,000	750,000
	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0

General fund						
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	Adds One-Time Funding for Motor Vehicle Registration and Titling System⁷	Adds One-Time Funding for Short Line Railroad Program⁸	Transfers General Fund to Highway Fund⁹	Transfers General Fund to Special Road Fund¹⁰	Total House Changes	
Salaries and wages					\$20,909,550	
Operating expenses	2,500,000				18,452,036	
Capital assets					374,774,753	
Grants					(16,120,000)	
Accrued leave payments					(7,280,897)	
General fund transfer to highway fund			504,115,558		504,115,558	
General fund trans. to special road fund				1,000,000	1,000,000	
Short line railroad program		2,000,000			2,000,000	
Total all funds	\$2,500,000	\$2,000,000	\$504,115,558	\$1,000,000	\$897,851,000	
Less estimated income	2,500,000	2,000,000	0	0	392,735,442	
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$504,115,558	\$1,000,000	\$505,115,558	
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	

¹ Funding is added for cost-to-continue 2013-15 biennium salaries and benefit increases and for other base payroll changes.

² The following funding is added for 2015-17 biennium performance salary adjustments of 2 to 4 percent per year and increases in monthly health insurance premiums:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Salary increase - Performance		\$7,042,812	\$7,042,812
Health insurance increase		4,676,196	4,676,196
Total	\$0	\$11,719,008	\$11,719,008

³ Base level funding is adjusted as follows:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Increase funding for operating expenses		\$8,748,743	\$8,748,743
Increase funding for contract patching from \$82,935,780 to \$118,649,089		35,713,309	35,713,309
Adjust funding for grants		(16,870,000)	(16,870,000)
Remove 2013-15 biennium capital assets funding		(158,850,821)	(158,850,821)
Total	\$0	(\$131,258,769)	(\$131,258,769)

⁴ One-time funding is added from the highway fund for enhanced state infrastructure investments.

⁵ One-time funding is added from the special road fund for improvements to roads that lead to recreational areas.

⁶ Funding is provided from special funds transferred to the Department of Transportation from various state colleges related to a loss incurred on motor coaches used by those colleges.

⁷ One-time funding is provided to continue the motor vehicle registration and titling system project.

⁸ A section is added providing a one-time strategic investment and improvements fund appropriation for the Department of Transportation's short line railroad program.

⁹ A section is added providing a one-time general fund transfer to the highway fund to be used for enhanced state infrastructure investments.

¹⁰ A section is added providing a one-time general fund transfer to the special road fund for

improvements to roads that lead to recreational areas.

This amendment also:

- Provides legislative intent that the Department of Transportation refrain from using any of the funds appropriated to the department for the 2015-17 biennium for construction or repair of buildings or any new information technology improvements unless the department receives federal funding of at least the amount anticipated by the 64th Legislative Assembly.
- Amends North Dakota Century Code Section 39-02-03 regarding contracts between the Department of Transportation and branch offices.
- Provides for a Legislative Management study regarding short line railroad infrastructure.
- Provides for a Legislative Management study regarding high-efficiency vehicles.
- Provides for a Legislative Management study regarding automated motor vehicles.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1013: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (23 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1013 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, after the second semicolon insert "and"

Page 1, line 3, remove "; to amend and reenact sections 57-51-01 and 57-51-15 of the North Dakota Century"

Page 1, remove line 4

Page 1, line 5, remove "Dakota outdoor heritage fund; and to provide an effective date"

Page 1, replace lines 15 through 23 with:

"Salaries and wages	\$5,157,015	\$834,831	\$5,991,846
Accrued leave payments	108,541	(108,541)	0
Operating expenses	1,925,863	(29,491)	1,896,372
Contingencies	200,000	(100,000)	100,000
Energy infrastructure and impact office	<u>700,826</u>	<u>(327,414)</u>	<u>373,412</u>
Total all funds	\$8,092,245	\$269,385	\$8,361,630
Less estimated income	<u>8,092,245</u>	<u>269,385</u>	<u>8,361,630</u>
Total general fund	\$0	\$0	\$0
Full-time equivalent positions	31.00	1.00	32.00"

Page 2, line 3, remove "and the"

Page 2, line 4, remove "2015-17 one-time funding items included in the appropriation in section 1 of this Act"

Page 2, replace lines 6 through 15 with:

"Capital assets	\$65,550	\$0
Private lands study	50,000	0
Oil and gas impact grant fund distributions	<u>239,299,174</u>	<u>0</u>
Total all funds	\$239,414,724	\$0
Less estimated income	<u>239,414,724</u>	<u>0</u>
Total general fund	\$0	\$0"

Page 2, remove lines 25 through 31

Page 3, replace lines 1 through 8 with:

"Common schools	\$206,134,000
North Dakota state university	3,368,000
University of North Dakota	2,742,000

Youth correctional center	1,372,000
School for the deaf	1,180,000
State college of science	1,066,000
State hospital	1,078,000
Veterans' home	434,000
Valley City state university	570,000
North Dakota vision services - school for the blind	534,000
Mayville state university	382,000
Dakota college at Bottineau	78,000
Dickinson state university	78,000
Minot state university	78,000
Total	\$219,094,000"

Page 3, remove lines 9 through 31

Page 4, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 5, remove lines 1 through 30

Page 6, remove lines 1 through 30

Page 7, remove lines 1 through 30

Page 8, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 9, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 10, remove lines 1 through 30

Page 11, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 12, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 13, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 14, remove lines 1 through 31

Page 15, remove lines 1 through 27

ReNUMBER accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

House Bill No. 1013 - Department of Trust Lands - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Salaries and wages	\$5,157,015	\$834,831	\$5,991,846
Operating expenses	1,925,863	(29,491)	1,896,372
Energy infrastructure and impact office	700,826	(327,414)	373,412
Contingencies	200,000	(100,000)	100,000
Accrued leave payments	108,541	(108,541)	
Total all funds	\$8,092,245	\$269,385	\$8,361,630
Less estimated income	8,092,245	269,385	8,361,630
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$0
FTE	31.00	1.00	32.00

Department No. 226 - Department of Trust Lands - Detail of House Changes

	Adjusts Funding for Base Payroll Changes ¹	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increases ²	Adds Funding for Land Management Position ³	Decreases Funding for Operating Expenses ⁴	Decreases Funding for Contingencies ⁵	Total House Changes
Salaries and wages	\$322,046	\$347,772	\$165,013			\$834,831
Operating expenses			33,265	(62,756)		(29,491)
Energy infrastructure and impact	(244,763)	17,259		(99,910)		(327,414)

office						
Contingencies					(100,000)	(100,000)
Accrued leave payments	(108,541)					(108,541)
Total all funds	(\$31,258)	\$365,031	\$198,278	(\$162,666)	(\$100,000)	\$269,385
Less estimated income	(31,258)	365,031	198,278	(162,666)	(100,000)	269,385
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
FTE	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.00	1.00

¹ Funding is adjusted for cost-to-continue 2013-15 biennium salaries and benefit increases and for other base payroll changes.

² The following funding is added for 2015-17 biennium performance salary adjustments of 2 to 4 percent per year and increases in monthly health insurance premiums:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Salary increase - Performance	\$0	\$226,866	\$226,866
Health insurance increase	0	138,165	138,165
Total	\$0	\$365,031	\$365,031

³ Funding is added for 1.00 land management FTE position, of which \$165,013 is for salaries and wages and \$33,265 is for operating expenses.

⁴ Funding is reduced by \$162,666 for changes in operations, of which \$62,756 is for operating expenses and \$99,910 is for the energy infrastructure and impact office.

⁵ Funding for contingencies is reduced by \$100,000, from \$200,000 to \$100,000.

This amendment includes a section to provide for line item transfers and a section to provide for permanent fund income distributions to state institutions.

This amendment also removes a section related to the designation of oil and gas impact grants and removes two sections related to the allocation of oil and gas gross production tax revenue collections.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1015: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (21 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1015 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, replace the second "and" with "to provide an appropriation to the legislative council; to provide for a legislative management study;"

Page 1, line 2, after "for" insert "a"

Page 1, line 2, after "allocations" insert "pilot project; and to provide legislative intent"

Page 1, replace lines 12 through 18 with:

"Adult services	\$175,467,210	\$40,917,968	\$216,385,178
Youth services	28,604,526	2,867,534	31,472,060
Accrued leave payments	<u>4,639,529</u>	<u>(4,639,529)</u>	<u>0</u>
Total all funds	\$208,711,265	\$39,145,973	\$247,857,238
Less estimated income	<u>30,936,922</u>	<u>6,702,338</u>	<u>37,639,260</u>
Total general fund	\$177,774,343	\$32,443,635	\$210,217,978
Full-time equivalent positions	814.29	12.00	826.29"

Page 1, remove line 24

Page 2, replace lines 1 through 10 with:

"Security camera upgrade	\$0	\$202,500
Equipment	552,900	244,400

License plate issue	4,900,000	4,900,000
Capital projects	349,950	0
Information technology upgrades	652,900	616,144
Missouri River correctional center study	200,000	0
Extraordinary repairs	<u>1,683,296</u>	<u>1,425,267</u>
Total all funds	\$8,339,046	\$7,388,311
Less estimated income	<u>5,198,000</u>	<u>4,900,000</u>
Total general fund	\$3,141,046	\$2,488,311"

Page 2, after line 14, insert:

"SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$50,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the legislative council for the purpose of obtaining consulting services to assist with a legislative management study of incarceration issues, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017.

SECTION 4. RECIDIVISM REDUCTION REENTRY PROGRAM - PILOT PROJECT. The adult services line item in section 1 of this Act includes \$1,300,000 from the general fund for the recidivism reduction reentry program pilot project in Cass, Burleigh, Morton, and Williams Counties.

SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - INCARCERATION ISSUES. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall study the recidivism reduction reentry program pilot project, the prison day bed allocation pilot project, pretrial services, sentencing alternatives, treatment options, and other related issues. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly. To conduct the study, legislative management shall create an incarceration issues committee consisting of:

1. Two members of the house appropriations committee;
2. Two members of the senate appropriations committee;
3. One member of the house judiciary committee;
4. One member of the senate judiciary committee; and
5. Other members serving in a nonvoting advisory capacity include:
 - a. Two district court judges appointed by the chief justice of the supreme court;
 - b. The chief justice of the state supreme court, or a designee of the chief justice;
 - c. One local law enforcement official appointed by the governor from a city with a population greater than 10,000, based on the most recent decennial census;
 - d. One local law enforcement official appointed by the governor from a city with a population less than 10,000, based on the most recent decennial census;
 - e. One state's attorney appointed by the attorney general from a county with a population of 10,000 or more, based on the most recent decennial census;
 - f. One state's attorney appointed by the attorney general from a county with a population of less than 10,000, based on the most recent decennial census;
 - g. The attorney general, or a designee of the attorney general;

- h. The director of the department of corrections and rehabilitation; and
- i. One member appointed by the director of the department of corrections and rehabilitation.

Legislative management shall select the chairman and vice chairman of the committee. The committee shall meet quarterly, at the times and places as determined by the chairman. The legislative council shall provide staff services for the committee."

Page 2, line 15, after "**ALLOCATION**" insert "**- PILOT PROJECT**"

Page 2, line 16, replace "each North Dakota county" with "Cass, Burleigh, Morton, and Williams Counties"

Page 2, line 23, after the period insert "For the purposes of this section, the department shall exclude all inmates sentenced to more than seven years and inmates whose parole or probation has been revoked."

Page 2, line 26, replace "seventy-five" with "seventy"

Page 2, after line 30, insert:

"SECTION 7. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - CONTRACT HOUSING AND PROGRAMMING. It is the intent of the sixty-fourth legislative assembly that the department of corrections and rehabilitation give priority for the use of funding appropriated for contract housing and programming to contract with in-state local and regional facilities for the placement of overflow inmates for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017."

Renumber accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

House Bill No. 1015 - Summary of House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Legislative Council			
Total all funds	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000
Department of Corrections and Rehab.			
Total all funds	\$208,711,265	\$39,145,973	\$247,857,238
Less estimated income	30,936,922	6,702,338	37,639,260
General fund	\$177,774,343	\$32,443,635	\$210,217,978
Bill total			
Total all funds	\$208,711,265	\$39,195,973	\$247,907,238
Less estimated income	30,936,922	6,702,338	37,639,260
General fund	\$177,774,343	\$32,493,635	\$210,267,978

House Bill No. 1015 - Legislative Council - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Operating expenses		\$50,000	\$50,000
Total all funds	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000
Less estimated income	0	0	0
General fund	\$0	\$50,000	\$50,000
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00

Department No. 160 - Legislative Council - Detail of House Changes

Adds Funding for Incarceration	Total House Changes
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	Issues Study ¹	
Operating expenses	\$50,000	\$50,000
Total all funds	\$50,000	\$50,000
Less estimated income	0	0
General fund	\$50,000	\$50,000
FTE	0.00	0.00

¹ One-time funding of \$50,000 from the general fund is provided to the Legislative Council to obtain consulting services to assist with a Legislative Management study of incarceration issues.

House Bill No. 1015 - Department of Corrections and Rehab. - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Adult services	\$175,467,210	\$40,917,968	\$216,385,178
Youth services	28,604,526	2,867,534	31,472,060
Accrued leave payments	4,639,529	(4,639,529)	
Total all funds	\$208,711,265	\$39,145,973	\$247,857,238
Less estimated income	30,936,922	6,702,338	37,639,260
General fund	\$177,774,343	\$32,443,635	\$210,217,978
FTE	814.29	12.00	826.29

Department No. 530 - Department of Corrections and Rehab. - Detail of House Changes

	Adds Funding for Base Payroll Changes ¹	Adjusts State Employee Compensation and Benefits Package ²	Adds Funding for New FTE Positions ³	Increases Contract Housing and Programming and DWCR Contract ⁴	Adjusts Funding Relating to Energy Impact, Operating Fees, Services, and Grants ⁵	Adds Funding for Community Sex Offender Treatment ⁶
Adult services	\$7,753,367	\$6,529,703	\$2,166,923	\$8,493,102	\$47,332	\$1,865,810
Youth services	1,120,417	1,183,304	183,422		(126,963)	
Accrued leave payments	(4,639,529)					
Total all funds	\$4,234,255	\$7,713,007	\$2,350,345	\$8,493,102	(\$79,631)	\$1,865,810
Less estimated income	129,049	444,032	471,247	0	1,832,010	0
General fund	\$4,105,206	\$7,268,975	\$1,879,098	\$8,493,102	(\$1,911,641)	\$1,865,810
FTE	0.00	0.00	12.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

	Provides Funding for Extraordinary Repairs ⁷	Increases Funding for Professional and Medical Services ⁸	Adjusts Maintenance, Operations, and Equipment ⁹	Increases IT Funding ¹⁰	Adds Funding for Adult Recidivism Reduction Reentry ¹¹	Other Changes ¹²
Adult services	\$1,918,653	\$2,820,502	\$905	\$1,212,360	\$1,300,000	\$6,809,311
Youth services	47,197	230,934	115,400			113,823
Accrued leave payments						
Total all funds	\$1,965,850	\$3,051,436	\$116,305	\$1,212,360	\$1,300,000	\$6,923,134
Less estimated income	0	0	(1,074,000)	0	0	4,900,000
General fund	\$1,965,850	\$3,051,436	\$1,190,305	\$1,212,360	\$1,300,000	\$2,023,134
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

	Total House Changes
Adult services	\$40,917,968
Youth services	2,867,534
Accrued leave payments	(4,639,529)
Total all funds	\$39,145,973
Less estimated income	6,702,338
General fund	\$32,443,635
FTE	12.00

¹ Funding is added for cost-to-continue 2013-15 biennium salaries and benefit increases and for other base payroll changes.

² The following funding is added for 2015-17 biennium performance salary adjustments of 2 to 4 percent per year and increases in monthly health insurance premiums:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Salary increase - Performance	\$4,068,853	\$246,020	\$4,314,873
Health insurance increase	3,200,122	198,012	3,398,134
Total	\$7,268,975	\$444,032	\$7,713,007

³ Funding of \$2,484,058, including \$2,012,811 from the general fund and \$471,247 from other funds, is added for the following new FTE positions:

Position(s)	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
7 FTE parole and probation positions	\$1,235,327	\$0	\$1,235,327
1 FTE juvenile corrections specialist position	172,154	0	172,154
2 FTE adult services treatment positions	240,000	0	240,000
2 FTE JRCC central receiving positions	231,617	471,247	702,864
Total	\$1,879,098	\$471,247	\$2,350,345

⁴ Funding of \$6,243,102 from the general fund is added for contract housing and programming to provide a total of \$28,979,762. Funding of \$2,250,000 from the general fund is added to increase the contract with the Dakota Women's Correctional and Rehabilitation Center to provide a total of \$11,216,204.

⁵ The following funding adjustments are made:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Adjusts funding relating to energy impact, operating fees, services, and grants	(\$1,911,641)	\$1,422,282	(\$489,359)
Federal grant award changes	0	409,728	409,728
Total	(\$1,911,641)	\$1,832,010	(\$79,631)

⁶ Funding of \$1,865,810 from the general fund is added to transfer community sex offender treatment to the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation from the Department of Human Services. Funding for the program was removed from the Department of Human Services base budget.

⁷ Base funding is increased by \$540,583 and one-time funding of \$1,425,267 is provided from the general fund to provide a total of \$3,062,000 for extraordinary repairs, of which \$2,962,000 is from the general fund. Funding is provided for the following:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
YCC extraordinary repairs	\$360,000	\$0	\$360,000
MRCC extraordinary repairs	165,000	0	165,000
JRCC extraordinary repairs	756,000	0	756,000
State penitentiary extraordinary repairs	1,681,000	0	1,681,000
Roughrider Industries extraordinary repairs	0	100,000	100,000
Total	\$2,962,000	\$100,000	\$3,062,000

⁸ Funding of \$1,971,436 is added for increased professional and medical services and an additional \$1,080,000 from the general fund is provided for hepatitis C treatment.

⁹ Funding is provided for the following:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
State Penitentiary security camera upgrades	\$202,500	\$0	\$202,500
Remove prior biennium equipment	0	(1,300,000)	(1,300,000)
Add one-time funding for equipment over \$5,000	244,400	226,000	470,400
Increase facility maintenance and operations	743,405	0	743,405
Total	\$1,190,305	(\$1,074,000)	\$116,305

¹⁰ Base level funding for IT costs is increased by \$596,216 from the general fund and one-time funding of \$616,144 from the general fund is provided for a workforce scheduler IT project.

¹¹ Funding of \$1,300,000 from the general fund is added for an adult recidivism reduction reentry program pilot project in Cass, Burleigh, Morton, and Williams Counties.

¹² Other funding changes include:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Food and clothing increase	\$1,701,258	\$0	\$1,701,258
Travel cost increase	331,802	0	331,802
License plate issue	0	4,900,000	4,900,000
Bond payment reduction	(9,926)	0	(9,926)
Total	\$2,023,134	\$4,900,000	\$6,923,134

This amendment also:

- Provides for a recidivism reduction reentry program pilot project in Cass, Burleigh, Morton, and Williams Counties;
- Provides for a Legislative Management study of incarceration issues;
- Provides for a prison bed day allocation pilot project in Cass, Burleigh, Morton, and Williams Counties; and
- Provides legislative intent regarding contract housing and programming.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1018: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (18 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1018 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, remove "to amend and reenact section"

Page 1, remove line 3

Page 1, line 4, remove "experience opportunities;"

Page 1, remove lines 14 through 24

Page 2, replace lines 1 through 7 with:

"Salaries and wages	\$12,361,114	\$846,420	\$13,207,534
Accrued leave payments	243,767	(243,767)	0
Operating expenses	15,635,749	2,680,125	18,315,874
Capital assets	10,000	(10,000)	0
Grants	56,622,950	3,507,928	60,130,878
Discretionary funds	928,082	0	928,082
Workforce enhancement fund	0	1,000,000	1,000,000
Economic development initiatives	186,846	(186,846)	0
Flood impact grants/loans	0	12,859,869	12,859,869
Agricultural products utilization commission	3,240,494	79,524	3,320,018
Research North Dakota	0	4,000,000	4,000,000
North Dakota trade office	2,613,400	0	2,613,400
Entrepreneurship grants and vouchers	0	2,500,000	2,500,000
Partner programs	<u>2,022,044</u>	<u>100,000</u>	<u>2,122,044</u>
Total all funds	\$93,864,446	\$27,133,523	\$120,997,699
Less estimated income	<u>51,707,386</u>	<u>16,820,311</u>	<u>68,527,697</u>
Total general fund	\$42,157,060	\$10,312,942	\$52,470,002
Full-time equivalent positions	69.25	0.15	69.40"

Page 2, remove lines 13 through 31

Page 3, replace lines 1 through 7 with:

"Workforce enhancement fund	\$2,000,000	\$1,000,000
Flood impact grants/loans	18,358,866	12,859,869
Research North Dakota	12,000,000	4,000,000
Unmanned aircraft system	5,000,000	2,718,620
Base retention grants	1,500,000	1,500,000
Tourism large infrastructure grants	750,000	750,000
Visual North Dakota	250,000	0
Innovation grants	300,000	0

Federal fiscal stimulus	796,770	0
Enhanced use lease grant	2,500,000	2,500,000
Child care facility grants	0	1,875,000
Homeless shelter grants	0	1,000,000
Rural health services grant	0	0
Tribal community college grants	0	2,000,000
Nursing home grants	2,000,000	0
Value-added renewable energy study	500,000	0
Workplace safety training facility grant	0	2,000,000
Tourism midwest markets	0	1,000,000
Entrepreneurship grants and vouchers	0	1,000,000
Total all funds	\$45,955,636	\$34,203,489
Less estimated income	<u>23,655,636</u>	<u>15,359,869</u>
Total general fund	\$22,300,000	\$18,843,620

Page 3, line 14, after "safety" insert "training"

Page 3, line 14, remove "constructing a workplace safety"

Page 3, line 15, replace "training facility" with "acquiring land, site development, and design for a workplace safety training facility"

Page 3, remove lines 16 through 22

Page 3, line 31, replace "\$5,000,000" with "\$2,500,000"

Page 4, line 4, replace "\$2,500,000" with "funds for taxi-way reconnection and alert pad refurbishment"

Page 4, line 5, replace "a second" with "the first"

Page 4, line 6, replace "The remaining \$2,500,000" with "Funds"

Page 4, line 6, after "may" insert "also"

Page 4, line 6, after "awarded" insert "either"

Page 4, line 7, after "reached" insert "and construction commences for a second private sector single-tenant or multitenant building on the property or after an agreement is reached"

Page 4, line 7, replace "center" with "intensive tenant "

Page 4, line 8, after the period insert "The department of commerce shall establish accountability requirements for grants awarded under this section."

Page 4, line 10, replace "\$3,000,000" with "\$1,875,000"

Page 4, line 16, after "**PROGRAM**" insert "- **EXEMPTION**"

Page 4, line 21, after the period insert "The department shall use up to \$300,000 to provide a grant to a nonprofit organization entrepreneurial center assisting individuals with business ideas located in the city where the state capitol is located."

Page 5, replace lines 1 through 13 with:

"SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - ADJUTANT GENERAL. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$200,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the adjutant general for the purpose of coordinating and conducting joint training, involving the department of emergency services, federal health and human services' disaster mortuary operational response team, and other state and local emergency personnel, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017.

SECTION 10. DAKOTA DAY TRIPS PUBLICATION. The department of commerce shall use up to \$15,000 of the funding appropriated in the operating expenses line item in section 1 of this Act for expenses relating to the printing of the Dakota day trips publication."

Page 5, line 30, replace "\$1,550,000" with "\$1,500,000"

Page 7, replace lines 7 through 18 with:

"SECTION 22. EXEMPTION. Any amount continued pursuant to section 27 of chapter 49 of the 2013 Session Laws, relating to the antiballistic missile site acquisition grant and base realignment grant, that is unexpended as of June 30, 2015, up to \$600,000, is not subject to section 54-44.1-11 and is available during the biennium beginning July 1, 2015, and ending June 30, 2017. The department of commerce may use funds only for the purpose awarding a grant to assist in the acquisition and development of the antiballistic missile site at the Stanley R. Mickelson safeguard complex in Nekoma."

Page 7, line 19, replace "\$1,550,000" with "\$1,500,000"

ReNUMBER accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

House Bill No. 1018 - Department of Commerce - House Action

	Base Budget	House Changes	House Version
Salaries and wages	\$12,361,114	\$846,420	\$13,207,534
Operating expenses	15,635,749	2,680,125	18,315,874
Capital assets	10,000	(10,000)	
Grants	56,622,950	3,507,928	60,130,878
Discretionary funds	928,082		928,082
Economic development initiatives	186,846	(186,846)	
Ag products utilization commission	3,240,494	79,524	3,320,018
North Dakota trade office	2,613,400		2,613,400
Partner programs	2,022,044	100,000	2,122,044
Accrued leave payments	243,767	(243,767)	
Research North Dakota		4,000,000	4,000,000
Workforce enhancement fund		1,000,000	1,000,000
Flood impact grants/loans		12,859,869	12,859,869
Entrepreneurship grants and vouchers		2,500,000	2,500,000
Total all funds	\$93,864,446	\$27,133,253	\$120,997,699
Less estimated income	51,707,386	16,820,311	68,527,697
General fund	\$42,157,060	\$10,312,942	\$52,470,002
FTE	69.25	0.15	69.40

Department No. 601 - Department of Commerce - Detail of House Changes

	Adds Funding for Base Payroll Changes ¹	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increases ²	Adds Funding and .15 FTE ³	Adds Funding for Miscellaneous Changes ⁴	Adds Funding for Partner Programs ⁵	Provides Program Changes ⁶
Salaries and wages	\$18,454	\$754,734	\$11,276			
Operating expenses				1,229,021		171,187
Capital assets				(10,000)		
Grants				(300,000)		1,058,345
Discretionary funds						
Economic development initiatives						(186,846)
Ag products utilization commission	49,816	22,181		(49,817)		57,344
North Dakota trade office						
Partner programs				(100,000)	200,000	
Accrued leave payments	(243,767)					
Research North Dakota						
Workforce enhancement fund						
Flood impact grants/loans						
Entrepreneurship grants and vouchers						
	(\$175,497)	\$776,915	\$11,276	\$769,204	\$200,000	\$1,100,030

Total all funds						
Less estimated income	(465,785)	154,750	0	655,788	0	1,115,689
General fund	\$290,288	\$622,165	\$11,276	\$113,416	\$200,000	(\$15,659)
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00

	Adds Funding for International Tourism ⁷	Removes Grants Authorized in the 2013-15 Biennium ⁸	Creates Entrepreneur Grants Program ⁹	Adds One-Time Funding ¹⁰	Total House Changes
Salaries and wages				\$61,956	\$846,420
Operating expenses	247,836			1,032,081	2,680,125
Capital assets					(10,000)
Grants		(10,000,000)	(1,500,000)	14,249,583	3,507,928
Discretionary funds					
Economic development initiatives					(186,846)
Ag products utilization commission					79,524
North Dakota trade office					
Partner programs					100,000
Accrued leave payments					(243,767)
Research North Dakota				4,000,000	4,000,000
Workforce enhancement fund				1,000,000	1,000,000
Flood impact grants/loans				12,859,869	12,859,869
Entrepreneurship grants and vouchers			1,500,000	1,000,000	2,500,000
Total all funds	\$247,836	(\$10,000,000)	\$0	\$34,203,489	\$27,133,253
Less estimated income	0	0	0	15,359,869	16,820,311
General fund	\$247,836	(\$10,000,000)	\$0	\$18,843,620	\$10,312,942
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.15

¹ Funding is added for cost-to-continue 2013-15 biennium salaries and benefit increases and for other base payroll changes.

² The following funding is added for 2015-17 biennium performance salary adjustments of 2 to 4 percent per year and increases in monthly health insurance premiums:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Salary increase - Performance	\$388,513	\$96,460	\$484,973
Health insurance increase	233,652	58,290	291,942
Total	\$622,165	\$154,750	\$776,915

³ Funding is added to change a .85 tourism administrator FTE position to a 1.00 FTE position.

⁴ Funding is adjusted for:

	General Fund	Other Fund	Total
Inflationary costs	\$198,341		\$198,341
Miscellaneous changes	(173,947)	(\$71,572)	(245,519)
Operating costs	(32,334)	695,770	663,436
Prior biennium capital assets		(10,000)	(10,000)
American Indian Business Development Office - Transferred to Indian Affairs Commission	(100,000)		(100,000)
Business-related costs	221,356	41,590	262,946
Total	\$113,416	\$655,788	\$769,204

⁵ Funding is added for partner programs related to small business development programs to provide a total of \$2,122,044.

⁶ Program-related changes are made relating to the enhancement or reduction of services including:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Program changes	(\$76,299)	\$1,115,689	1,039,390
Community development block grant	160,640		160,640
Total	\$84,341	\$1,115,689	\$1,200,030

⁷ Funding is added for a new tourism marketing program in the United Kingdom, France, Italy, and the Benelux region.

⁸ Funding for the following grants authorized as ongoing funding in the 2013-15 biennium is removed:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Homeless shelters	(\$2,000,000)		(\$2,000,000)
Child care facilities	(2,600,000)		(2,600,000)
Tribal colleges	(5,000,000)		(5,000,000)
Rural health services	(400,000)		(400,000)
Total	(\$10,000,000)		(\$10,000,000)

⁹ An entrepreneurship grants and vouchers program is created as a separate line item.

¹⁰ One-time funding is added for the following:

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
Tourism marketing campaign in Midwest markets	\$1,000,000		\$1,000,000
Unmanned aerial systems	2,718,620		2,718,620
Research ND	4,000,000		4,000,000
Child care facility grant program	1,875,000		1,875,000
Tourism large infrastructure grants	750,000		750,000
Workforce enhancement grants	1,000,000		1,000,000
Base realignment grants	1,500,000		1,500,000
Tribal college grants	2,000,000		2,000,000
Entrepreneurial grants and vouchers	1,000,000		1,000,000
Homeless shelter grants	1,000,000		1,000,000
Workplace safety training facility grant	2,000,000		2,000,000
Enhanced use lease grant (strategic investment and improvements fund)		\$2,500,000	2,500,000
Community block grant disaster recovery (federal funds)		<u>12,859,869</u>	<u>12,859,869</u>
Total	\$18,843,620	\$15,359,869	\$34,203,489

This amendment also adds or changes sections providing:

- The workplace safety grant be used for acquiring land, site development, and design for a workplace safety training facility.
- Guidelines and requirements for enhanced use lease grants.
- Guidelines for the child care facility grant program, including matching requirements and a maximum grant award of \$187,500.
- For the establishment of an entrepreneurship grant and voucher program and that the department provide a grant to the idea center in Bismarck.
- An appropriation to the Adjutant General for \$200,000 from the general fund for coordinating and conducting emergency response training.
- The department use up to \$15,000 of its operating expenses line item for printing costs of the Dakota Day Trips publication.
- Authorization to continue previous appropriation authority of up to \$600,000 for an antiballistic missile site acquisition grant.
- An emergency clause for \$1.5 million in the operating expenses line for the operation intern program.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1043: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (20 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1043 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1049, as engrossed: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (21 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1049 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, after the semicolon insert "to amend and reenact subsection 2 of section 43-45-01 and subsection 2 of section 45-45-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the transfer of the authority of the board of addiction counseling examiners to the department of human services; to repeal sections 43-45-02, 43-45-03, and

43-45-05 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the board of addiction counseling examiners; to provide an appropriation; to provide a continuing appropriation;"

Page 1, after line 4, insert:

"SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Subsection 2 of section 43-45-01 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

2. "Board" means the ~~board~~department of addiction counseling examinershuman services.

SECTION 2. AMENDMENT. Subsection 2 of section 43-45-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

2. The board may:
 - a. Adopt rules under chapter 28-32 to implement this chapter.
 - b. Issue subpoenas, examine witnesses, and administer oaths, and may investigate allegations of practices violating the provisions of this chapter.
 - c. Recommend prosecution for violations of this chapter to the appropriate state's attorney.
 - d. Recommend that the attorney general bring civil actions to seek injunctive and other relief against violations of this chapter.
 - e. Collect fees for examinations, initial licensures, renewal of licenses, late renewals, private practice registrations, renewal of private practice registrations, approval of continuing education providers, and administrative fees. The fees must be established by rule in amounts necessary to compensate the board for administration and enforcement of this chapter.
 - f. ~~Employ persons to assist the board in carrying out its duties under this chapter."~~

Page 1, line 10, remove "unpaid"

Page 1, line 14, remove ", except that:"

Page 1, remove lines 15 through 19

Page 1, line 20, remove "that the individual serves as a licensed addiction counselor in this state"

Page 1, line 24, replace "twenty" with "five"

Page 2, line 1, remove "unpaid"

Page 2, after line 6, insert:

"SECTION 4. REPEAL. Sections 43-45-02, 43-45-03, and 43-45-05 of the North Dakota Century Code are repealed."

Page 2, line 9, replace "general" with "student loan trust"

Page 2, line 9, replace "\$800,000" with "\$150,000"

Page 2, line 12, replace "2" with "3"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1115: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1115 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1137, as engrossed: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (22 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1137 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1139: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (23 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1139 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to provide for a legislative management study.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - DICKINSON STATE UNIVERSITY STUDENT HOUSING. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying the feasibility and desirability of renovating of woods hall and purchasing other properties for student housing near Dickinson state university. If conducted, the study must consider enrollment trends, student housing need, the university system master plan and space utilization study, ability to repay debt incurred for the purchase, and anticipated deferred maintenance costs. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1178, as engrossed: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (20 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1178 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1205: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO NOT PASS** (12 YEAS, 11 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1205 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 10, replace "fifty" with "seventy-five"

Page 1, line 17, replace "fifty" with "seventy-five"

Page 2, line 4, replace "fifty" with "seventy-five"

Page 2, line 18, replace "fifty" with "seventy-five"

Page 3, line 2, replace "fifty" with "seventy-five"

Page 3, line 2, replace "one hundred" with "ninety"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1218, as engrossed: Education Committee (Rep. Nathe, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (7 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1218 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 22, after "3." insert "Beginning July 1, 2019, the superintendent of public instruction shall determine the amount of payments due to a school district and shall subtract from that the amount by which the unobligated general fund balance of the district on the preceding June thirtieth is in excess of twenty percent of its actual expenditures, or five hundred thousand dollars, whichever is greater.

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Page 2, line 22, remove the overstrike over "~~For purposes of this section, a district's unobligated general fund balance includes all~~"

Page 2, remove the overstrike over line 23

Page 3, line 2, remove "Beginning July 1, 2019, the superintendent of public instruction shall"

Page 3, remove lines 3 through 6

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1233: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO NOT PASS** (15 YEAS, 8 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1233 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, remove "; to provide an appropriation"

Page 1, remove lines 8 through 12

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1234, as engrossed: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (22 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1234 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 2, line 3, replace "eight" with "one"

Page 2, line 3, after "thousand" insert "six hundred ninety-seven"

Page 2, line 3, replace "two" with "one"

Page 2, line 3, after the second "hundred" insert "ninety"

Page 2, line 4, after "thousand" insert "five hundred forty-eight"

Page 2, line 4, remove "These amounts are inflated each succeeding year by the consumer"

Page 2, remove line 5

Page 2, line 19, remove ". The property rate"

Page 2, remove lines 20 through 31

Page 3, remove lines 1 and 2

Page 3, line 3, remove "for allowable real property costs"

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1274: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends

AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1274 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, after "sections" insert "43-32-02,"

Page 1, remove "and"

Page 1, line 2, remove "subsection 3 of section 43-32-16, and sections"

Page 1, line 4, after "the" insert "membership,"

Page 1, line 4, after "powers" insert an underscored comma

Page 1, line 4, remove "to direct"

Page 1, line 5, replace "the state board of psychologist examiners to provide education;" with "and "

Page 1, line 5, remove "; and to"

Page 1, line 6, remove "provide an appropriation"

Page 1, after line 7, insert:

"SECTION 1. AMENDMENT. Section 43-32-02 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

43-32-02. State board of psychologist examiners - How appointed - Qualifications.

The governor shall appoint a state board of psychologist examiners consisting of ~~five~~seven members. ~~At One board member must be designated a public member who is a resident of this state, is at least twenty-one years of age, and is not affiliated with any group or profession that provides or regulates health care in any form. Of the remaining six board members, at least one member must be engaged primarily in providing service in psychology, and at least one member must be engaged primarily in teaching, training, or research in psychology. Each~~Except the public member, each member must:

1. Be a resident of this state.
2. Be a psychologist licensed under this chapter.
3. Have received a doctorate degree in psychology from a school or college at least five years before appointment.
4. Have actively engaged in the practice of teaching or research of psychology for at least five years."

Page 2, line 9, after "renewal" insert ". which commences on January first"

Page 2, remove lines 23 through 26

Page 3, line 7, after the first "is" insert "a psychologist, is"

Page 3, line 7, after "analyst" insert an underscored comma

Page 4, line 17, remove the overstrike over "ø"

Page 4, line 18, after "board" insert "is certified by a professional organization that is identified by the board by rule"

Page 5, line 15, remove ". which may include the"

Page 5, remove line 16

Page 5, line 17, remove "the association of state and provincial psychology boards"

Page 12, line 14, after the semicolon insert "and"

Page 12, line 15, overstrike "Is credentialed as a behavior analyst by a board-approved credentialing entity,"

Page 12, overstrike line 16

Page 12, line 17, overstrike "d."

Page 13, remove lines 15 through 23

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1279: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (10 YEAS, 3 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1279 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of home and community-based services in North Dakota.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying home and community-based services in this state. The study must include consideration of home and community-based services and support systems that relate to chronic injury or illness, rehabilitation and recovery, aged or disabled individuals, and the scope of the study must include consideration of access, availability, and delivery of services. The study must include input from stakeholders, including representatives of law enforcement, social and clinical service providers, advocacy organizations, tribal government, state and local agencies and institutions, and representatives of caregivers in this state. The legislative management may contract for consulting and coordination of study services to assist the legislative management in conducting the home and community-based study. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1285, as engrossed: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (21 YEAS, 1 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1285 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, remove "provide a statement of legislative intent; and to"

Page 1, line 6, after "appropriated" insert "out of any moneys in the strategic investment and improvements fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated,"

Page 1, line 6, replace "\$2,000,000" with "\$650,000"

Page 1, line 10, remove "establish"

Page 1, replace lines 11 through 16 with "provide a grant of up to \$400,000 to a qualifying organization serving a community in a non-oil-producing county with a population exceeding 10,000 based on the most recent decennial census. The department shall require three dollars of nonstate funds for each one dollar of the grant funds awarded

up to \$400,000. The department shall provide a grant of up to \$250,000 to a qualifying organization serving a community in a non-oil-producing county with a population of 10,000 or fewer based on the most recent decennial census. The department shall require one dollar of nonstate funds for each one dollar of the grant funds awarded of up to \$250,000."

Page 1, remove lines 17 through 19

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1286, as engrossed: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (17 YEAS, 6 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1286 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1359, as engrossed: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (22 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). Engrossed HB 1359 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 2, remove "; and to provide an appropriation"

Page 1, line 18, remove "The limits may not fall below the direct care"

Page 1, remove line 19

Page 1, line 20, remove "established for the ninetieth percentile facility."

Page 1, line 23, replace "eighty-five" with "seventy"

Page 2, line 1, replace "eighty" with "seventy"

Page 2, remove lines 7 through 11

Renumber accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

This amendment removes the \$300,000 general fund appropriation which would have provided funds for implementing the basic care payment rate changes provided for in the bill and removes language for basic care payment rates which would have provided that the limits for the actual allowable historical operating cost per diem, based on cost reports of allowable operating costs, may not fall below the direct care rate established for the 95th percentile facility and the indirect care rate established for the 90th percentile facility. The amendment also adjusts the direct care rate limit to 70 percent of the average of the highest and lowest direct care rates during the preceding year and adjusts the indirect care rate limit to 70 percent of the average of the highest and lowest indirect care rates during the preceding year.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1396: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (11 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1396 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to provide student loan repayment programs for health care professionals; to repeal chapters 43-12.2 and 43-17.2 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to loan repayment programs for nurse practitioners, physician assistants, certified nurse midwives, and physicians; to provide for a continuing appropriation; and to provide for an application.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1.**Student loan repayment programs - Health care professionals.**

The health council shall administer student loan repayment programs, as established by this chapter, for healthcare professionals willing to provide services in cities that have a defined need for such services.

SECTION 2.**Application process.**

The health council shall develop an application process for cities seeking to fill health care needs and for healthcare professionals willing to provide necessary services in exchange for benefits under a student loan repayment program.

SECTION 3.**Cities - Selection criteria - Matching funds.**

1. The health council shall establish criteria to be used in selecting cities for participation in a program. The criteria must include:
 - a. The number of healthcare professionals, by specified field, already providing services in the city;
 - b. Access to healthcare services in the city and the surrounding area; and
 - c. The level of support from the city and the surrounding area.
2. The health council may consult with public and private sector entities in establishing criteria and evaluating needs based on the criteria.
3. A city may not be selected for participation unless it contractually commits to provide matching funds equal to the amount required for a loan repayment program in accordance with section 6 of this Act.

SECTION 4.**Cities - Eligibility for participation - Priority.**

In selecting cities for participation in a program, the health council shall give priority, in descending order, to those cities that meet the selection criteria, or to a practice with a focus on an underserved population and:

1. Have fewer than fifteen thousand residents;
2.
 - a. Have at least fifteen thousand residents, but fewer than thirty thousand residents; and
 - b. Do not belong to a metropolitan statistical area; or
3. Have at least thirty thousand residents.

SECTION 5.**Healthcare professionals - Selection criteria.**

1. The health council shall establish criteria to be used in selecting healthcare professionals for participation in a student loan repayment program. The criteria must include:
 - a. The healthcare professional's specialty;

- b. The need for the healthcare professional's specialty within a city;
 - c. The healthcare professional's education and experience;
 - d. The health care professional's date of availability and anticipated term of availability; and
 - e. The health care professional's willingness to accept medicare and Medicaid assignments, if applicable.
2. The health council shall give priority to healthcare professionals who graduated from an institution of higher education in this state.

SECTION 6.

Student loan repayment program - Contract.

1. The health council shall enter into a contract with a selected health care professional. The health council shall agree to provide student loan repayments on behalf of the selected health care professional subject to the requirements and limitations of this section.
- a. For a physician:
 - (1) The loan repayment must be equal to twenty thousand dollars per year; and
 - (2) The matching funds must equal fifty percent of the amount required in paragraph 1.
 - b. For a clinical psychologist:
 - (1) The loan repayment must be equal to twelve thousand dollars per year; and
 - (2) The matching funds must equal twenty-five percent of the amount required in paragraph 1.
 - c. For a nurse practitioner, physician assistant, or certified nurse midwife:
 - (1) The loan repayment must be equal to four thousand dollars per year; and
 - (2) The matching funds must equal ten percent of the amount required in paragraph 1.
 - d. (1) For a behavioral health professional:
 - (a) The loan repayment must be equal to four thousand dollars per year; and
 - (b) The matching funds must equal ten percent of the amount required in paragraph 1.
 - (2) For purposes of this subdivision, a behavioral health professional means an individual who practices in the behavioral health field and is:
 - (a) An advanced practice registered nurse;
 - (b) A licensed addition counselor;
 - (c) A licensed practical nurse;

- (d) A licensed professional counselor;
 - (e) A licensed social worker;
 - (f) A registered nurse; or
 - (g) A specialty practice registered nurse.
2. a. Payments under this section must be made on behalf of the health care professional directly to the Bank of North Dakota or to another participating lending institution.
- b. Except as otherwise provided, payments under this section may be made only at the conclusion of each twelve month period of service.
- c. Prorated payments may be made only if:
- (1) The repayment of the loan requires less than a full annual payment;
 - (2) The health care professional is terminated or resigns from his or her position; or
 - (3) The health care professional is unable to complete a twelve month period of service due to the individual's death, a certifiable medical condition or disability, or a call to military service.
3. Payments under this section terminate upon the earlier of:
- a. The full repayment of the health care professional's student loan; or
 - b. The completion of five years as a participant in the student loan repayment program.

SECTION 7.

Powers of the health council - Continuing appropriation.

1. The health council may:
- a. Receive and expend any gifts, grants, and other funds for the purposes of this program;
 - b. Participate in any federal programs providing for the repayment of student loans on behalf of health care professionals; and
 - c. Do all things necessary and proper for the administration of this chapter.
2. All moneys received by the health council under this section are appropriated to the health council on a continuing basis, to be used exclusively for the purposes of this Act.

SECTION 8. REPEAL. Chapters 43-12.2 and 43-17.2 of the North Dakota Century Code are repealed.

SECTION 9. APPLICATION. This Act applies to loan repayment contracts entered into on or after August 1, 2015. Any nurse practitioner, physician assistant, or certified nurse midwife loan repayment contract entered into before August 1, 2015, is governed by chapter 43-12.2, as it existed on July 31, 2015. Any physician loan repayment contract entered into before August 1, 2015, is governed by chapter 43-17.2, as it existed on July 31, 2015."

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1443: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Delzer, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (21 YEAS, 2 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1443 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, replace "6-09.4-49" with "6-09-49"

Page 1, line 2, after the first semicolon insert "to provide a statement of legislative intent;"

Page 1, line 2, remove "and"

Page 1, line 3, after "appropriation" insert "; to provide an effective date; and to provide an expiration date"

Page 1, line 7, after the bold period insert "**(Effective through June 30, 2017)**"

Page 1, line 13, replace "two" with "one and one-half"

Page 1, line 20, after the second semicolon insert "new construction and renovation of critical access hospitals."

Page 1, line 23, after "qualify" insert ", not to exceed seven million dollars for an eligible critical access hospital loan and not to exceed fifteen million dollars each for all other eligible loans. The total amount of loans issued for critical access hospitals may not exceed thirty-five million dollars. The Bank shall consider the applicant's ability to repay the loan when processing the application and shall issue loans only to applicants that provide reasonable assurance of sufficient future income to repay the loan"

Page 1, line 24, replace "rules" with "policies"

Page 2, line 13, replace "rules" with "policies"

Page 2, line 14, replace "rules" with "policies"

Page 2, after line 15, insert:

"(Effective after June 30, 2017) Infrastructure revolving loan fund - Continuing appropriation.

1. The infrastructure revolving loan fund is a special fund in the state treasury from which the Bank of North Dakota shall provide loans to political subdivisions for essential infrastructure projects. The Bank shall administer the infrastructure revolving loan fund. The maximum term of a loan made under this section is thirty years. A loan made from the fund under this section must have an interest rate that does not exceed one and one-half percent per year.
2. The Bank shall establish priorities for making loans from the infrastructure revolving loan fund. Loan funds must be used to address the needs of the community by providing critical infrastructure funding. Except as expressly provided under this section, a political subdivision may not use infrastructure revolving loan funds for capital construction. In addition to eligible infrastructure needs established by the Bank, eligible infrastructure needs may include new water treatment plants; new wastewater treatment plants; new sewer lines and water lines; new conduit for telecommunications infrastructure; new construction and renovation of critical access hospitals; and new storm water and transportation infrastructure, including curb and gutter construction.
3. In processing political subdivision loan applications under this section, the Bank shall calculate the maximum loan amount for which a qualified applicant may qualify, not to exceed seven million dollars for an eligible critical access hospital loan and not to exceed fifteen million dollars each

for all other eligible loans. The total amount of loans issued for critical access hospitals may not exceed thirty-five million dollars. The Bank shall consider the applicant's ability to repay the loan when processing the application and shall issue loans only to applicants that provide reasonable assurance of sufficient future income to repay the loan. The Bank may adopt policies establishing priorities for issuance of loans, setting additional qualifications for applicants, and establishing timelines addressing when a participating political subdivision may be required to make loan draws and the consequences of not meeting these timelines, and setting other guidelines relating to the loan program under this section.

4. The Bank shall deposit in the infrastructure revolving loan fund all payments of interest and principal paid under loans made from the infrastructure revolving loan fund. The Bank may use a portion of the interest paid on the outstanding loans as a servicing fee to pay for administrative costs which may not exceed one-half of one percent of the amount of the interest payment. All moneys transferred to the fund, interest upon moneys in the fund, and payments to the fund of principal and interest are appropriated to the Bank on a continuing basis for administrative costs and for loan disbursement according to this section.
5. The Bank may adopt policies and establish guidelines to supplement and leverage the funds in the infrastructure revolving loan fund. Additionally, the Bank may adopt policies allowing participation by local financial institutions.

SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - ELIGIBLE BORROWERS UNDER INFRASTRUCTURE REVOLVING LOAN FUND. If a political subdivision receives funds distributed by the state treasurer under subsection 1 or 4 of section 1 or by the department of transportation under subsection 1 of section 2 of Senate Bill No. 2103, as approved by the sixty-fourth legislative assembly, it is the intent of the sixty-fourth legislative assembly that political subdivision be ineligible to receive a loan under the infrastructure revolving loan fund until July 1, 2017. However, this section does not apply to loans for critical access hospitals.

SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - CRITICAL ACCESS HOSPITAL LOAN LIMITATION. It is the intent of the sixty-fourth legislative assembly that the total amount of loans associated with a critical access hospital issued from the medical facility infrastructure fund and the infrastructure revolving loan fund for the period beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2017, not exceed fifteen million dollars."

Page 2, line 24, replace "\$300,000,000" with "\$50,000,000"

Renumber accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

This amendment provides \$150 million for the infrastructure revolving loan fund, of which \$100 million is from Bank of North Dakota profits and \$50 million is from the strategic investment and improvements fund. This amendment also includes the following:

- Limits the interest rate to 1.5 percent for loans issued from the fund.
- Adds critical access hospitals to the list of eligible loans, limits critical access hospital loans to \$7 million per loan, and limits total critical access hospital loans issued to \$35 million.
- Limits all other eligible loans to \$15 million per loan.
- Allows new telecommunications conduit infrastructure to be eligible for loans after June 30, 2017.
- Provides legislative intent for eligible borrowers.

- Provides legislative intent to limit the total amount of loans associated with a critical access hospital issued from the medical facility infrastructure fund and the infrastructure revolving loan fund to \$15 million.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1459: Political Subdivisions Committee (Rep. Klemin, Chairman) recommends **AMENDMENTS AS FOLLOWS** and when so amended, recommends **DO PASS** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 1 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1459 was placed on the Sixth order on the calendar.

Page 1, line 1, after "A BILL" replace the remainder of the bill with "for an Act to provide for a legislative management study of use of a building authority or other methods to finance public building projects as an alternative to political subdivision bonding.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY - BUILDING AUTHORITIES AND OTHER FINANCING METHODS. During the 2015-16 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying use of a building authority or other methods to finance public building projects as an alternative to political subdivision bonding. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation necessary to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-fifth legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HCR 3037: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **DO PASS** and **BE PLACED ON THE CONSENT CALENDAR** (13 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3037 was placed on the Tenth order on the calendar.

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HCR 3038: Human Services Committee (Rep. Weisz, Chairman) recommends **DO NOT PASS** (8 YEAS, 5 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HCR 3038 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

FIRST READING OF HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS

Reps. Beadle, Dockter, Hanson, Looyson and Sen. Davison introduced:

HCR 3048: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study potential opportunities for the creation and utilization of public-private partnerships at institutions of higher education within the North Dakota University System, for the purpose of creating software engineering and development programs.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Education Committee**.

Reps. Beadle, Dockter, Steiner, Vigasaa and Sens. Miller, Poolman introduced:

HCR 3049: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study issues related to employment restrictions in public assistance programs.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Industry, Business and Labor Committee**.

Reps. Hanson, P. Anderson, Boschee, Guggisberg, Mock, Mooney, M. Nelson, Oversen and Sens. Axness, Oban introduced:

HCR 3050: A concurrent resolution to create and enact a new section to article XII of the Constitution of North Dakota, relating to precluding corporations from claiming the rights of natural persons and exerting influence on elections or legislation.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Judiciary Committee**.

Reps. Steiner, Kasper, Larson, Lefor, Ruby, Schatz and Sen. Miller introduced:

HCR 3051: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study all aspects of the development and implementation of the Common Core state standards, examine the strengths and weaknesses of the standards compared to those of other viable options, and clarify and define the role and function of this state in relation to the federal government with respect to the delivery of elementary and secondary education.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Education Committee**.

Reps. Oversen, Amerman, P. Anderson, Boschee, Delmore, Haak, Hanson, Mitskog and Sens. Heckaman, Holmberg, Nelson, Sinner introduced:

HCR 3052: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study all policies, procedures, supports, and services available at all public institutions of higher education in the state regarding sexual assault and related incidents.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Judiciary Committee**.

Reps. Oversen, Amerman, Froseth, Hanson, D. Johnson, Mitskog, M. Nelson, Onstad and Sens. Heckaman, Nelson, Sinner, Wardner introduced:

HCR 3053: A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Management to study American Indian student support and service programs at all institutions of higher education in the state, including recruitment and retention efforts, admissions standards, ancillary programs, cultural sensitivity training, financial aid programs, and all current funding and support providing services to American Indian students.

Was read the first time and referred to the **Education Committee**.

The House stood adjourned pursuant to Representative Vigesaa's motion.

Buell J. Reich, Chief Clerk

