Sixty-sixth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2156

Introduced by

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Senator Schaible

Representatives Rohr, Schmidt

- A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 39-04 of the North Dakota
 Century Code, relating to registration fees for motor vehicles and a driver's education fund; and
- 3 to provide a continuing appropriation.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 39-04 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

- Additional fee for motor vehicle registration Disposition of fees Driver's education fund Continuing appropriation.
 - In addition to any other fees required under this chapter for registration of a motor
 vehicle, the department shall impose on each motor vehicle registration and
 subsequent annual renewals a driver's education fee of one dollar twenty-five cents.
 - 2. The department shall deposit any moneys collected under subsection 1 in a special driver's education fund, which must be administered by the director superintendent of public instruction. Any moneys deposited into the fund must be used for:
 - a. Retaining and recruiting teachers who provide driver's education instruction in public and nonpublic schools in the state;
 - <u>b.</u> Reimbursing expenses incurred by public and nonpublic schools for necessary
 <u>driver's education curriculum materials, supplies, or equipment; and</u>
 - c. Purchasing equipment necessary for public and nonpublic schools to improve or effectively maintain an efficient driver's education curriculum.
 - 3. The director superintendent of public instruction shall adopt rules establishing the qualifications, application procedure, and guidelines for approval of disbursements to public and nonpublic schools pursuant to this section.

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1 Any moneys deposited in the driver's education fund, including any income derived 2 therefrom, are appropriated on a continuing basis to the department of public 3 instruction for the purposes listed in subsection 2. 4 <u>5.</u> As used in this section: 5 "Motor vehicle" means a passenger motor vehicle or a pickup truck. The term 6 does not include a motorcycle; 7 "Nonpublic school" means any school certified as approved under section b. 8 15.1-06-06.1; and 9 "Public school" means any school certified as approved under section <u>C.</u> 10 15.1-06-06.