

Fifty-fifth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1019**

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

(At the request of the Governor)

1 A BILL for an Act to make an appropriation for the distribution of state aid distribution fund  
2 revenue to political subdivisions of the state of North Dakota; and to provide a statement of  
3 legislative intent.

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

5 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the  
6 funds as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state aid  
7 distribution fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to the state treasurer of the  
8 state of North Dakota for the purpose of distributing state aid distribution fund revenue to  
9 political subdivisions, for the biennium beginning July 1, 1997, and ending June 30, 1999, as  
10 follows:

11 Grants	<u>\$ 51,500,000</u>
12 Total state aid distribution fund appropriation	\$ 51,500,000

13 **SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT.** It is the intent of the legislative assembly that if  
14 the amount appropriated in this Act, plus any amount transferred to the general fund pursuant  
15 to legislative authorization, is less than the amount deposited in the state aid distribution fund  
16 during the 1997-99 biennium, the legislative assembly shall provide a deficiency appropriation  
17 to local political subdivisions of the excess amount deposited and that the deficiency  
18 appropriation be for the 1997-99 biennium, and not be considered in appropriations for the  
19 1999-2001 biennium.