

**Fifty-sixth Legislative Assembly, State of North Dakota, begun in the Capitol in the City of Bismarck, on Tuesday, the fifth day of January, one thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine**

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3073  
(Representatives Aarsvold, Maragos, Poolman)  
(Senators DeMers, Schobinger)

A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study the feasibility and desirability of adjustments to income tax deductions for military and other federal retirees.

**WHEREAS**, the presence of military and other federal retirees in this state brings many benefits to the state, including a resource pool of skills acquired in a lifetime of public service, stimulation of the state economy, and an exemplary standard of achievement and conduct; and

**WHEREAS**, although the Legislative Assembly has recognized the benefit of having military and other federal retirees in residence in this state by enacting laws to provide income tax deductions for a portion of military and other federal retirement benefits, the value of these deductions has been eliminated for most taxpayers because they are available only on the long-form income tax return; and

**WHEREAS**, encouraging military and other federal retirees to remain residents of this state or to become residents of this state would enhance the state's economy and quality of life;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF NORTH DAKOTA, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:**

That the Legislative Council study the feasibility and desirability of adjustments to income tax deductions for military and other federal retirees; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Legislative Council report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation necessary to implement the recommendations, to the Fifty-seventh Legislative Assembly.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

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Secretary of State