

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

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4033
(Senators Krauter, Bowman, Lyson)
(Representatives Froelich, Kempenich, Lundgren)

A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to study outmigration of North Dakota residents.

WHEREAS, between 1990 and 1997, fourteen of North Dakota's counties have experienced a decrease in population of over 10 percent; and

WHEREAS, the United States Census Bureau estimates that between July 1, 1997, and July 1, 1998, North Dakota's population decreased by over 2,700, which translated into a -.4 percent decrease, the largest percentage decrease among the 50 states; and

WHEREAS, North Dakota's neighboring states have experienced increases in population between 1990 and 1998 ranging from approximately six to 10 percent;

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

That the Legislative Council study outmigration of North Dakota residents; and

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

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 1999,
at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State