

**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 BILL NO. 2016  
(Appropriations Committee)  
(At the request of the Governor)

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the division of emergency management; and to provide for the filing and paying of disaster claims relating to the spring 1997 Red River flooding.

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

**SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and other income, to the division of emergency management under the supervision of the adjutant general for the purpose of defraying its expenses, for the biennium beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2001, as follows:

Salaries and wages	\$2,298,200
Operating expenses	931,852
Equipment	186,653
Grants	<u>62,738,332</u>
Total all funds	\$66,155,037
Less estimated income	<u>65,230,947</u>
Total general fund appropriation	\$924,090

**SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION.** All federal funds received by the division of emergency management, for expenditures for projects at the university of North Dakota, in excess of those funds appropriated in section 1 of this Act are hereby appropriated for the biennium beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2001.

**SECTION 3. STATE HAZARDOUS MATERIAL PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE FUND.** The estimated income line item in section 1 of this Act includes \$248,799 from the state hazardous material preparedness and response fund for the biennium beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2001.

**SECTION 4. FINAL SETTLEMENT OF SPRING 1997 FLOOD DISASTER CLAIMS - EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, EMERGENCY COMMISSION, AND BUDGET SECTION APPROVAL.** Before September 1, 2001, all disaster claims resulting from the governor's disaster declaration relating to the spring 1997 flooding in the Red River valley must be presented for final payment unless otherwise authorized by the legislative assembly. During the 1999-2001 biennium, the division of emergency management may request that loans be made by the Bank of North Dakota to affected political subdivisions, including school districts, for only those disaster claims that have been approved by the division of emergency management, the emergency commission, and the budget section of the legislative council.

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Fifty-sixth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2016.

Senate Vote:    Yeas    47        Nays    1        Absent    1

House Vote:    Yeas    90        Nays    3        Absent    5

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Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 1999.

Approved at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 1999.

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Governor

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

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Secretary of State