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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3036 (Representatives Berg, Carlson, Kaldor, Svedjan) (Senators Grindberg, Stenehjem)

A concurrent resolution directing the Legislative Council to prepare and publish an annual pocket brochure of pertinent state economic indicators and state government statistics.

WHEREAS, North Dakota residents inquire about the status of the state's economy and the use of state tax dollars; and

WHEREAS, information on economic changes and trends is valuable for legislators to review to assist in the development of state taxation and spending policies; and

WHEREAS, information on the outcomes and results of state government programs is useful to measure the benefit of state government to the citizens; and

WHEREAS, other state legislatures publish documents providing pertinent state statistics and fiscal facts; and

WHEREAS, it is important for legislators to have quick access to key state economic indicators and pertinent state government fiscal information;

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

That the Legislative Council prepare and publish a pocket brochure of pertinent state economic and state government statistics and trends relating to economic data, including population, age distribution, percent of population in poverty, children in poverty, median home prices, gross state product, per capita personal income, state exports, jobs, employment/unemployment; state government budget data, including state tax burden and numbers of state employees; education data, including elementary, secondary, and postsecondary student performance; human services data, including program results; and public safety data, including numbers of inmates and recidivism rates; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Legislative Council arrange for this information to be updated and disseminated to each legislator annually.

 Speaker of the House
 President of the Senate

 Chief Clerk of the House
 Secretary of the Senate

 Filed in this office this ______ day of ______, 2009, at ______ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State