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1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15.1-36 of the North Dakota

- 2 Century Code, relating to a school construction assistance loan fund; to create and enact a new
- 3 section to chapter 54-52 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to a public employee
- 4 retirement stabilization fund; to provide for transfers; and to provide for a contingent effective
- 5 date.

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

- 7 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 15.1-36 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
- 8 and enacted as follows:
- 9 School construction assistance loan fund.
- The school construction assistance loan fund is a special fund in the state treasury. Moneys
- in the fund may be used only for low-interest school construction loans as designated by the
- 12 <u>legislative assembly. Any interest or other fund earnings must be deposited in the fund.</u>
- 13 **SECTION 2.** A new section to chapter 54-52 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
- 14 and enacted as follows:
- 15 <u>Public employee retirement stabilization fund.</u>
- The public employee retirement stabilization fund is a special fund in the state treasury.
- 17 Moneys in the fund may used by the legislative assembly only for the purpose of addressing
- 18 any unfunded retirement benefit obligations of public employee retirement plans. Any interest or
- 19 other fund earnings must be deposited in the fund.
- 20 SECTION 3. TRANSFER FOUNDATION AID STABILIZATION FUND TO SCHOOL
- 21 CONSTRUCTION ASSISTANCE LOAN FUND. During the period beginning July 1, 2016, and
- 22 ending June 30, 2017, the office of management and budget shall transfer the sum of
- 23 \$ from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the school construction assistance
- 24 loan fund.

1	SECTION 4. TRANSFER - FOUNDATION AID STABILIZATION FUND TO PUBLIC
2	EMPLOYEE RETIREMENT STABILIZATION FUND. During the period beginning July 1, 2016,
3	and ending June 30, 2017, the office of management and budget shall transfer the sum of
4	\$ from the foundation aid stabilization fund to the public employee retirement
5	stabilization fund.
6	SECTION 5. CONTINGENT EFFECTIVE DATE. Sections 3 and 4 of this Act are contingent
7	on the passage of Concurrent Resolution No by the sixty-fourth
8	legislative assembly and approval of that resolution by the voters of this state. If Sections 3
9	and 4 of this Act take effect, the sections become effective on July 1, 2016.