

**FISCAL NOTE**  
**Requested by Legislative Council**  
**01/09/2013**

Bill/Resolution No.: SB 2134

- 1 A. **State fiscal effect:** *Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.*

	2011-2013 Biennium		2013-2015 Biennium		2015-2017 Biennium	
	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds	General Fund	Other Funds
Revenues						
Expenditures						
Appropriations						

- 1 B. **County, city, school district and township fiscal effect:** *Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.*

	2011-2013 Biennium	2013-2015 Biennium	2015-2017 Biennium
Counties			
Cities			
School Districts			
Townships			

- 2 A. **Bill and fiscal impact summary:** *Provide a brief summary of the measure, including description of the provisions having fiscal impact (limited to 300 characters).*

The proposed legislation amends the definition of law enforcement officer to include full-time North Dakota Parks and Recreation department personnel appointed to peace officer status by the Director of North Dakota Parks and Recreation while they are in the employment of the department.

- B. **Fiscal impact sections:** *Identify and provide a brief description of the sections of the measure which have fiscal impact. Include any assumptions and comments relevant to the analysis.*

see attachment

3. **State fiscal effect detail:** *For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please:*

- A. **Revenues:** *Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.*

- B. **Expenditures:** *Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.*

- C. **Appropriations:** *Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency and fund affected. Explain the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations. Indicate whether the appropriation is also included in the executive budget or relates to a continuing appropriation.*

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**WORKFORCE SAFETY & INSURANCE**  
**2013 LEGISLATION**  
**SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL INFORMATION**

**BILL NO: SB 2134**

**BILL DESCRIPTION: Definition of Law Enforcement Officer**

**SUMMARY OF ACTUARIAL INFORMATION:** Workforce Safety & Insurance, together with its actuarial firm, Bickerstaff, Whatley, Ryan & Burkhalter Consulting Actuaries, has reviewed the legislation proposed in this bill in conformance with Section 54-03-25 of the North Dakota Century Code.

The proposed legislation amends the definition of law enforcement officer to include full-time North Dakota Parks and Recreation department personnel appointed to peace officer status by the Director of North Dakota Parks and Recreation while they are in the employment of the department.

**Reserve Level Impact:** It is our understanding that the proposed legislation applies prospectively and should result in no impact to statewide reserve levels.

**Rate Level Impact:** The proposed legislation should result in no impact to statewide premium levels. It is our understanding the North Dakota Parks and Recreation Department currently has 22 full-time employees appointed to peace officer status. Those employees will be reclassified from the existing Park employee classification (Rate Class 9182) to the higher rated Law Enforcement classification (Rate Class 7720) resulting in an estimated increased premium for the ND Parks and Recreation Department of approximately \$6,936 per year.

**DATE: January 14, 2013**