

February 17, 2017

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2025

Page 2, after line 2, insert:

**"SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - SERVICE DOGS.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$50,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the department of veterans' affairs for the purpose of training up to four service dogs to assist North Dakota veterans with post traumatic stress disorder, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2017, and ending June 30, 2019."

Re-number accordingly

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:**

This amendment appropriates \$50,000 from the general fund to the Department of Veterans Affairs for the purpose of training up to four service dogs to assist North Dakota veterans with post traumatic stress disorder.