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Sixty-seventh
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1394

Introduced by

Representatives Delzer, Boschee, Pollert

Senators Heckaman, Holmberg, Wardner

A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for costs related to COVID-19 and other services; to provide an exemption; and to declare an emergency.

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 appropriated from federal funds to the state departments and institutions of the state of North Dakota for the purpose of defraying COVID-19 and other expenses for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act, and ending June 30, 2021, as follows:

Subdivision 1.

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

~~Governor's emergency education relief fund~~	~~$6,731,084~~
~~Total federal funds~~	~~$6,731,084~~
Governor's emergency education relief fund	$2,732,339
Total federal funds	$2,732,339

Subdivision 2.

ATTORNEY GENERAL

COVID-19 - Justice assistance grants	$2,082,871
Total federal funds	$2,082,871

Subdivision ~~2~~3.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

~~Elementary and secondary school emergency education relief fund~~	~~$135,924,393~~
~~Total federal funds~~	~~$135,924,393~~
Elementary and secondary school emergency education relief - schools	$144,603,071
Elementary and secondary school emergency education relief - state	13,661,117

Governor's emergency education relief fund	3,998,745
Total federal funds	$162,262,933

Subdivision ~~3~~4.

STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

~~COVID-19 vaccine preparedness~~	~~$38,702,878~~
~~COVID-19 testing~~	~~172,403,729~~
~~Total federal funds~~	~~$211,106,607~~
COVID-19 response	$100,532,232
Total federal funds	$100,532,232

Subdivision ~~4~~5.

VETERANS' HOME

CARES Act funding	$650,000
Total federal funds	$650,000

Subdivision 6.

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES

~~Substance abuse prevention and treatment~~	~~$6,411,715~~
~~Emergency rental assistance~~	~~200,000,000~~
~~Mental health block grant~~	~~2,972,514~~
~~Child care and development block grant~~	~~17,186,913~~
~~Safe and stable families~~	~~90,342~~
~~Foster care program~~	~~1,224,837~~
~~Education and training vouchers~~	~~166,136~~
~~Congregate and home delivered meals~~	~~840,000~~
~~Total federal funds~~	~~$228,892,457~~
COVID-19 operating expenses	$13,807,978
COVID-19 grants	280,814,929
COVID-19 grants - Medical assistance	16,000,000
Total federal funds	$310,622,907

Subdivision 7.

ADJUTANT GENERAL

COVID-19 response	$148,666,667
Total federal funds	$148,666,667

Subdivision 8.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

CARES Act funding	$11,393,078
Total federal funds	$11,393,078

Subdivision 9.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

COVID-19 stress assistance program operating expenses	$500,000
COVID-19 specialty crop block grants	5,000,000
Total federal funds	$5,500,000

Subdivision ~~5~~10.

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

~~Enhanced~~COVID-19 enhanced mobility services	$115,202
~~Surface transportation grants~~	~~61,646,504~~
~~Total federal funds~~	~~$61,761,706~~
COVID-19 surface transportation grants	61,584,858
Total federal funds	$61,700,060

Subdivision ~~6~~11.

TOTAL - SECTION 1

~~Grand total federal funds~~	~~$644,416,247~~
Grand total federal funds	$806,143,087

SECTION 2. EXEMPTION. The funding appropriated in section 1 of this Act is not subject to the provisions of section 54-44.1-11 and may be continued into the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY. This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.