STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

Senate Bill No. 2006 - Aeronautics Commission - Senate Action

	Base Budget	Senate Changes	Senate Version
Salaries and wages	\$1,789,878	\$132,794	\$1,922,672
New and vacant FTE pool		20,495	20,495
Operating expenses	3,285,000	(119)	3,284,881
Grants	27,100,000	123,775,000	150,875,000
Total all funds	\$32,174,878	\$123,928,170	\$156,103,048
Less estimated income	31,699,878	123,928,170	155,628,048
General fund	\$475,000	\$0	\$475,000
FTE	7.00	0.00	7.00

Department 412 - Aeronautics Commission - Detail of Senate Changes

Salaries and wages New and vacant FTE pool Operating expenses Grants	Adds Funding for Cost to Continue Salaries ¹ \$20,864	Adds Funding for Salary and Benefit Increases ² \$112,973	Adds Funding to Replace 2023-25 New and Vacant FTE Pool ³ \$24,489	Transfers Funding for 2025-27 New and Vacant FTE Pool ⁴ (\$29,279) 20,495	Adjusts Base Budget Funding ⁵ \$3,747	Adds Funding for Information Technology Rate Increases [®]
Total all funds Less estimated income	\$20,864 20,864	\$112,973 112,973	\$24,489 24,489	(\$8,784) (8,784)	\$0 0	\$3,628 3,628
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Salaries and wages	Adjusts Funding for Airport Infrastructure Grants ^z	Adds One- Time Funding for Critical Airport Infrastructure Projects ⁸	Total Senate Changes \$132,794			
New and vacant FTE pool Operating expenses Grants	\$3,775,000	\$120,000,000	20,495 (119) 123,775,000			
Total all funds Less estimated income General fund	\$3,775,000 3,775,000 \$0	\$120,000,000 120,000,000 \$0	\$123,928,170 123,928,170 \$0			
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00			

¹ Adds funding for cost to continue salaries.

Other Funds
Salary increase \$70,936
Health insurance increase 42,037
Total \$112,973

² The following funding is added for 2025-27 biennium salary adjustments of 3 percent on July 1, 2025, and 3 percent on July 1, 2026, and increases in health insurance premiums from \$1,643 to \$1,893 per month:

³ Funding is added to replace 2023-25 biennium vacant FTE pool funding.

⁴ Funding of \$29,279 is removed for estimated savings from vacant 2025-27 FTE positions and \$20,495 is added for a new and vacant FTE pool line item resulting in net savings of \$8,784.

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Sections are added to:

- Provide for the use of funding in the new and vacant FTE pool line item.
- Identify \$20 million from the airport infrastructure fund to provide grants to airports during the 2025-27 biennium, and to provide an exemption to continue the funding into the 2027-29 biennium.
- Identify \$120 million from SIIF for generational airport projects in Fargo (\$60 million), Grand Forks (\$30 million), and Dickinson (\$30 million), and to provide an exemption to continue the funding into the 2027-29 biennium.
- Provide an exemption to continue funding appropriated for the International Peace Garden airport pavement rehabilitation project in the 2023-25 biennium into the 2025-27 biennium.

⁵ Base budget funding of \$3,747 is adjusted from the operating expenses line item to the salaries and wages line item and \$303,000 is adjusted from federal funds to special funds.

⁶ Adds \$3,628 for information technology rate increases.

⁷ Adds funding from the Aeronautics Commission fund for airport grants.

⁸ Adds \$120 million of one-time funding from the strategic investment and improvements fund for critical airport infrastructure projects in Fargo (\$60 million), Grand Forks (\$30 million), and Dickinson (\$30 million).