

FIRST ENGROSSMENT

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1161

Introduced by

Representatives Murphy, Schreiber-Beck, Warrey

Senators Bekkedahl, Dever

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact a new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota
2 Century Code, relating to funding for newly created full-time equivalent positions at institutions
3 under the control of the state board of higher education.

4 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:**

5 **SECTION 1.** A new section to chapter 15-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is created
6 and enacted as follows:

7 **Newly created full-time equivalent position funding pool - Transfers of general fund**
8 **appropriation authority - Budget section report.**

- 9 1. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, on July first of each odd-numbered year,
10 each institution under the control of the state board of higher education shall transfer
11 all general fund appropriation authority for the current biennium relating to the full-time
12 equivalent positions identified as vacant and newly created positions as of December
13 first of the most recent even-numbered year to a central fund at the institution.
- 14 2. Each institution shall maintain a portion of the general fund appropriation in a
15 designated position funding pool as provided for in this section.
- 16 3. Each institution shall report to the state board of higher education which shall report to
17 each regular meeting of the budget section regarding salaries and wages, position
18 information, and operational use of funding, if applicable, in the pool including amounts
19 transferred from the pool, information on vacant full-time equivalent positions including
20 dates the positions were vacated and filled, and the operational use of funds.