Department 108 - Secretary of State, including Public Printing House Bill No. 1002

2001-03 Schafer Executive Budget	FTE Positions 26.00	General Fund \$4,420,474	Other Funds \$370,000	Total \$4,790,474
1999-2001 Legislative Appropriations	25.50	3,864,468	250,000	4,114,4681
Increase (Decrease)	0.50	\$556,006	\$120,000	\$676,006
2001-03 Hoeven Executive Budget	26.00	\$4,420,474	\$370,000	\$4,790,474
Hoeven Increase (Decrease) to Schafer	0.00	\$0	\$0	<u>\$0</u>

¹The 1999-2001 appropriation amounts include \$3,974 from the general fund for the agency's share of the \$5.4 million funding pool appropriated to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for special market equity adjustments for classified employees and \$2,286 from the general fund for the agency's share of the \$1.4 million funding pool appropriated to OMB for assisting agencies in providing the \$35 per month minimum salary increases in July 1999 and July 2000. The 1999-2001 appropriation amounts do not include \$120,000 of additional spending authority resulting from Emergency Commission action during the 1999-2001 biennium.

NOTE: The amounts on the schedule above include funding for public printing. The 2001-03 executive budget (Schafer and Hoeven) recommends \$508,000 from the general fund for public printing, \$27,200 less than the 1999-2001 biennium general fund appropriation of \$535,200.

Major Schafer Recommendations Affecting Secretary of State 2001-03 Budget

 Adds funding for a market equity salary increase of \$309.17 per month for the Secretary of State effective January 1, 2002. The amount added in the executive budget is \$7,553 more than is necessary to provide for this increase. 	General Fund \$14,051	Other Funds	Total \$14,051
2. Increases funding for overtime.	\$62,808		\$62,808
3. Adds a .5 FTE office assistant III.	\$22,990		\$22,990
 Adds funding for wide area network access for the central indexing system. 	\$175,000		\$175,000
 Increases funding for Information Technology Department services (\$100,000) and micrographics (\$9,000). 	\$109,000		\$109,000
6. Provides funding for central indexing system enhancements.	\$66,300		\$66,300

Major Hoeven Recommendations Affecting Secretary of State 2001-03 Budget Compared to the Bill as Introduced (Schafer Budget)

The Hoeven executive budget recommendation does not change the Schafer executive budget for the Secretary of State.

Major Legislation Affecting the Secretary of State

House Bill No. 1139 increases the foreign limited partnership amendment fee charged by the Secretary of State by \$15, from \$25 to \$40.