

**Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly, State of North Dakota, begun in the  
Capitol in the City of Bismarck, on Monday, the sixth day of January,  
one thousand nine hundred and ninety-seven**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1001  
(Appropriations Committee)  
(At the request of the Governor)

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the office of the governor; and to amend and reenact sections 54-07-04 and 54-08-03 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the salaries of the governor and lieutenant governor.

**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 hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to the office of the governor for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the governor, for the biennium beginning July 1, 1997, and ending June 30, 1999, as follows:

Salaries and wages	\$1,734,560
Operating expenses	178,870
Equipment	5,000
Contingency	10,000
Roughrider awards	<u>8,000</u>
Total general fund appropriation	\$1,936,430

**SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - AUTHORIZATION - GOVERNOR'S OFFICE.** The governor's office is hereby authorized to receive and expend any federal or private funds, which are hereby appropriated, which become available during the biennium beginning July 1, 1997, and ending June 30, 1999.

**SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-07-04 of the 1995 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**54-07-04. Salary of governor.** The annual salary of the governor is ~~sixty-nine~~ seventy-three thousand ~~six one~~ hundred ~~fifty~~ seventy-six dollars through June 30, ~~1996~~ 1998, and ~~seventy-one~~ seventy-five thousand ~~forty-two~~ three hundred seventy-two dollars thereafter.

**SECTION 4. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-08-03 of the 1995 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

**54-08-03. Salary of lieutenant governor.** The annual salary of the lieutenant governor is ~~fifty-seven~~ sixty thousand ~~two one~~ hundred ~~thirty-eight~~ thirty-two dollars through June 30, ~~1996~~ 1998, and ~~fifty-eight~~ sixty-one thousand ~~three~~ nine hundred ~~eighty-three~~ forty-four dollars thereafter.

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Speaker of the House

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President of the Senate

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Chief Clerk of the House

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Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Fifty-fifth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1001.

House Vote:      Yeas    89      Nays    0      Absent    8

Senate Vote:    Yeas    46      Nays    0      Absent    3

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Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 1997.

Approved at \_\_\_\_\_ M. on \_\_\_\_\_, 1997.

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Governor

Filed in this office this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1997,

at \_\_\_\_\_ o'clock \_\_\_\_\_ M.

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Secretary of State