

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1022

Page 1, line 2, after "department" insert "; to create and enact a new section to chapter 54-34.4 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to copyright and trademark; to amend and reenact section 54-34.4-04 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the motion picture advisory board; to provide legislative intent; and to declare an emergency"

Page 1, line 10, replace "3,220,437" with "3,250,437"

Page 1, remove line 12

Page 1, line 13, replace "655,863" with "1,405,863"

Page 1, line 14, replace "4,960,778" with "5,710,778"

Page 1, line 16, replace "4,597,778" with "5,347,778"

Page 1, after line 16, insert:

SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the fifty-seventh legislative assembly that for the purpose of preparing a budget request for the 2003-05 biennium, the base budget request for the department of tourism not include the \$750,000 appropriation provided by the fifty-seventh legislative assembly for additional marketing relating to the Lewis and Clark bicentennial.

SECTION 3. AMENDMENT. Section 54-34.4-04 of the 1999 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

54-34.4-04. North Dakota motion picture development office - Advisory board. The North Dakota motion picture development office is a part of the tourism department. The office shall promote North Dakota as a location for shooting films, television shows, documentaries, and commercials, and shall provide technical expertise to persons desiring to use the state as a filming location. The director of the tourism department shall appoint staff necessary to fulfill the functions and duties of the office and ~~shall~~ may appoint an advisory board of no more than ten members to assist in advising the office and to provide technical expertise to offer prospective film companies seeking locations and advice. The board shall serve without compensation, except reimbursement for actual and necessary expenses at the same rate as allowed other state officers to be paid from funds available to the office within the limits of legislative appropriations.

SECTION 4. A new section to chapter 54-34.4 of the North Dakota Century Code is created and enacted as follows:

Copyright and trademark. The director of the tourism department may obtain copyright or trademark protection for anything that may be used to promote the policies listed in section 54-34.4-03. The director may license and charge a fee for photographs and logos and anything with copyright or trademark protection.

SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. Section 4 of this Act is declared to be an emergency measure."

Re-number accordingly

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:

House Bill No. 1022 - Department of Tourism - House Action

	EXECUTIVE BUDGET	HOUSE CHANGES	HOUSE VERSION
Salaries and wages	\$1,039,100		\$1,039,100
Operating expenses	3,220,437	\$30,000	3,250,437
Equipment	15,378		15,378
Grants	30,000	(30,000)	
Lewis and Clark Bicentennial	<u>655,863</u>	<u>750,000</u>	<u>1,405,863</u>
Total all funds	\$4,960,778	\$750,000	\$5,710,778
Less estimated income	<u>363,000</u>		<u>363,000</u>
General fund	\$4,597,778	\$750,000	\$5,347,778
FTE	11.00	0.00	11.00

Dept. 740 - Department of Tourism - Detail of House Changes

	DECREASE GRANTS - INCREASE OPERATING EXPENSES ¹	INCREASE FUNDING FOR LEWIS AND CLARK MARKETING ²	TOTAL HOUSE CHANGES
Salaries and wages			
Operating expenses	\$30,000		\$30,000
Equipment			
Grants	(30,000)		(30,000)
Lewis and Clark Bicentennial		<u>750,000</u>	<u>750,000</u>
Total all funds	\$0	\$750,000	\$750,000
Less estimated income			
General fund	\$0	\$750,000	\$750,000
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00

¹ The recommended grants line item of \$30,000 is removed and the funding is transferred to the department's operating expenses line item. The grant was previously provided to the Greater North Dakota Association for publication of the North Dakota Horizons magazine.

² The recommended appropriation for the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial is increased by \$750,000 from the general fund to provide additional funding for marketing relating to the Lewis and Clark Bicentennial event.

This amendment also adds the following sections:

- Section 2 - This section provides legislative intent that the additional \$750,000 general fund appropriation included in the House version is not to be considered part of the department's base budget request for the purpose of preparing the budget request for the 2003-05 biennium.
- Section 3 - This section amends North Dakota Century Code (NDCC) Section 54-34.4-04 to provide that the director of the Department of Tourism may appoint an advisory board to assist the North Dakota Motion Picture Development Office. Section 54-34.4-04 currently requires the appointment of such a board.
- Section 4 - This section creates a new section to NDCC Chapter 54-34.4 to provide that the director of the Department of Tourism may obtain copyright or trademark protection for any item used to promote the state tourism policies, as established by NDCC Section 54-34.4-03.
- Section 5 - This section provides that Section 4 is an emergency measure and will be effective upon passage of the bill.