

**Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 4, 2005**

SENATE BILL NO. 2011
(Appropriations Committee)
(At the request of the Governor)

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the highway patrol.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. BASE LEVEL FUNDING INFORMATION. The amounts identified in this section represent the base level funding component appropriated to the highway patrol in section 3 of this Act as follows:

Administration	\$2,241,434
Field operations	30,434,831
Law enforcement training academy	<u>1,016,344</u>
Total all funds - Base level	33,692,609
Less estimated income - Base level	<u>15,481,087</u>
Total general fund - Base level	\$18,211,522

SECTION 2. FUNDING ADJUSTMENTS OR ENHANCEMENTS INFORMATION. The amounts identified in this section represent the funding adjustments or enhancements to the base funding level for the highway patrol which are included in the appropriation in section 3 of this Act as follows:

Administration	\$103,906
Field operations	406,680
Law enforcement training academy	<u>38,219</u>
Total all funds - Adjustments/enhancement	\$548,805
Less estimated income - Adjustments/enhancements	<u>(747,802)</u>
Total general fund - Adjustments/enhancements	\$1,296,607

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION. The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and other income, to the highway patrol for the purpose of defraying the expenses of that agency, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2005, and ending June 30, 2007, as follows:

Administration	\$2,345,340
Field operations	30,841,511
Law enforcement training academy	<u>1,054,563</u>
Total all funds	\$34,241,414
Less estimated income	<u>14,733,285</u>
Total general fund appropriation	\$19,508,129

SECTION 4. SPECIAL FUNDS TRANSFER. The less estimated income line item in section 3 of this Act includes the sum of \$7,516,175, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, from the state highway tax distribution fund which may be transferred at the direction of the superintendent of the highway patrol for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the highway patrol during the biennium beginning July 1, 2005, and ending June 30, 2007.

SECTION 5. PAYMENTS TO HIGHWAY PATROL OFFICERS. Each patrol officer of the state highway patrol is entitled to receive from funds appropriated in section 3 of this Act an amount not to

exceed one hundred seventy dollars per month for the biennium beginning July 1, 2005, and ending June 30, 2007. The payments are in lieu of reimbursement for meals and other expenses, except lodging, while in travel status within the state of North Dakota or while at their respective home stations. The amounts must be paid at the time and in the same manner as salaries are paid to members of the highway patrol and may be paid without the presentation of receipts or other memorandums.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Fifty-ninth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2011.

Senate Vote: Yeas 47 Nays 0 Absent 0

House Vote: Yeas 91 Nays 1 Absent 2

Secretary of the Senate

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2005.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2005.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2005,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State