

HOUSE BILL NO. 1441

Introduced by

Representatives Boucher, Hanson, Hunskor

Senators Krauter, Tallackson, Warner

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for elementary and secondary education.

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

3 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the
4 general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$636,443,587, or so
5 much of the sum as may be necessary, to the superintendent of public instruction for the
6 purpose of providing state aid to elementary and secondary education, for the biennium
7 beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2009.

8 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION.**

- 9 1. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury,
10 not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$195,000,000, or so much of the sum as
11 may be necessary, to the superintendent of public instruction for the purpose of
12 providing additional state aid to elementary and secondary education, for the
13 biennium beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2009.
- 14 2. Each school district is entitled to receive the same percentage of the appropriation
15 in this section as the school district received from the appropriation provided in
16 section 1 of this Act.
- 17 3. Up to 30 percent of any money received by a school district under this section may
18 be used to provide property tax relief.
- 19 4. Seventy percent of any money received by a school district under this section,
20 together with any portion not used for property tax relief, in accordance with
21 subsection 3, must be used to directly support the instruction of students.