

**Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 6, 2009**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1487
(Representatives Carlson, Boucher)
(Senators Stenehjem, O'Connell)

AN ACT relating to the receipt of federal economic stimulus or fiscal relief funding.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. FEDERAL FISCAL STIMULUS FUNDING - LEGISLATIVE ACTION - EMERGENCY COMMISSION AND BUDGET SECTION APPROVAL. Any federal funds made available to this state under the federal American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 may be accepted but may be spent only pursuant to appropriation authority provided by the legislative assembly or the approval of the emergency commission and budget section under provisions of chapter 54-16, for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act and ending June 30, 2011. The emergency commission and budget section may approve only the expenditure of federal American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 competitive grant awards and other funds that the legislative assembly has not indicated an intent to reject.

Speaker of the House

President of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1487.

House Vote: Yeas 70 Nays 22 Absent 2

Senate Vote: Yeas 29 Nays 18 Absent 0

Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2009.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2009.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2009,
at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State