

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT  
with Conference Committee Amendments**

Sixty-first  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

**ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1005**

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

(At the request of the Governor)

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state treasurer;  
2 to amend and reenact section 54-11-13 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the  
3 salary of the state treasurer; and to provide for a legislative council study.

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

5 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the  
6 funds as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state  
7 treasury not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and  
8 other income, to the state treasurer for the purpose of defraying the expenses of that agency,  
9 for the biennium beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011, as follows:

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
12 Salaries and wages	\$825,455	\$121,052	\$946,507
13 Operating expenses	134,787	(3,309)	131,478
14 In lieu of tax payments	<u>1,365,000</u>	<u>(214,000)</u>	<u>1,151,000</u>
15 Total general fund	\$2,325,242	(\$96,257)	\$2,228,985
16 Full-time equivalent positions	7.00	0.00	7.00

17 **SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING - EFFECT ON BASE BUDGET - REPORT TO**  
18 **SIXTY-SECOND LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.** The following amounts reflect the one-time  
19 funding items approved by the sixtieth legislative assembly for the 2007-09 biennium:

<u>One-Time Funding Description</u>	<u>2007-09</u>	<u>2009-11</u>
21 Rewrite tax distribution programs	<u>\$768,228</u>	<u>\$0</u>
22 Total general fund	\$768,228	\$0

23 **SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-11-13 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
24 amended and reenacted as follows:

1           **54-11-13. Salary of state treasurer.** The annual salary of the state treasurer is  
2 ~~seventy-two~~ seventy-eight thousand ~~two~~ nine hundred ~~fifty-three~~ dollars through June 30, ~~2008~~  
3 ~~2010~~, and ~~seventy-five~~ eighty-two thousand ~~one~~ eight hundred ~~forty-three~~ forty-five dollars  
4 thereafter.

5           **SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY - ELECTED OFFICIALS' SALARIES.**

6 During the 2009-10 interim, the legislative council shall consider studying the salaries of state  
7 elected officials. The study must include a comparison of salaries, the number of full-time  
8 equivalent and temporary employees supervised by the elected official, and the complexity of  
9 each elected official's responsibilities. The study must also include a comparison to similar  
10 positions in other states. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations,  
11 together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-second  
12 legislative assembly.