

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023
(Appropriations Committee)
(At the request of the Governor)

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of various state departments and institutions; and to declare an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sums as hereinafter provided or so much of the sums as may be necessary. These sums increase the general fund authority enacted by the sixtieth legislative assembly to the stated departments and institutions of the state of North Dakota for the purpose of defraying their expenses, for the period beginning January 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2009, as follows:

Subdivision 1.

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Litigation fees	\$20,000
Capital assets	340,000
Operating expenses	<u>74,000</u>
Total all funds	\$434,000
Less estimated income	<u>340,000</u>
Total general fund appropriation	\$94,000

Subdivision 2.

OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL

Operating expenses	\$4,822,553
Total general fund appropriation	<u>\$4,822,553</u>

Subdivision 3.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA

1997 flood expenditures	<u>\$2,858,771</u>
Total general fund appropriation	\$2,858,771

Subdivision 4.

NORTH DAKOTA STATE UNIVERSITY

2000 flood expenditures	<u>\$527,842</u>
Total general fund appropriation	\$527,842

Subdivision 5.

MAIN RESEARCH CENTER

Main research center	<u>\$100,499</u>
Total general fund appropriation	\$100,499

Subdivision 6.

CENTRAL GRASSLANDS RESEARCH CENTER

Central grasslands research center	<u>\$13,560</u>
Total general fund appropriation	\$13,560

Subdivision 7.

NORTH CENTRAL RESEARCH CENTER

North central research center	<u>\$22,094</u>
Total general fund appropriation	\$22,094
Grand total general fund appropriation	\$8,439,319
Grand total special funds	\$340,000
Grand total all funds	\$8,779,319

SECTION 2. EXEMPTION. The sum of \$3,422,553 contained in subdivision 2 of section 1 of this Act is not subject to the provisions of section 54-44.1-11 and any unexpended funds from this appropriation are available during the biennium beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011, for the purpose of providing state matching funds for public assistance and disaster hazard mitigation.

SECTION 3. UNSPENT APPROPRIATION AUTHORITY. The appropriation in subdivision 2 of section 1 of this Act includes \$1,400,000 for expenses incurred for the snow emergency in January 2009. Any unexpended funds from this appropriation may not be spent for other purposes and the appropriation authority must be canceled at the end of the biennium ending June 30, 2009, in accordance with section 54-44.1-11.

SECTION 4. UNSPENT APPROPRIATION AUTHORITY. The appropriation in subdivision 3 of section 1 of this Act is for paying the final university of North Dakota expenses relating to the 1997 flood disaster. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, any unexpended funds from this appropriation may not be spent for other purposes and the appropriation authority must be canceled at the end of the biennium ending June 30, 2011, in accordance with section 54-44.1-11.

SECTION 5. EMERGENCY. This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.

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. 1023 and that two-thirds of the members-elect of the House of Representatives voted in favor of said law.

Vote: Yeas 88 Nays 0 Absent 6

Speaker of the House

Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that two-thirds of the members-elect of the Senate voted in favor of said law.

Vote: Yeas 47 Nays 0 Absent 0

President of the Senate

Secretary of the Senate

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