

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

HOUSE BILL NO. 1004
(Appropriations Committee)
(At the request of the Governor)

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state auditor; to provide legislative intent; and to amend and reenact section 54-10-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the salary of the state auditor.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. 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 state auditor for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state auditor, 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>
Salaries and wages	\$7,321,241	\$593,805	\$7,915,046
Operating expenses	810,549	(564)	809,985
Capital assets	10,000	90,000	100,000
Information technology consultants	100,000	50,000	150,000
Total all funds	\$8,241,790	\$733,241	\$8,975,031
Less estimated income	2,585,774	(272,972)	2,312,802
Total general fund	\$5,656,016	\$1,006,213	\$6,662,229
Full-time equivalent positions	54.80	(3.00)	51.80

SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING - EFFECT ON BASE BUDGET - REPORT TO SIXTY-SECOND LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. The following amounts reflect the 2009-11 one-time funding items included in the appropriation in section 1 of this Act:

<u>One-Time Funding Description</u>	<u>2007-09</u>	<u>2009-11</u>
Electronic working papers	\$0	\$150,000
Total general fund	\$0	\$150,000

The 2009-11 one-time funding amounts are not a part of the entity's base budget for the 2011-13 biennium. The state auditor shall report to the appropriations committees of the sixty-second legislative assembly on the use of this one-time funding for the biennium beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011.

SECTION 3. AMENDMENT. Section 54-10-10 of the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

54-10-10. Salary of state auditor. The annual salary of the state auditor is ~~seventy-six thousand eight hundred thirty-five~~ eighty-three thousand five hundred eleven ~~fifty~~ fifty dollars through June 30, ~~2008~~ 2010, and ~~seventy-nine thousand eight hundred thirty-five~~ eighty-seven thousand five hundred seventy-one ~~twenty-eight~~ twenty-eight dollars thereafter.

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. 1004.

House Vote: Yeas 93 Nays 1 Absent 0

Senate Vote: Yeas 46 Nays 0 Absent 1

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