

Sixty-third
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

REENGROSSED 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 subsection 18 of section 54-11-01 and section 54-11-13 of the North
3 Dakota Century Code, relating to the duties and salary of the state treasurer; and to provide
4 legislative intent.

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

6 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds
7 as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state
8 treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the state treasurer for the purpose of defraying the
9 expenses of that agency, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015,
10 as follows:

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
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13	Salaries and wages	\$1,054,524	\$321,160
14	Accrued leave payments	0	13,038
15	Operating expenses	163,066	337,110
16	Coal severance payments	<u>252,800</u>	<u>0</u>
17	Total general fund	\$1,470,390	\$671,308
18	Full-time equivalent positions	7.00	1.00
			8.00

19 **SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING - EFFECT ON BASE BUDGET - REPORT TO**
20 **SIXTY-FOURTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.** The following amounts reflect the one-time
21 funding items approved by the sixty-second legislative assembly for the 2011-13 biennium and
22 the 2013-15 one-time funding items included in the appropriation in section 1 of this Act:

	<u>One-Time Funding Description</u>	<u>2011-13</u>	<u>2013-15</u>
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24	IT development costs	\$266,588	\$364,820

1	Transportation funding distributions	25,000,000	0
2	Transportation funding - Special session	<u>23,000,000</u>	<u>0</u>
3	Total general fund	\$48,266,588	\$364,820

4 The 2013-15 one-time funding amounts are not a part of the entity's base budget for the
5 2015-17 biennium. The state treasurer shall report to the appropriations committees of the
6 sixty-fourth legislative assembly on the use of this one-time funding for the biennium beginning
7 July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015.

8 **SECTION 3. AMENDMENT.** Subsection 18 of section 54-11-01 of the North Dakota Century
9 Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

10 18. Shall correct any underpayment, overpayment, or erroneous payment of tax
11 distribution funds, resulting from an error made by the state treasurer in a timely
12 manner. Unless otherwise provided by law, adjustments may be made from the
13 general fund. This authority is limited to one hundred dollars per biennium, unless
14 approved by the emergency commission. An adjustment of an insignificant amount
15 need not be made at the discretion of the state treasurer. The state treasurer shall
16 adopt a written policy identifying what is considered insignificant.

17 **SECTION 4. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-11-13 of the North Dakota Century Code is
18 amended and reenacted as follows:

19 **54-11-13. Salary of state treasurer.**

20 The annual salary of the state treasurer is ~~eighty-five~~ninety thousand ~~three~~five hundred
21 ~~thirty~~twenty-seven dollars through June 30, ~~2012~~2014, and ~~eighty-seven~~ninety-three thousand
22 ~~eight hundred ninety~~two hundred forty-three dollars thereafter.

23 **SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - STATE TREASURER'S SALARY.** It is the intent of
24 the sixty-third legislative assembly that the salary of the state treasurer be increased to the
25 salary of the next lowest-paid elected official effective July 1, 2017.