

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT
with Senate Amendments
ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1041**

Introduced by

Legislative Management

(Human Services Committee)

1 A BILL for an Act to provide appropriations to the office of management and budget and the
2 supreme court for guardianship and public administrator services.

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

4 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - GUARDIANSHIPS.** There is appropriated out of any
5 moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of
6 \$1,366,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the office of management and
7 budget for the purpose of providing grants to counties for public or private guardianship
8 services, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015. To be eligible for
9 funding under this section, a ward must be found to be an incapacitated adult as defined by
10 section 30.1-26-01 and have income at or below one hundred percent of the federal poverty
11 level. A ward with developmental disabilities who is receiving case management services
12 through the department of human services is not eligible for funding under this section.

13 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - SUPREME COURT - GUARDIANSHIP TRAINING.** There
14 is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise
15 appropriated, the sum of \$70,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the supreme
16 court for the purpose of developing and delivering guardianship training for guardians and
17 public administrators, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015.