

Introduced by

Senators Wardner, Heckaman

Representatives Carlson, Mock

1 A BILL for an Act to provide borrowing authority and an appropriation to the office of the adjutant
2 general; and to declare an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. BORROWING AUTHORITY - APPROPRIATION - ADJUTANT GENERAL.**

5 The office of the adjutant general may borrow the sum of \$8,000,000, or so much of the sum as
6 may be necessary, from the Bank of North Dakota, for law enforcement support costs related to
7 unlawful activity associated with the construction of the Dakota access pipeline, for the period
8 beginning with the effective date of this Act and ending June 30, 2019. The proceeds of the loan
9 authorized in this section are appropriated to the office of the adjutant general for the purpose of
10 defraying expenses of law enforcement support related to unlawful activity associated with the
11 construction of the Dakota access pipeline for the period beginning with the effective date of this
12 Act and ending June 30, 2019. The office of the adjutant general shall request from the
13 legislative assembly a deficiency appropriation sufficient for the repayment of the amount
14 borrowed plus interest.

15 **SECTION 2. BORROWING AUTHORITY - APPROPRIATION - ADJUTANT GENERAL.**

16 The office of the adjutant general may borrow the sum of \$3,000,000, or so much of the sum as
17 may be necessary, from the Bank of North Dakota, for the purpose of providing a grant to a
18 county that has experienced an emergency related to protest activities, for the period beginning
19 with the effective date of this Act and ending June 30, 2019. Notwithstanding any other
20 provision of law, the proceeds of the loan authorized in this section are appropriated to the office
21 of the adjutant general for the purpose of providing a grant to a county that has experienced an
22 emergency related to protest activities, for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act
23 and ending June 30, 2019. The grant funds must be used to reimburse the county for
24 extraordinary personnel, equipment, and materials expenditures related to the protest activities

1 which are not otherwise eligible for reimbursement by the state or federal government. The
2 office of the adjutant general shall request from the legislative assembly a deficiency
3 appropriation sufficient for the repayment of the amount borrowed plus interest.

4 **SECTION 3. EMERGENCY.** This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.