

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT
with House Amendments
ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2025**

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of various state
2 departments and institutions; and to declare an emergency.

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

4 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds
5 as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state
6 treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and
7 other income, to the state departments and institutions of the state of North Dakota for the
8 purpose of defraying their expenses for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act,
9 and ending June 30, 2023, as follows:

10 Subdivision 1.

11 OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

12	Judgment expenses	\$277,771
13	Total general fund	\$277,771

14 Subdivision 2.

15 ATTORNEY GENERAL

16	Prosecution witness fees	\$75,000
17	Statewide litigation funding pool	<u>1,000,000</u>
18	Total general fund	\$1,075,000

19 Subdivision 3.

20 DAKOTA COLLEGE AT BOTTINEAU

21	Education program reimbursement	<u>\$99,768</u>
22	Total general fund	\$99,768

23 Subdivision 4.

24 DEPARTMENT OF OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Sixty-eighth
Legislative Assembly

1	Medicaid expenses	<u>\$310,000,000</u>
2	Total all funds	\$310,000,000
3	Less estimated income	<u>285,000,000</u>
4	Total general fund	\$25,000,000
5	Subdivision 5.	
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	ADJUTANT GENERAL	
7	Loan repayment - disaster costs	\$4,695,890
8	Loan interest repayment - law enforcement costs	<u>1,026,833</u>
9	Total state disaster relief fund	\$5,722,723
10	Subdivision 6.	
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	AGRICULTURE COMMISSIONER	
12	Loan repayment - emergency feed transportation program	<u>\$1,700,000</u>
13	Total general fund	\$1,700,000
14	Subdivision 7.	
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	TOTAL - SECTION 1	
16	Grand total general fund	\$28,152,539
17	Grand total special funds	<u>290,722,723</u>
18	Grand total all funds	\$318,875,262

19 **SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT - COST REIMBURSEMENTS - LOAN**

20 **REPAYMENTS.** It is the intent of the sixty-eighth legislative assembly that the attorney general
21 seek reimbursement from the federal government for the costs of responding to unlawful activity
22 associated with the construction of the Dakota access pipeline. It is further the intent of the
23 sixty-eighth legislative assembly that these reimbursements be used to repay the Bank of North
24 Dakota loans authorized by the emergency commission and the legislative assembly which
25 were obtained to provide the funding necessary to respond to the unlawful activity associated
26 with the construction of the Dakota access pipeline. It is further the intent of the sixty-eighth
27 legislative assembly that the provisions of section 54-16-13 apply to the loans, except that
28 emergency commission approval does not apply.

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