

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT**

**ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1024**

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, to the state departments and institutions of the state of  
7 North Dakota for the purpose of defraying their expenses for the period beginning with the  
8 effective date of this Act, and ending June 30, 2025, as follows.

9 Subdivision 1.

10 OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

11	Salaries and wages	<u>\$50,000</u>
12	Total general fund	\$50,000

13 Subdivision 2.

14 OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

15	Operating expenses	<u>\$195,000</u>
16	Total special funds	\$195,000

17 Subdivision 3.

18 ATTORNEY GENERAL

19	Statewide litigation funding pool	\$3,000,000
20	Prosecution witness fees	<u>50,000</u>
21	Total general fund	\$3,050,000

22 Subdivision 4.

1	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION	
2	Grants - other grants	<u>\$30,000,000</u>
3	Total federal funds	\$30,000,000
4	Subdivision 5.	
5	DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND REHABILITATION	
6	Adult services - excess population costs	<u>\$11,500,000</u>
7	Total general fund	\$11,500,000
8	Subdivision 6.	
9	OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL	
10	Loan interest repayment - law enforcement costs	\$1,763,490
11	Loan repayment - disaster costs	<u>4,294,789</u>
12	Total general fund	\$6,058,279
13	Subdivision 7.	
14	DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES	
15	Line of credit repayment - water infrastructure revolving loan fund	<u>\$10,000,000</u>
16	Total resources trust fund	\$10,000,000
17	Subdivision 8.	
18	TOTAL - SECTION 1	
19	Grand total all funds	\$60,853,279
20	Less grand total other funds	<u>\$40,195,000</u>
21	Grand total general fund	\$20,658,279

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

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

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