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MAJOR RELATED LEGISLATION AFFECTING THE NORTH DAKOTA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM AS OF CROSSOVER

This memorandum provides information on major related legislation affecting the North Dakota University System as of Crossover:

House Bill No. 1098 - This bill expands scholarship eligibility for students interested in a teaching career.

House Bill No. 1220 - This bill authorizes institutions under the control of the State Board of Higher Education to offer accelerated degree programs.

House Bill No. 1265 - This bill establishes a state information technology research center to conduct research to promote the development of data science, data analysis, software engineering, and advanced information technology in the state.

House Bill No. 1331 - This bill appropriates \$1.75 million from other funds to the North Dakota State College of Science to construct an artificial turf playing surface.

House Bill No. 1404 - This bill expands eligibility for the North Dakota scholarship.

House Bill No. 1600 - This bill appropriates \$400,000 from the general fund to the Office of Management and Budget to provide a grant to fund an immigration law clinic at the University of North Dakota School of Law.

House Bill No. 1612 - This bill appropriates \$500,000 from the general fund to the University of North Dakota to plan, develop, establish, and operate the North Dakota Center for Aerospace Medicine.

Senate Bill No. 2013 - This bill provides distributions to University System institutions from permanent funds established for the benefit of the institutions as follows:

Institution	2023-25 Distribution	2025-27 Distribution	Increase (Decrease)
North Dakota State University	\$7,648,000	\$8,770,000	\$1,122,000
University of North Dakota	5,986,000	6,948,000	962,000
North Dakota State College of Science	2,259,700	2,570,284	310,584
Valley City State University	1,354,000	1,566,000	212,000
Mayville State University	894,000	1,102,000	208,000
Dakota College at Bottineau	343,700	406,284	62,584
Dickinson State University	343,700	406,284	62,584
Minot State University	343,700	406,284	62,584
Total	\$19,172,800	\$22,175,136	\$3,002,336

Senate Bill No. 2143 - This bill increases funding from oil and gas gross production tax and oil extraction tax revenues for the State Energy Research Center from \$7.5 million to \$10 million per biennium.

Senate Bill No. 2147 - This bill adjusts eligibility for the career builders scholarship and loan repayment programs and appropriates \$12.2 million for supplemental student financial assistance grants.

Senate Bill No. 2256 - This bill transfers \$15 million from the strategic investment and improvements fund to the North Dakota State University research technology park for research and product development activities that advance autonomous mobile equipment opportunities.