Sixty-first Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

HOUSE BILL NO. 1006

Introduced by

**Appropriations Committee** 

(At the request of the Governor)

- 1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the office of the
- 2 state tax commissioner and for payment of state reimbursement under the homestead tax
- 3 credit; to provide for a transfer; to amend and reenact section 57-01-04 of the North Dakota
- 4 Century Code, relating to the tax commissioner's salary; to provide an exemption from the
- 5 provisions of section 54-44.1-11 of the North Dakota Century Code; and to provide for a report
- 6 to the legislative assembly.

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## BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

**SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and other income, to the state tax commissioner for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state tax commissioner and paying the state reimbursement under the homestead tax credit, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011, as follows:

14			Adjustments or	
15		Base Level	<b>Enhancements</b>	<u>Appropriation</u>
16	Salaries and wages	\$14,728,637	\$2,890,638	\$17,619,275
17	Operating expenses	6,030,814	2,099,000	8,129,814
18	Capital assets	18,000	40,000	58,000
19	Homestead tax credit	8,104,000	(2,140,000)	5,964,000
20	Property tax relief administration	1,100,000	(1,100,000)	0
21	Integrated tax system repayment	<u>0</u>	<u>5,356,702</u>	5,356,702
22	Total all funds	\$29,981,451	\$7,146,340	\$37,127,791
23	Less special funds	2,800,000	(2,690,000)	<u>110,000</u>

1	Total general fund	\$27,181,451	\$9,836,340	\$37,017,791		
2	Full-time equivalent positions	133.00	0.00	133.00		
3	SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING - EFFECT ON BASE BUDGET - REPORT TO					
4	SIXTY-SECOND LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. The following amounts reflect the one-time					
5	funding items approved by the sixtieth legislative assembly for the 2007-09 biennium and the					
6	2009-11 one-time funding items included in the appropriation in section 1 of this Act:					
7	One-Time Funding Description		2007-09	<u>2009-11</u>		
8	Integrated tax system loan payment		\$5,356,702	\$5,356,702		
9	On-site support-GenTax		0	1,234,000		
10	Oil and gas integration to GenTax		<u>0</u>	<u>1,500,000</u>		
11	Total all funds		\$5,356,702	\$8,090,702		
12	Total special funds		<u>0</u>	100,000		
13	Total general fund		\$5,356,702	\$7,990,702		
14	The 2009-11 one-time funding amounts are not a part of the entity's base budget for the					
15	2011-13 biennium. The tax commissioner shall report to the appropriations committees of the					
16	sixty-second legislative assembly on the use of this one-time funding for the biennium					
17	beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2011.					
18	SECTION 3. TRANSFER. There is transferred to the general fund in the state					
19	treasury, out of motor vehicle fuel tax revenue, collected pursuant to section 57-43.1-02, the					
20	sum of \$1,288,000 for the purpose of reimbursing the general fund for expenses incurred in the					
21	collection of the motor vehicle fuels and special fuels taxes and the administration of these					
22	taxes.					
23	SECTION 4. EXEMPTION. The amount appropriated for the integrated tax system, as					
24	contained in section 1 of this Act, is not subject to the provisions of section 54-44.1-11 and the					
25	funds are available for continued work on the integrated tax system during the biennium					
26	beginning July 1, 2009, and ending	June 30, 2011.				
27	SECTION 5. AMENDMENT	Section 57-01-04 o	f the North Dakota	Century Code is		
28	amended and reenacted as follows:					
29	57-01-04. Salary. The annual salary of the state tax commissioner is eighty three					
30	ninety thousand thirty-nine six hundred seventy-eight dollars through June 30, 2008, and					
31	eighty-six ninety-five thousand three	e <u>two</u> hundred <del>sixty</del> <u>tv</u>	velve dollars there	after.		