

**FIRST ENGROSSMENT  
with House Amendments**

Fifty-sixth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

**ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2016**

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 division of  
2 emergency management; and to provide for the filing and paying of disaster claims relating to  
3 the spring 1997 Red River flooding.

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

5 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the  
6 funds as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in  
7 the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal  
8 funds and other income, to the division of emergency management under the supervision of the  
9 adjutant general for the purpose of defraying its expenses, for the biennium beginning July 1,  
10 1999, and ending June 30, 2001, as follows:

11 Salaries and wages	\$2,298,200
12 Operating expenses	931,852
13 Equipment	186,653
14 Grants	<u>62,738,332</u>
15 Total all funds	\$66,155,037
16 Less estimated income	<u>65,230,947</u>
17 Total general fund appropriation	\$924,090

18 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION.** All federal funds received by the division of  
19 emergency management, for expenditures for projects at the university of North Dakota, in  
20 excess of those funds appropriated in section 1 of this Act are hereby appropriated for the  
21 biennium beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2001.

22 **SECTION 3. STATE HAZARDOUS MATERIAL PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE**  
23 **FUND.** The estimated income line item in section 1 of this Act includes \$248,799 from the state

1 hazardous material preparedness and response fund for the biennium beginning July 1, 1999,  
2 and ending June 30, 2001.

3 **SECTION 4. FINAL SETTLEMENT OF SPRING 1997 FLOOD DISASTER CLAIMS -**  
4 **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, EMERGENCY COMMISSION, AND BUDGET SECTION**

5 **APPROVAL.** Before September 1, 2001, all disaster claims resulting from the governor's  
6 disaster declaration relating to the spring 1997 flooding in the Red River valley must be  
7 presented for final payment unless otherwise authorized by the legislative assembly. During  
8 the 1999-2001 biennium, the division of emergency management may request that loans be  
9 made by the Bank of North Dakota to affected political subdivisions, including school districts,  
10 for only those disaster claims that have been approved by the division of emergency  
11 management, the emergency commission, and the budget section of the legislative council.