Appropriations Committee
(At the request of the Governor)

A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state auditor; and to amend and reenact section 54-10-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the salary of the state auditor.

## 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 hereby 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 auditor for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state auditor, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2003, as follows:

Operating expenses 760,320

## Equipment

Total all funds
Less estimated income
Total general fund appropriation 78,970
\$6,711,905
2,145,837

SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION. Section 1 of this Act includes an appropriation of up to $\$ 1,288,567$ in funds generated by the state auditor from political subdivision audit service fees for the period beginning July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2003. Any amount in excess of $\$ 1,288,567$ must be deposited in the state auditor operating account and made available for appropriation after June 30, 2003.

SECTION 3. AMENDMENT. Section 54-10-10 of the 1999 Supplement to the North Dakota Century Code is amended and reenacted as follows:

54-10-10. Salary of state auditor. The annual salary of the state auditor is eight sixty-four thousand seven hundred sixy forty-two dollars through dune 30, 2000

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1 December 31, 2001, fifty nine sixty-six thousand four six hundred enty-eight eighty-four dollars through December 31, 2000 June 30, 2002, and sixty sixty-eight thousand eight hundred fifty five eighteen dollars thereafter.

