

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1282**

Introduced by

Representatives Skarphol, Glassheim, Monson

Senators Christmann, Schobinger

1 A BILL for an Act to create and enact subsection 10 to section 54-44.1-06 of the North Dakota  
2 Century Code, relating to requiring continuing appropriation information in the budget data; and  
3 to amend and reenact section 54-44.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to budget  
4 reports to the legislative assembly.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** Subsection 10 to section 54-44.1-06 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
7 created and enacted as follows:

8 10. A detailed report on state agency and institution continuing appropriations,  
9 including the statutory provisions authorizing the expenditure of funds pursuant to  
10 continuing appropriation authority, justification of continuing the authority, and  
11 related expenditures, revenues, and fund balances for the current biennium and  
12 projected for the next biennium.

13 **SECTION 2. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-44.1-08 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
14 amended and reenacted as follows:

15 **54-44.1-08. Budget report - Contents - When submitted to legislative assembly.**

16 The official budget report must be transmitted by the governor to all holdover legislators and  
17 legislators-elect not later than three days after the commencement of the session of the  
18 legislative assembly. Such report is not a third-class item under section 46-02-05. The budget  
19 director shall provide for the duplication or other satisfactory reproduction or printing of the  
20 official budget report, so as to ensure delivery of same as provided in this section. Such reports  
21 must contain the budget and revenue proposals recommended by the governor and the  
22 information required in subsections 1, 2, 3, 5, ~~and 6~~, and 10 of section 54-44.1-06 and all other  
23 data and information as the governor shall decide. The budget director shall make available  
24 any and all information regarding budget data to the governor, the legislative assembly and its

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- 1 designees, legislators, and to the governor-elect as may be requested. The governor may
- 2 present any additional budget information in any manner to the legislative assembly as the
- 3 governor may desire.