April 5, 2005

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1010

In lieu of the amendments adopted by the Senate as printed on pages 1261 and 1262 of the Senate Journal, Engrossed House Bill No. 1010 is amended as follows:

Page 1, line 3, remove the first "and"

Page 1, line 4, after "salary" insert "; and to provide for a legislative council study"

Page 1, line 21, replace "361,269" with "355,279"

Page 1, line 22, replace "331,876" with "381,876"

Page 2, line 1, replace "2,116,000" with "1,091,000"

Page 2, line 2, replace "2,702,245" with "1,721,255"

Page 2, line 3, replace "2,802,245" with "1,821,255"

Page 2, line 10, replace "5,059,647" with "5,053,657"

Page 2, line 11, replace "2,113,377" with "2,163,377"

Page 2, line 12, replace "7,420,000" with "6,395,000"

Page 2, line 13, replace "14,593,024" with "13,612,034"

Page 2, line 15, replace "\$7,420,000" with "\$6,395,000"

Page 2, line 16, replace "\$7,200,000" with "\$6,200,000"

Page 2, line 18, replace "\$100,000" with "\$75,000"

Page 3, after line 9, insert:

"SECTION 10. ADDITIONAL CRITICAL METHAMPHETAMINE-USE ZONE.

Notwithstanding rules adopted by the commissioner identifying a critical methamphetamine-use zone, the commissioner shall designate the counties of Walsh, Cavalier, and Pembina as a critical methamphetamine-use zone subject to section 19-20.2-11 and rules adopted pursuant to that section. Section 3 of this Act includes the sum of \$50,000 from the insurance regulatory trust fund, or so much of the sum as is necessary, to implement security measures established by the commissioner, including the purchase and distribution of locking devices, in the counties of Walsh, Cavalier, and Pembina, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2005, and ending June 30, 2007."

Page 3, after line 15, insert:

"SECTION 12. LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL STUDY - ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE LOSS RATIOS. During the 2005-06 interim, the legislative council shall

study the appropriate minimum standard of loss ratio for accident and health insurers and whether that loss ratio is more appropriately set by statute or by rule. The legislative council shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixtieth legislative assembly."

Renumber accordingly