## FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Sixty-third Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

## **ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1017**

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 game and fish
- 2 department.

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## 3 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 game and fish fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and other income, to the game and fish department for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the game and fish department, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2015, as follows:

10			Adjustments or	
11		Base Level	<b>Enhancements</b>	<u>Appropriation</u>
12	Salaries and wages	\$24,019,028	\$1,431,339	\$25,450,367
13	Operating expenses	12,524,493	432,235	12,956,728
14	Capital assets	4,183,170	(298,109)	3,885,061
15	Grants	7,718,500	(896,000)	6,822,500
16	Land habitat and deer depredation	12,904,686	(215,103)	12,689,583
17	Noxious weed control	600,000	50,000	650,000
18	Missouri River enforcement	200,000	73,913	273,913
19	Grants, gifts, and donations	800,000	0	800,000
20	Nongame wildlife conservation	120,000	0	120,000
21	Lonetree reservoir	1,749,065	175,886	1,924,951
22	Wildlife services	868,800	(484,400)	384,400
23	Accrued leave payments	<u>0</u>	<u>816,366</u>	<u>816,366</u>

1	Total special funds	\$65,687,742	\$1,086,127	\$66,773,869	
2	Full-time equivalent positions	157.00	1.00	158.00	
3	SECTION 2. GRANTS, GIFTS, AND DONATIONS LINE. The grants, gifts, and donations				
4	line item in section 1 of this Act includes up to \$400,000 received by the game and fish				
5	department for surface damage, easements, or reclamation on department owned or managed				
6	properties as a result of mineral explor	ration and extraction a	ctivities.		