

Sixty-fourth  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

**ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2126**

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

(At the request of the Governor)

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the housing finance agency for affordable  
2 housing projects; to provide an appropriation to the office of the attorney general for early hiring  
3 of criminal investigators; to provide an appropriation to the state department of health for early  
4 hiring of environmental scientists; to provide for a transfer from the general fund; and to declare  
5 an emergency.

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

7 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - TRANSFER - GENERAL FUND TO HOUSING**

8 **INCENTIVE FUND.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state  
9 treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$20,000,000, or so much of the sum as may be  
10 necessary, which the office of management and budget shall transfer to the housing incentive  
11 fund, for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act and ending June 30, 2017. The  
12 funding provided in this section is considered a one-time funding item.

13 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - ATTORNEY GENERAL.** There is appropriated out of any  
14 moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of  
15 \$1,000,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the attorney general for up to ten  
16 full-time equivalent positions to assist with law enforcement activities in areas impacted by oil  
17 development, for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act and ending June 30,  
18 2015.

19 **SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.** There is  
20 appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise  
21 appropriated, the sum of \$2,000,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the state  
22 department of health for the purpose of hiring up to fifteen additional environmental scientist  
23 full-time equivalent positions, for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act and  
24 ending June 30, 2015.

1        **SECTION 4. EMERGENCY.** This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.