

**HOUSE BILL NO. 1004**

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

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

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

5 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds  
6 as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state  
7 treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and  
8 other income, to the state auditor for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the state auditor,  
9 for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023, as follows:

<del>_____ Governor's _____</del>			
<del>_____</del>	<del>Base Level</del>	<del>Recommendation</del>	<del>Appropriation</del>
<del>Salaries and wages</del>	<del>\$12,668,218</del>	<del>\$12,679,272</del>	<del>\$12,668,218</del>
<del>Operating expenses</del>	<del>1,161,820</del>	<del>1,468,847</del>	<del>1,161,820</del>
<del>Information technology consultants</del>	<del>450,000</del>	<del>450,000</del>	<del>450,000</del>
<del>Total all funds</del>	<del>\$14,280,038</del>	<del>\$14,598,119</del>	<del>\$14,280,038</del>
<del>Less estimated income</del>	<del>4,173,178</del>	<del>5,076,295</del>	<del>4,173,178</del>
<del>Total general fund</del>	<del>\$10,106,860</del>	<del>\$9,521,824</del>	<del>\$10,106,860</del>
<del>Full-time equivalent positions</del>	<del>58.00</del>	<del>58.00</del>	<del>58.00</del>
<u>_____ Adjustments or _____</u>			
<u>_____</u>	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
<u>Salaries and wages</u>	<u>\$12,668,218</u>	<u>(\$787,730)</u>	<u>\$11,880,488</u>
<u>Operating expenses</u>	<u>1,161,820</u>	<u>100,727</u>	<u>1,262,547</u>
<u>Information technology consultants</u>	<u>450,000</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>450,000</u>
<u>Total all funds</u>	<u>\$14,280,038</u>	<u>(\$687,003)</u>	<u>\$13,593,035</u>

1	<u>Less estimated income</u>	<u>4,173,178</u>	<u>494,607</u>	<u>4,667,785</u>
2	<u>Total general fund</u>	<u>\$10,106,860</u>	<u>(\$1,181,610)</u>	<u>\$8,925,250</u>
3	<u>Full-time equivalent positions</u>	<u>58.00</u>	<u>(4.00)</u>	<u>54.00</u>

4       **SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING.** The following amounts reflect the one-time funding  
5 items approved by the sixty-sixth legislative assembly for the 2019-21 biennium:

6	<u>One-Time Funding Description</u>	<u>2019-21</u>	<u>2021-23</u>
7	Copier replacement	<u>\$16,000</u>	<u>\$0</u>
8	Total general fund	<u>\$16,000</u>	<u>\$0</u>

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

11       **54-10-10. Salary of state auditor.**

12       The annual salary of the state auditor is one hundred ~~seventwelve~~ thousand ~~eighttwo~~  
13 hundred ~~eighty-five~~forty-one dollars through June 30, ~~2020~~2022, and one hundred ~~ten~~thirteen  
14 thousand ~~five~~nine hundred ~~eighty-two~~twenty-five dollars thereafter.