Sixty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2240 with House Amendments SENATE BILL NO. 2240

Introduced by

Senators Burckhard, Hogue, Meyer

Representatives Bellew, Pyle, M. Ruby

- 1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation to the department of commerce for the base
- 2 retention grant program.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

4 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - BASE RETENTION** 5 **GRANT PROGRAM - ONE-TIME FUNDING.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the 6 general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$800,000, or so much 7 of the sum as may be necessary, to the department of commerce for the purpose of providing 8 base retention grant funding to communities with an air force base or air national guard 9 facilities, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2025. Of the funding 10 appropriated in this section, \$400,000 is to be distributed to eligible organizations in Minot and 11 \$400,000 is to be distributed equally to eligible organizations in Grand Forks and Fargo. This 12 funding is considered a one-time funding item.