

2005 HOUSE APPROPRIATIONS

HB 1053

2005 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE MINUTES

BILL/RESOLUTION NO. HB1053 Contingency / Ending Fund Balance

House Appropriations Full Committee

☐ Conference Committee

Hearing Date January 18, 2005

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Minutes:

Rep. Ken Svedjan, Chairman opened the hearing on HB1053 and the clerk read the bill title.

Rep. Jeff Delzer explained that in the last biennium the state was in the situation where revenues had actually dropped and we had a contingency transfer out of the Bank of North Dakota. What this bill says is that if this situation were to ever happen again, the amount of money in the projected turnback funds, which last time ending up being the ending fund balance, would actually go back to the Bank of North Dakota to cover up to the amount that was transferred out of it. The figures of the last biennium were \$18,699,787 transferred out of the Bank of North Dakota and the ending fund balance being \$14,790,311. So in essence if this bill would have been in place then we would have started this biennium with a \$0.0 balance and we would have had \$14,790,311 more to go back to the Bank of North Dakota.

Rep. Ken Svedjan, Chairman asked Rep Delzer to explained the language used in line 10 of HB1053.

Rep. Jeff Delzer answered that essentially what it means is that you would never put more in the bank than what the contingent transfer was.

Rep. Mike Timm, Vice Chairman asked what would happen if the transfer would draw the fund down too low for the state to cover their day to day bills?

Rep. Jeff Delzer This bill deals with ending fund balance which is money not available until 1 month into the new biennium so it would not effect the day to day work of the state. (meter Tape #2, side A, #8.4)

Mr. Tom Silvenado representing the Department of Agriculture, distributed written testimony from Mr. Roger Johnson from the Department of Agriculture (handout #11-10, attached.) in support of HB1053. There were no questions.

Mr. Ed Sather from the Bank of North Dakota stated that the bank was in support of HB1053 and asked if there were any questions.

Rep. Eliot Glassheim asked if the bank has ever been repaid for the transfer.

Mr. Sather answered no, the total transfer for the biennium was \$78 million (meter Tape #2, side A, #9.9).

Rep. David Monson asked any way that this could backfire and agencies seeing that they haven't spent some of their funds may find a way to use them?

Rep. Jeff Delzer answered I suppose this could happen but I don't see any more of an incentive to do it with this bill than they have to do that right now.

Ms Sheila Peterson from the Office of Management and Budget testified that OMB was in support of this bill.

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Rep. Ken Svedjan, Chairman asked for any further testimony on HB1053. Seeing none,

Chairman Svedjan declared the hearing on HB1053 closed.

Rep. Ron Carlisle made a motion of Do Pass for HB1053.

Rep. Blair Thoreson seconded the motion.

Rep. Ken Svedjan, Chairman called for a roll call vote. Motion was passed with 19 yeas, 0 nays, and 4 absent. Chairman Svedjan requested Rep Carlisle carry the bill to the House Floor. (meter Tape #2, side A, #13)

FISCAL NOTE Requested by Legislative Council 12/17/2004

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1A. **State fiscal effect:** Identify the state fiscal effect and the fiscal effect on agency appropriations compared to funding levels and appropriations anticipated under current law.

2003-2005 Biennium 2005-2007 Biennium 2007-2009 Biennium General Other General Other Fund Funds Funds Funds Funds

Revenues Expenditures Appropriations

1B. **County, city, and school district fiscal effect:** *Identify the fiscal effect on the appropriate political subdivision.*

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2. **Narrative:** Identify the aspects of the measure which cause fiscal impact and include any comments relevant to your analysis.

Unable to determine.

- 3. **State fiscal effect detail:** For information shown under state fiscal effect in 1A, please: A. **Revenues:** Explain the revenue amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each revenue type and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget.
 - B. **Expenditures:** Explain the expenditure amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, for each agency, line item, and fund affected and the number of FTE positions affected.
 - C. Appropriations: Explain the appropriation amounts. Provide detail, when appropriate, of the effect on the biennial appropriation for each agency and fund affected and any amounts included in the executive budget. Indicate the relationship between the amounts shown for expenditures and appropriations.

Name: Phone Number: Pam Sharp 328-4606 Agency:

OMB

Date

12/20/2004

Prepared:

Date: 1-18-05

Roll Call Vote #:

2005 HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 1053

House Appropriations - Full Committee

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Rep. Bob Martinson		Rep. Eliot Glassheim				
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Rep. Earl Rennerfeldt	X	Rep. Chet Pollert	*			
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Rep. Ron Carlisle	X	Rep. Ralph Metcalf				
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Rep. Blair Thoreson	*					
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January 18, 2005

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House Appropriations - Full Committee

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Motion Made By	Rep Carlisle		Seconded By	Rep Thoreson		
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Rep. Mike Timm.	X	Rep. Day	X			
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Rep. Earl Renner	X	Rep. Chet Pollert		X		
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Rep. Pam Gulleso	AB	Rep. Jan	X			
Rep. Ron Carlisle	X	Rep. Ral	AB			
Rep. Keith Kemp	X					
Rep. Blair Thores	X					
Rep. Joe Kroeber	X					
Rep. Clark Willia	X					
Rep. Al Carlson		AB				
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Absent			<u>4</u>			

Floor Assignment Rep Carlisle

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REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE (410) January 19, 2005 8:29 a.m.

Module No: HR-11-0687 Carrier: Carlisle Insert LC: Title:

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1053: Appropriations Committee (Rep. Svedjan, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (19 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 4 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1053 was placed on the Eleventh order on the calendar.

2005 SENATE APPROPRIATIONS

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BILL/RESOLUTION NO. 1053

☐ Conference Committee

Hearing Date February 23, 2005

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Minutes:

Chairman Holmberg opened the hearing on SB 1053 with the roll call and general announcements. All were present.

Ed Sather, Senior Vice President, Bank of North Dakota presented testimony in support of HB 1053. He discussed the reasons for SB 1053 after reviewing what had transpired during the last biennium. He indicated if the Bank of North Dakota has a draw on the contingencies that are transferred to the general fund and at the end of the biennium there are funds left over, they will be transferred back to the Bank of North Dakota.

One clarifying question was asked. No further questions were asked.

Chairman Holmberg closed the hearing.

Senator Bowman moved a Do Pass, Senator Krauter seconded. A roll call vote was taken with 15 yes 0 no 0 absent. Senator Andrist will carry the bill.

The hearing closed.

Date 2/23/05
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2005 SENATE STANDING COMMITTEE ROLL CALL VOTES **BILL/RESOLUTION NO. SB**

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REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE (410) February 23, 2005 2:27 p.m.

Module No: SR-33-3514 Carrier: Andrist Insert LC: Title: .

REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE

HB 1053: Appropriations Committee (Sen. Holmberg, Chairman) recommends DO PASS (15 YEAS, 0 NAYS, 0 ABSENT AND NOT VOTING). HB 1053 was placed on the Fourteenth order on the calendar.

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2005 TESTIMONY

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Testimony of Roger Johnson
Agriculture Commissioner
House Bill 1053
House Appropriations Committee
Roughrider Room
January 18th, 2005

Handout 11-10

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HB1053 Tom Silvenado

Chairman Svedjan and members of the Appropriations Committee, I am Agriculture

Commissioner Roger Johnson. I am here today in support of HB1053, relating to contingent

Bank of North Dakota transfers to the state general fund.

When a short fall of general fund revenues is expected, the legislature may authorize transfers from the Bank of North Dakota to the fund. HB1053 would allow transfers made for this purpose to be returned to the bank at the end of the biennium. The amount returned would be equal to the transfer or the unobligated balance of the general fund.

Returning contingent transferred funds to the Bank of North Dakota makes sense as this replenishes the bank's capital base and allows the bank to continue to be profitable for the citizens of North Dakota.

Chairman Svedjan and committee members, I urge a do pass on HB1053. I would be happy to answer any questions you may have.