

Sixty-fifth
Legislative Assembly
of North Dakota

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1031

Introduced by

Legislative Management

(Government Finance Committee)

1 A BILL for an Act to amend and reenact section 54-06-37 of the North Dakota Century Code,
2 relating to authorization to purchase or lease aircraft.

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

4 **SECTION 1. AMENDMENT.** Section 54-06-37 of the North Dakota Century Code is
5 amended and reenacted as follows:

6 **54-06-37. Authorization to purchase or lease aircraft - Legislative assembly or budget-**
7 **section approval.**

8 A state agency or other entity of state government may not purchase or lease an aircraft
9 without specific authorization from the legislative assembly ~~or the budget section of the~~
10 ~~legislative management if the legislative assembly is not in session. If an existing aircraft has~~
11 ~~been destroyed or otherwise rendered inoperable, a state agency or other entity of state~~
12 ~~government may use insurance proceeds received to replace the existing aircraft that has been~~
13 ~~destroyed or rendered inoperable, subject to the approval of the legislative assembly or the~~
14 ~~budget section of the legislative management if the legislative assembly is not in session.~~ This
15 section does not apply to aircraft purchased or leased by the office of the adjutant general or
16 the university of North Dakota school of aviation ~~or to aircraft as defined by and the operation of~~
17 ~~which is regulated under title 14, Code of Federal Regulations, part 107, pertaining to small~~
18 ~~unmanned aircraft systems.~~