

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

(At the request of the Governor)

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the state auditor;
2 and to amend and reenact sections 54-10-10 of the North Dakota Century Code, relating to the
3 salary 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
6 funds 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, 2003, and ending June 30, 2005, as follows:

10 Salaries and wages	\$5,754,797
11 Operating expenses	761,380
12 Performance Audits	<u>100,000</u>
13 Total all funds	\$6,616,177
14 Less estimated income	<u>2,140,958</u>
15 Total general fund appropriation	\$4,475,219

16 **SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION.** Section 1 of this Act includes an appropriation of up
17 to \$1,264,865 in funds generated by the state auditor from political subdivision audit service
18 fees for the period beginning July 1, 2003, and ending June 30, 2005. Any amount in excess of
19 \$1,264,865 must be deposited in the state auditor operating account and made available for
20 appropriation after June 30, 2005.

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

23 **54-10-10. Salary of state auditor.** The annual salary of the state auditor is ~~sixty-four~~
24 sixty-eight thousand seven hundred forty-two eighteen dollars through December 31, 2004

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- 1 2003, ~~sixty-six~~ sixty-eight thousand six hundred ~~eighty-four~~ ninety-six dollars through ~~June 30,~~
- 2 ~~2002~~ December 31, 2004, and ~~sixty-eight~~ seventy thousand ~~eighteen~~ seventy dollars
- 3 thereafter.