

Sixty-seventh  
Legislative Assembly  
of North Dakota

## ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL NO. 1010

Introduced by

Appropriations Committee

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the insurance  
2 commissioner; to provide an appropriation for the distribution of funds from the insurance tax  
3 distribution fund; to amend and reenact section 26.1-01-09 of the North Dakota Century Code,  
4 relating to the salary of the insurance commissioner; and to provide for a report.

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

6 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds  
7 as may be necessary, are appropriated from special funds derived from federal funds and other  
8 income, to the insurance commissioner for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the  
9 insurance commissioner, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023,  
10 as follows:

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	
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12				
13	Salaries and wages	\$8,149,998	(\$333,157)	\$7,816,841
14	Operating expenses	1,566,675	(59,316)	1,507,359
15	Capital assets	<u>0</u>	<u>100,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>
16	Total special funds	\$9,716,673	(\$292,473)	\$9,424,200
17	Full-time equivalent positions	41.00	(3.00)	38.00

18 **SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING - EFFECT ON BASE BUDGET - REPORT TO THE**  
19 **SIXTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.** The following amounts reflect one-time funding  
20 items approved by the sixty-sixth legislative assembly for the 2019-21 biennium and the  
21 one-time funding items included in the appropriation in section 1 of this Act:

	<u>One-Time Funding Description</u>	<u>2019-21</u>	<u>2021-23</u>
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23	Office remodel	\$0	\$100,000

1	Health care analysis	<u>200,000</u>	<u>0</u>
2	Total special funds	\$200,000	\$100,000

3       The 2021-23 biennium one-time funding amounts are not a part of the entity's base budget  
4 for the 2023-25 biennium. The insurance commissioner shall report to the appropriations  
5 committees of the sixty-eighth legislative assembly on the use of this one-time funding for the  
6 biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023.

7       **SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION.** There is appropriated out of any moneys in the insurance  
8 tax distribution fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$18,818,030 or  
9 so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the insurance commissioner for the purpose of  
10 providing payments, in accordance with provisions of section 18-04-05, to North Dakota fire  
11 departments in the amount of \$17,989,505 and payments to the North Dakota firefighter's  
12 association in the amount of \$828,525 for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending  
13 June 30, 2023.

14       **SECTION 4. UNSATISFIED JUDGMENT FUND.** Section 1 of this Act includes \$26,344  
15 from the state unsatisfied judgment fund to pay unsatisfied judgment fund administrative  
16 expenses for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023.

17       **SECTION 5. AMENDMENT.** Section 26.1-01-09 of the North Dakota Century Code is  
18 amended and reenacted as follows:

19       **26.1-01-09. Salary of commissioner.**

20       The annual salary of the commissioner is ~~one hundred seven thousand eight hundred~~  
21 ~~eighty five dollars through June 30, 2020~~one hundred twelve thousand two hundred forty-one  
22 dollars through June 30, 2022, and one hundred ten thousand five hundred eighty-two  
23 hundred thirteen thousand nine hundred twenty-five dollars thereafter.