Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 5, 2021

HOUSE BILL NO. 1394
(Representatives Delzer, Boschee, Pollert)
(Senators Heckaman, Holmberg, Wardner)

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for costs related to COVID-19 and other services; to provide an exemption; and to declare an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION. The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds as may be necessary, are appropriated from federal funds to the state departments and institutions of the state of North Dakota for the purpose of defraying COVID-19 and other expenses for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act, and ending June 30, 2021, as follows:

Subdivision 1.

OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET

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<th>Fund Description</th>
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<tr>
<td>Governor's emergency education relief fund</td>
<td>$2,732,339</td>
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Subdivision 2.

ATTORNEY GENERAL

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<td>COVID-19 - Justice assistance grants</td>
<td>$2,082,871</td>
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Subdivision 3.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

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<td>Elementary and secondary school emergency education relief - schools</td>
<td>$144,603,071</td>
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<td>13,661,117</td>
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<td>Governor's emergency education relief fund</td>
<td>3,998,745</td>
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Subdivision 4.

STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

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Subdivision 5.

VETERANS' HOME

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### Subdivision 6.  
**DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES**

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<tr>
<td>COVID-19 operating expenses</td>
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<td>COVID-19 grants</td>
<td>280,814,929</td>
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<td>COVID-19 grants - Medical assistance</td>
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<td><strong>Total federal funds</strong></td>
<td>$309,085,495</td>
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### Subdivision 7.  
**ADJUTANT GENERAL**

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### Subdivision 8.  
**DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE**

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### Subdivision 9.  
**DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

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<td>COVID-19 stress assistance program operating expenses</td>
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<td>COVID-19 specialty crop block grants</td>
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### Subdivision 10.  
**DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION**

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<td>COVID-19 enhanced mobility services</td>
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<td>COVID-19 surface transportation grants</td>
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### Subdivision 11.  
**TOTAL - SECTION 1**

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**SECTION 2. EXEMPTION.** The funding appropriated in section 1 of this Act is not subject to the provisions of section 54-44.1-11 and may be continued into the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023.

**SECTION 3. EMERGENCY.** This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.
This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1394 and that two-thirds of the members-elect of the House of Representatives voted in favor of said law.

Vote: 
Yeas 87  Nays 0  Absent 7

This certifies that two-thirds of the members-elect of the Senate voted in favor of said law.

Vote: 
Yeas 47  Nays 0  Absent 0

Received by the Governor at ________ M. on ____________________________________, 2021.

Approved at ________ M. on _________________________________, 2021.

Filed in this office this ___________ day of ___________________________________________, 2021, at ________ o’clock ________ M.