Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

SENATE BILL NO. 2011

Introduced by

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Appropriations Committee

1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the highway patrol;

2 and to provide for a transfer.

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

4 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION.** The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds 5 as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state 6 treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and 7 other income, to the highway patrol for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the highway 8 patrol, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023, as follows: 9 Governor's 10 Base Level Recommendation Appropriation 11 Highway patrol \$59,586,945 <u>\$61,476,948</u> \$59,586,945 12 Total all funds \$59,586,945 \$61,476,948 \$59,586,945 13 Less estimated income <u>15,373,370</u> 16,656,100 <u>15,373,370</u> 14 Total general fund \$44,213,575 \$44,820,848 \$44,213,575

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 Full-time equivalent positions
 197.00
 193.00
 197.00

SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING. The following amounts reflect the one-time funding

17 items approved by the sixty-sixth legislative assembly for the 2019-21 biennium:

| 18 | One-Time Funding Description | <u>2019-21</u> | <u>2021-23</u> |
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| 19 | Aircraft engine overhaul | \$81,830 | \$0 |
| 20 | Drone purchase | 96,228 | 0 |
| 21 | Shooting range addition | <u>1,729,100</u> | <u>0</u> |
| 22 | Total all funds | \$1,907,158 | 0 |
| 23 | Less estimated income | <u>1,825,328</u> | <u>0</u> |
| 24 | Total general fund | \$81,830 | \$0 |
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1 SECTION 3. ESTIMATED INCOME - TRANSFER - HIGHWAY TAX DISTRIBUTION FUND. 2 The estimated income line item in section 1 of this Act includes the sum of \$7,204,043, or so 3 much of the sum as may be necessary, from the state highway tax distribution fund which may 4 be transferred at the direction of the superintendent of the highway patrol for defraying the 5 expenses of the highway patrol during the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending 6 June 30, 2023. 7 SECTION 4. ESTIMATED INCOME - MOTOR CARRIER ELECTRONIC PERMIT 8 **TRANSACTION FUND.** The estimated income line item in section 1 of this Act includes 9 \$1,530,741 from the motor carrier electronic permit transaction fund for defraying various 10 expenses associated with the issuance of permits and other nonenforcement motor carrier and 11 administrative activities. 12 SECTION 5. PAYMENTS TO HIGHWAY PATROL OFFICERS. Each patrol officer of the 13 state highway patrol is entitled to receive from funds appropriated in section 1 of this Act an 14 amount not to exceed \$200 per month for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending 15 June 30, 2023. The payments are in lieu of reimbursement for meals and other expenses, 16 except lodging, while in travel status within the state of North Dakota or while at the patrol 17 officers' respective home stations. The amounts must be paid at the time and in the same 18 manner as salaries are paid to members of the highway patrol and may be paid without the 19 presentation of receipts or other memorandums.