

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:**

**Senate Bill No. 2224 - Funding Summary**

|                                 | <b>Base Budget</b> | <b>Senate Version</b> | <b>House Changes</b> | <b>House Version</b> |
|---------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Office of Management and Budget |                    |                       |                      |                      |
| Bioscience innovation grant     |                    | \$1,000,000           | (\$1,000,000)        |                      |
| Total all funds                 | \$0                | \$1,000,000           | (\$1,000,000)        | \$0                  |
| Less estimated income           | 0                  | 0                     | 0                    | 0                    |
| General fund                    | \$0                | \$1,000,000           | (\$1,000,000)        | \$0                  |
| FTE                             | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00                 | 0.00                 |
| Bill total                      |                    |                       |                      |                      |
| Total all funds                 | \$0                | \$1,000,000           | (\$1,000,000)        | \$0                  |
| Less estimated income           | 0                  | 0                     | 0                    | 0                    |
| General fund                    | \$0                | \$1,000,000           | (\$1,000,000)        | \$0                  |
| FTE                             | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00                 | 0.00                 |

**Senate Bill No. 2224 - Office of Management and Budget - Senate Action**

This bill creates a bioscience innovation grant program administered by the Department of Agriculture to provide grants to support the development and commercialization of biotechnology, including research at startup companies and institutions of higher education. The bill also authorizes the Office of Management and Budget to transfer \$1 million from the general fund to the newly created bioscience innovation grant fund to support the program.

**Senate Bill No. 2224 - Office of Management and Budget - House Action**

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|-----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| Bioscience innovation grant |                    | \$1,000,000           | (\$1,000,000)        |                      |
| Total all funds             | \$0                | \$1,000,000           | (\$1,000,000)        | \$0                  |
| Less estimated income       | 0                  | 0                     | 0                    | 0                    |
| General fund                | \$0                | \$1,000,000           | (\$1,000,000)        | \$0                  |
| FTE                         | 0.00               | 0.00                  | 0.00                 | 0.00                 |

**Department 110 - Office of Management and Budget - Detail of House Changes**

|                             | <b>Removes the Appropriation<sup>1</sup></b> | <b>Total House Changes</b> |
|-----------------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Bioscience innovation grant | (\$1,000,000)                                | (\$1,000,000)              |
| Total all funds             | (\$1,000,000)                                | (\$1,000,000)              |
| Less estimated income       | 0  | 0                          |
| General fund                | (\$1,000,000)                                | (\$1,000,000)              |
| FTE                         | 0.00   | 0.00                       |

<sup>1</sup> The House removed the transfer of \$1 million from the general fund in the bioscience innovation grant fund and provided for a transfer of \$700,000 from the Research North Dakota fund to the bioscience innovation grant fund. The House also transferred the remaining balance in the centers of excellence and centers of research excellence funds to the Research North Dakota fund on July 1, 2019, and transferred the remaining balance in the Research North Dakota fund to the general fund on June 30, 2021.