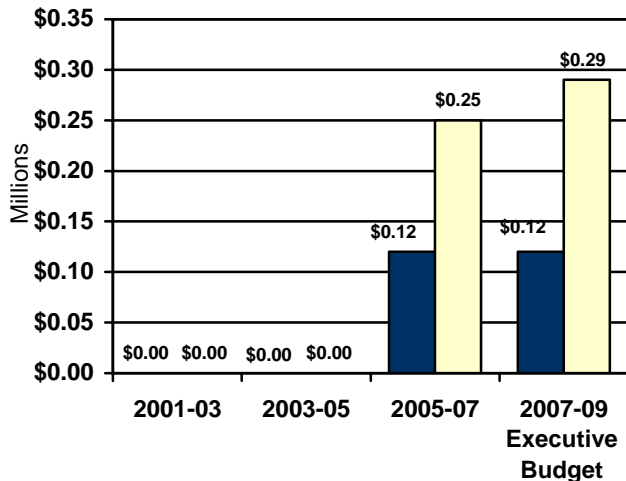


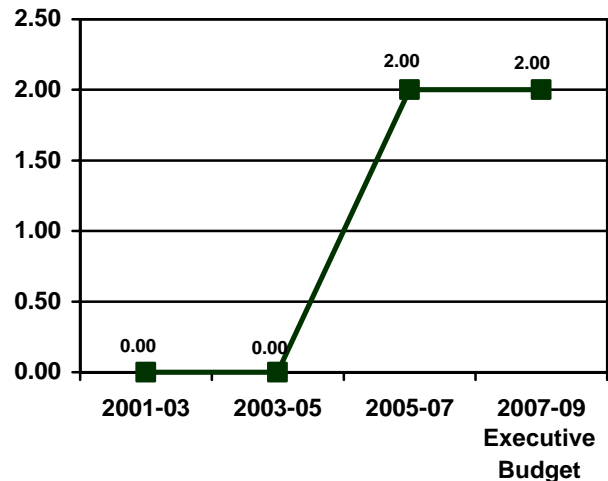
**Department 670 - Racing Commission  
 House Bill No. 1024**

	FTE Positions	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
2007-09 Executive Budget	2.00	\$120,640	\$286,924	\$407,564
2005-07 Legislative Appropriations	2.00	117,479	249,666	367,145
Increase (Decrease)	0.00	\$3,161	\$37,258	\$40,419

**Agency Funding**



**FTE Positions**



■ General Fund □ Other Funds

**NOTE:** Prior to the 2005-07 biennium, the Racing Commission was a division of the Attorney General's office.

**First House Action**

The House did not change the executive budget recommendation for the Racing Commission.

**Executive Budget Highlights**

	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
1. No major changes from current budget	\$0	\$0	\$0

**Special Funds**

Special funds appropriated to the Racing Commission are from:

Breeders' fund	\$85,415
Promotion fund	86,119
Purse fund	85,390
Racing Commission operating fund	30,000
<b>Total special funds</b>	<b>\$286,924</b>

**Continuing Appropriations**

**Breeders' fund** - NDCC Section 53-06.2-11 - To financially reward breeders or owners of North Dakota-bred horses.

**Promotion fund** - NDCC Section 53-06.2-11 - To promote horse racing in North Dakota.

**Purse fund** - NDCC Section 53-06.2-11 - To increase the amount of purses offered at North Dakota racetracks.

**Major Related Legislation**

**House Bill No. 1126** - This bill makes changes to taxes on parimutuel wagering and the allocation of the related tax revenue and limits the use of the promotion fund for the commission's operating expenses.

**Senate Bill No. 2003** - This bill appropriates \$60,988 from the racing promotion fund to the Attorney General for a .5 FTE position to audit simulcast horse racing sites.