

**Ethics Commission
Budget No. 195
House Bill No. 1521**

	FTE Positions	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
2019-21 legislative appropriations	2.00	\$517,155	\$0	\$517,155
2019-21 base budget	0.00	0	0	0
Legislative increase (decrease) to base budget	2.00	\$517,155	\$0	\$517,155

ONGOING AND ONE-TIME GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS

	Ongoing General Fund Appropriation	One-Time General Fund Appropriation	Total General Fund Appropriation
2019-21 legislative appropriations	\$517,155	\$0	\$517,155
2017-19 legislative appropriations	0	0	0
2019-21 legislative increase (decrease) to 2017-19 appropriations	\$517,155	\$0	\$517,155
Percentage increase (decrease) to 2017-19 appropriations	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%

**SUMMARY OF LEGISLATIVE CHANGES TO THE BASE BUDGET AND MAJOR FUNDING ITEMS
Changes to Base Budget**

	FTE Positions	General Fund	Other Funds	Total
The legislative action:				
Added 2 FTE positions and funding for the salaries and operating costs of the Ethics Commission.	2.00	\$517,155	\$0	\$517,155
Total	<u>2.00</u>	<u>\$517,155</u>	<u>\$0</u>	<u>\$517,155</u>

FTE Changes

The Legislative Assembly authorized 2 FTE positions for the Ethics Commission.

Other Sections in Bill

The remaining sections of the bill establish the statutory requirements for the Ethics Commission and other provisions as required under Article XIV of the Constitution of North Dakota.

Related Legislation

Ethics Commission study - Senate Bill No. 2148 provides for a Legislative Management study of the implementation and requirements of Article XIV of the Constitution of North Dakota concerning the transparency of funding sources, lobbyists, conflicts of interest, and related matters, the responsibilities of the Legislative Assembly and the Ethics Commission, and potential issues under the Constitution of the United States and the Constitution of North Dakota.