

**STATEMENT OF PURPOSE OF AMENDMENT:**

**House Bill No. 1157 - Funding Summary**

	Base Budget	Final Legislative Action	Comparison to Base Budget
Department of Veterans' Affairs			
Fisher house		\$500,000	\$500,000
Total all funds	\$0	\$500,000	\$500,000
Less estimated income	0	500,000	500,000
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$0
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00
Bill total			
Total all funds	\$0	\$500,000	\$500,000
Less estimated income	0	500,000	500,000
General fund	\$0	\$0	\$0
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00

**House Bill No. 1157 - Department of Veterans' Affairs - House Action**

This bill provides a one-time appropriation of \$500,000 from the general fund to the Department of Veterans' Affairs for providing a grant to assist in the construction of the Fisher House at the Fargo Veterans' Affairs Medical Center during the 2023-25 biennium. The 2021 Legislative Assembly appropriated \$500,000 from federal funds derived from the State Fiscal Recovery Fund for this purpose for the 2021-23 biennium, resulting in a total of \$1 million appropriated for the 2021-23 and 2023-25 bienniums.

**House Bill No. 1157 - Department of Veterans' Affairs - Senate Action**

	Base Budget	House Version	Senate Changes	Senate Version
Fisher house		\$500,000		\$500,000
Total all funds	\$0	\$500,000	\$0	\$500,000
Less estimated income	0	0	500,000	500,000
General fund	\$0	\$500,000	(\$500,000)	\$0
FTE	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

**Department 321 - Department of Veterans' Affairs - Detail of Senate Changes**

	Adjusts Funding for the Fisher House <sup>1</sup>	Total Senate Changes
Fisher house		
Total all funds	\$0	\$0
Less estimated income	500,000	500,000
General fund	(\$500,000)	(\$500,000)
FTE	0.00	0.00

<sup>1</sup> One-time funding of \$500,000 for a grant to assist in the construction of the Fisher House at the Fargo Veterans' Affairs Medical Center is adjusted by removing funding from the general fund and adding funding from the federal State Fiscal Recovery Fund.

**House Bill No. 1157 - Department of Veterans' Affairs - House Action**

The House concurred with the Senate.