

**Sixty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 3, 2023**

HOUSE BILL NO. 1016
(Appropriations Committee)

AN ACT to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of job service North Dakota.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION. The funds provided in this section, or so much of the funds as may be necessary, are appropriated out of any moneys in the general fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, and from special funds derived from federal funds and other income, to job service North Dakota for the purpose of defraying the expenses of job service North Dakota, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2025, as follows:

	<u>Base Level</u>	<u>Adjustments or Enhancements</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>
Salaries and wages	\$28,994,942	\$4,898,290	\$33,893,232
Operating expenses	17,164,373	50,125,782	67,290,155
Capital assets	20,000	0	20,000
Grants	8,281,051	(226,539)	8,054,512
Reed Act - unemployment insurance computer modernization	<u>10,945,126</u>	<u>(30,126)</u>	<u>10,915,000</u>
Total all funds	\$65,405,492	\$54,767,407	\$120,172,899
Less estimated income	<u>64,995,263</u>	<u>48,598,789</u>	<u>113,594,052</u>
Total general fund	\$410,229	\$6,168,618	\$6,578,847
Full-time equivalent positions	156.61	2.00	158.61

SECTION 2. ONE-TIME FUNDING - EFFECT ON BASE BUDGET - REPORT TO SIXTY-NINTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY. The following amounts reflect the one-time funding items approved by the sixty-seventh legislative assembly for the 2021-23 biennium and the one-time funding items included in the appropriation in section 1 of this Act:

<u>One-Time Funding Description</u>	<u>2021-23</u>	<u>2023-25</u>
Unemployment insurance modernization project	\$0	\$45,000,000
Total other funds	\$0	\$45,000,000

The 2023-25 biennium one-time funding amounts are not part of the entity's base budget for the 2025-27 biennium. Job service North Dakota shall report to the appropriations committees of the sixty-ninth legislative assembly on the use of this one-time funding for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2025.

SECTION 3. ADDITIONAL INCOME - APPROPRIATION. All federal funds received by job service North Dakota in excess of those funds appropriated in section 1 of this Act are appropriated to job service North Dakota for the biennium beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2025.

SECTION 4. ESTIMATED INCOME - REED ACT FUNDS - UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE COMPUTER MODERNIZATION. The estimated income line item in section 1 of this Act includes the sum of \$10,915,000 from federal Reed Act funds made available to the state by the federal Reed Act distributions made in federal fiscal years 1957, 1958, 1999, and 2002, pursuant to section 903 of the federal Social Security Act. This sum, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, is for the purpose of developing a modernization unemployment insurance computer system.

SECTION 5. ESTIMATED INCOME - UNEMPLOYMENT INSURANCE MODERNIZATION PROJECT - FEDERAL STATE FISCAL RECOVERY FUND - ONE-TIME FUNDING. The estimated

income line item in section 1 of this Act includes the sum of \$45,000,000 from federal funds derived from the state fiscal recovery fund for the unemployment insurance modernization project. This funding is considered a one-time funding item.

Dennis Johnson
Speaker of the House

David Smith
President of the Senate

Bull J. Reick
Chief Clerk of the House

Sharon Meyer
Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that the within bill originated in the House of Representatives of the Sixty-eighth Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as House Bill No. 1016.

House Vote: Yeas 77 Nays 15 Absent 2

Senate Vote: Yeas 43 Nays 1 Absent 3

Bull J. Reick
Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at 3:55 PM. on April 10, 2023.

Approved at 5:46 PM. on April 12, 2023.

Doug Burgum
Governor

Filed in this office this 13th day of April, 2023,
at 9:37 o'clock A. M.

Michael Howe
Secretary of State