

**Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota
In Regular Session Commencing Tuesday, January 5, 2021**

SENATE BILL NO. 2146
(Senators Burckhard, Heckaman, K. Roers)
(Representatives Bosch, Karls, Schreiber-Beck)

AN ACT to provide an appropriation to the office of management and budget for accessibility improvements on the state capitol grounds; to provide a statement of legislative intent; and to declare an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NORTH DAKOTA:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION. There is appropriated out of any moneys in the capitol building fund in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$750,000, or so much of the sum as may be necessary, to the office of management and budget for the purpose of accessibility improvements on the state capitol grounds for the period beginning with the effective date of this Act and ending June 30, 2023. Of the total, \$460,950 is for costs relating to improvements for compliance with the 2010 standards for accessible design adopted by the United States department of justice pursuant to the federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and the remaining \$289,050 is for costs relating to other accessibility improvements. The office of management and budget may spend the funds appropriated in this section only for the purpose of remodeling and improvements relating to accessibility on the state capitol grounds, including entrances, restrooms, legislative committee rooms and chambers, the cafeteria, the supreme court, and other public areas. The office of management and budget shall consult with the legislative management when considering changes to legislative branch areas and with the chief justice when considering changes to judicial branch areas.

SECTION 2. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the sixty-seventh legislative assembly that the office of management and budget complete all accessibility improvements on the state capitol grounds as provided for in section 1 of this Act as soon as possible.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY. This Act is declared to be an emergency measure.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House

Secretary of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

This certifies that the within bill originated in the Senate of the Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota and is known on the records of that body as Senate Bill No. 2146 and that two-thirds of the members-elect of the Senate voted in favor of said law.

Vote: Yeas 47 Nays 0 Absent 0

President of the Senate

Secretary of the Senate

This certifies that two-thirds of the members-elect of the House of Representatives voted in favor of said law.

Vote: Yeas 91 Nays 0 Absent 3

Speaker of the House

Chief Clerk of the House

Received by the Governor at _____ M. on _____, 2021.

Approved at _____ M. on _____, 2021.

Governor

Filed in this office this _____ day of _____, 2021,

at _____ o'clock _____ M.

Secretary of State