## FIRST ENGROSSMENT

Sixty-seventh Legislative Assembly of North Dakota

**ENGROSSED SENATE BILL NO. 2023** 

Introduced by

**Appropriations Committee** 

- 1 A BILL for an Act to provide an appropriation for defraying the expenses of the North Dakota
- 2 racing commission; and to provide for a legislative management study.

## 3 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 other income, to the North Dakota racing commission for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the North Dakota racing commission, for the biennium beginning July 1, 2021, and ending June 30, 2023, as

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11		Base Level	<b>Enhancements</b>	<u>Appropriation</u>
12	Racing commission	<u>\$565,037</u>	<u>\$10,100</u>	<u>\$575,137</u>
13	Total all funds	\$565,037	\$10,100	\$575,137
14	Less estimated income	<u>165,965</u>	<u>668</u>	<u>166,633</u>
15	Total general fund	\$399,072	\$9,432	\$408,504
16	Full-time equivalent positions	2.00	0.00	2.00

## SECTION 2. RACING COMMISSION FUNDING - LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT STUDY.

During the 2021-22 interim, the legislative management shall consider studying funding sources for the budget of the racing commission. The study must include consideration of the feasibility and desirability of changing the racing commission to a special funds only budget and the effect on general fund revenues. The legislative management shall report its findings and recommendations, together with any legislation required to implement the recommendations, to the sixty-eighth legislative assembly.