

Act 93 of the First Special Session of 1989.

Act 93

SB98

By: Joint Budget Committee

For An Act To Be Entitled
"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND
OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE STATE MEDICAL BOARD FOR THE
BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1991; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the State
Medical Board for the 1989-91 biennium, the following maximum number of
regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the
Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, and all laws
amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific
maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the
provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons
occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of
the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act, or its successor.

Table with 5 columns: Item No., Class Code, Title, Maximum No. of Employees, and Maximum Annual Salary Rate (Fiscal Years 1989-90 and 1990-91). Rows include Medical Board Secretary/Treasurer, Bookkeeper/Steno, and Clerk Typist, with a total maximum of 4 employees.

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the State
Medical Board for the 1989-91 biennium, the following maximum number of
part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from
funds appropriated herein for such purposes: One (1) temporary or part-time
employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the
Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, for the
appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated to the State
Medical Board, to be payable from cash funds of the State Medical Board, for
personal services and operating expenses of the State Medical Board for the
biennial period ending June 30, 1991, the following:

Table with 4 columns: ITEM NO., Description, and FISCAL YEARS (1989-90 and 1990-91). Rows include Regular Salaries, Extra Help, Personal Serv Matching, and Maintenance & General Operation (with sub-items A-E), totaling \$174,303 for both years.

TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED

\$ 279,320 \$ 281,413

SECTION 4. ATTORNEY FEES. The State Medical Board is hereby authorized to expend from monies appropriated in Section 3 herein up to \$25,000 each year for legal representation, including general legal representation and representation in litigation. No payments shall be made under the provisions of this Section except upon billing for such services at a rate not to exceed \$60 per hour.

SECTION 5. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

SECTION 6. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

SECTION 7. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code. Act 124 of 1989 is hereby repealed.

SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Seventh General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1989 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1989 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1989.

APPROVED: June 23, 1989

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