

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **80th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1995**
4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

A Bill

ACT 8 OF 1995
HOUSE BILL 1046

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND
9 OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR
10 PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS & LAND SURVEYORS FOR THE BIENNIAL
11 PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1997; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE STATE BOARD OF
15 REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS
16 & LAND SURVEYORS APPROPRIATION FOR THE
17 1995-97 BIENNIUM."

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

21 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the State
22 Board of Registration for Professional Engineers & Land Surveyors for the
23 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose
24 salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and
25 Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all
26 laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a
27 specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt
28 from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All
29 persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the
30 provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas
31 Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

		Maximum Annual			
		Maximum	Salary Rate		
Item	Class	No. of	Fiscal Years		
No.	Code	Title	Employees	1995-96	1996-97

1	(1) 7114 ENG & LAND SURV SECY/TREAS	1	\$ 32,458	\$ 33,269
2	(2) 7115 ENG & LAND SURV ASST SECRETARY	1	\$ 24,267	\$ 24,873
3	(3) 7116 ENG & LAND SURV CLERK-STENO	<u>1</u>	\$ 14,995	\$ 15,369
4	MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	3		

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6 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the State
7 Board of Registration for Professional Engineers & Land Surveyors, to be
8 payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the State
9 Board of Registration for Professional Engineers & Land Surveyors, for
10 personal services and operating expenses of the State Board of Registration
11 for Professional Engineers & Land Surveyors for the biennial period ending
12 June 30, 1997, the following:

14	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
15	NO.	1995-96	1996-97
16	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 69,973	\$ 69,973
17	(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	20,331	20,331
18	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
19	(A) OPER. EXPENSE \$	114,822	\$ 120,822
20	(B) CONF. & TRVL.	8,927	8,927
21	(C) PROF. FEES	7,000	10,000
22	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	1,000	11,000
23	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
24	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	<u>131,749</u>	<u>150,749</u>
25	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 222,053</u>	<u>\$ 241,053</u>

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27 SECTION 3. EMPLOYMENT OF ATTORNEYS. None of the funds appropriated in
28 this Act for Maintenance and General Operation shall be expended in payment
29 for services of attorneys, unless the agency shall first make a request in
30 writing to the Attorney General of the State of Arkansas to provide the
31 required legal services. The Attorney General's Office shall provide the
32 requested legal services, or, if the Attorney General's Office shall determine
33 that sufficient personnel are not available to provide the requested legal
34 services, the Attorney General shall certify the same to the agency and may
35 authorize the agency to employ legal counsel and to expend monies appropriated

1 for Maintenance and General Operations therefor, if:

2 (1) The Attorney General determines, and certifies in writing, that
3 such agency needs the advice or assistance of legal counsel, and

4 (2) The Attorney General consents in writing to the employment of the
5 legal counsel to be retained by the agency.

6 Such certification shall be required with respect to each instance of
7 the employment of special legal counsel, or shall be required annually with
8 respect to legal counsel employed on a retainer basis. A copy of such
9 certification shall be entered in the official minutes of the agency, and
10 shall be retained in the fiscal records of the agency for audit purposes.

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13 SECTION 4. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
14 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
15 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
16 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and
17 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
18 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control
19 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the
20 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
21 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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23 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
24 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
25 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which
26 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
27 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
28 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
29 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
30 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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32 SECTION 6. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent
33 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas
34 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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