

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 83rd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2001  
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# A Bill

Act 342 of 2001  
HOUSE BILL 1617

5 By: Joint Budget Committee  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES  
10 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF  
11 ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND  
12 IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1464 OF  
13 1999; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT  
16 OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY SUPPLEMENTAL  
17 APPROPRIATION.  
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - FEE ADMINISTRATION. There is hereby  
25 appropriated, to the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality, to be  
26 payable from the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality Fee Fund, for  
27 personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas Department of  
28 Environmental Quality which shall be supplemental and in addition to those  
29 funds appropriated in Section 15 of Act 1464 of 1999, the following:  
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31	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
32	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2000-2001</u>
33	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 205,002
34	(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	55,350
35	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
36	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	133,895

1	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,513
2	(C) PROF. FEES	91,775
3	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	57,750
4	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
5	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 547,285</u>

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7 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by  
8 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made  
9 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions  
10 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures  
11 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and  
12 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this  
13 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of  
14 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied  
15 with in disbursement of said funds.

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17 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
18 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
19 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
20 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
21 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
22 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
23 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint  
24 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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26 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
27 Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of  
28 the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality are, due to unforeseen  
29 circumstances, insufficient for the Arkansas Department of Environmental  
30 Quality to continue to provide essential governmental services; that the  
31 provisions of this act will provide the necessary monies for the Arkansas  
32 Department of Environmental Quality to continue such services; and that a  
33 delay in the effective date of this Act could work irreparable harm upon the  
34 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
35 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
36 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and

1 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its  
2 passage and approval.

3 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become  
4 effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor  
5 may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is  
6 overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides the  
7 veto.

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10 APPROVED: 2/21/2001  
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