

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Amendment Form

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 11

AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2015-2016 FISCAL
YEAR.

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 11

Amend Senate Bill No. 11 as engrossed, S1/26/15 (version: 01/26/2015 02:55:07 PM)

Insert additional SECTIONS immediately following SECTION 3 to read as follows:

" SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - LEGAL FEES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Medical Board, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Arkansas State Medical Board, the following:

(A) for legal fees as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in the case of *Edwards v. Beck*, in a sum not to exceed.....\$200,000.

SECTION 5. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. LEGAL FEES. It is the intent of the General Assembly for the State Medical Board to pay the legal fees as appropriated in Section 4 herein from fund balances from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Arkansas State Medical Board, so that there will be no effect on the FY2015-16 or future fiscal year budgets. The Arkansas State Medical Board shall pay all legal fees as determined by a court of competent jurisdiction in *Edwards v. Beck*, 8 F. Supp.3d 1091 (E.D. Ark., Mar. 14, 2014) and all related cases and appeals challenging the Arkansas Human Heartbeat Protection Act, § 20-16-1301 et seq., derived from Acts 2013, No. 301.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016."

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.



The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

By: Joint Budget Committee

By: Senator Teague

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Secretary