REPORT OF THE

UNIFORM PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION PLAN SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

May 18th, 2016

Co-Chairs:

The Uniform Personnel Classification and Compensation Plan Subcommittee met on Wednesday May 18th, 2016 at 9:00 a.m. in Room B of the MAC Building. The Subcommittee reviewed the following personnel-related items and respectfully request that they be filed with the Arkansas Legislative Council.

- 1. Quarterly Employment Report Third Quarter FY2016
 - (A) State Agencies
 - (B) Institutions of Higher Education
- 2. Chief Fiscal Officer of the State Special Entry Rate/Labor Market/Movement Report
- 3. Report of Grid Movements and Usage
- 4. Department of Higher Education Provisional Positions Report for May 2016.
- 5. Notification from the Department of Finance and Administration regarding a Miscellaneous Federal Grant that was approved by the Chief Fiscal Officer as an emergency in March.
- 6. Request from the Northwest Technical Institute for an Exceptionally Well Qualified applicant special entry rate for an Education Program Manager.

(Dr. Blake Robertson, President) Applicant: Dr. Debra G. Walker

Classification: E013C, Education Program Manager

Grade: C124

Salary Range: \$45,377 to \$72,257 Salary Requested: \$70,720 Salary Recommended: \$70,720

7. Request from the Department of Correction for the continuation of existing salary. (Ms. Wendy Kelley, Director) Applicant: Ms. Shatobeca Moutry

Classification: M065C, Recreational Activity Leader

Grade: C114

Salary Range: \$27,858 to \$47,317

Previous Salary \$29,251 Salary Requested: \$29,251 Salary Recommended: \$29.251

8. Requests to obtain pool positions from the OPM Central Growth pool established in Arkansas Code §21-5-225(b)(1):

Class Code

New

Grade

C122

1. Agency: Northwest Technical Institute (NTI) (Dr. Blake Robertson)

ARLPC Lab Quality Manager

Classification Requested

Requested: **Positions**

| 1 | Career and Technical Faculty | E027C | C120 |
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| Recommende | ed: | | |
| Positions | Classification Recommended | Class Code | <u>Grade</u> |
| 1 | Career and Technical Faculty | E027C | C120 |
| 2. Agency: Arkansas Department of Agriculture (Mr. Bruce Holland, Director) | | | |
| Requested: | | | |
| <u>Positions</u> | Classification Requested | Class Code | Grade |

1 Recommended:

Positions Classification Recommended Class Code Grade AGRI Lab Quality Manager New C122

- 9. Requests to obtain a position from the Department of Higher Education Central Pool established in Section 39 of Act 978 of 2015:
 - 1. Institution: University of Arkansas Community College at Morrilton (UACCM) (Dr. Larry Davis) Requested:

PositionsClassification RequestedClass CodeGrade1Network Support SpecialistD039CC123

Recommended:

PositionsClassification RecommendedClass CodeGrade1Network Support SpecialistD039CC123

10. A request from the Department of Workforce Services (DWS) for establishment of a plan to determine and provide differential pay for employees who demonstrate proficiency in a second language. The differential pay request is based upon Arkansas Code 21-5-221 (j)(1). The agency has submitted the following differential pay plan based on four levels of proficiency:

 Advanced
 10.0%

 Fluent
 7.5%

 Intermediate
 5.0%

 Basic
 2.0%

Respectfully submitted by Subcommittee Co-Chairs Senator Uvalde Lindsey and Representative Lanny Fite.