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1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **78th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1991**  
4 **By: *Joint Budget Committee***

# A Bill

**SENATE BILL 183**

## **For An Act To Be Entitled**

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF  
10 EDUCATION - GENERAL EDUCATION DIVISION FOR THE PERSONAL  
11 SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE COMMISSION ON  
12 TEACHING EXCELLENCE FOR THE ACADEMY OF TEACHING EXCELLENCE  
13 OF TEACHERS AND PRINCIPALS, FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING  
14 JUNE 30, 1993; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

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18 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS . There is hereby appropriated, to the  
19 Department of Education - General Education Division, to be payable from the  
20 Department of Education Fund Account, for the personal services and operating  
21 expenses of the Commission on Teaching Excellence for the Academy for Teaching  
22 Excellence of teachers and principals, for the biennial period ending June 30,  
23 1993, the sum of \$93,200 each fiscal year.

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25 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
26 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
27 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
28 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and  
29 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
30 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control  
31 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the  
32 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
33 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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35 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General

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

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9       SECTION 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent  
10 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas  
11 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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13       SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the  
14 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such  
15 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which  
16 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this  
17 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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19       SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
20 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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22       SECTION 7. HEALTH PREMIUMS. The Department of Education - General  
23 Education Division shall not, during the 1992-93 fiscal year, spend more for  
24 health insurance per employee than the amount being contributed to the State  
25 Employees Health Insurance Program.

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27       SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
28 Seventy-Eighth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of  
29 Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year  
30 period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1991 is essential to the  
31 operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided,  
32 and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the  
33 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1991 could work irreparable harm  
34 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
35 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
36 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and

1 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1991.

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*/s/Joint Budget Committee*

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