

1   **State of Arkansas**

2   **78th General Assembly**

3   **Regular Session, 1991**

4   **By: Joint Budget Committee**

# A Bill

**SENATE BILL    668**

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## 7   **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8         "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ARKANSAS CHILD  
9                    *ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR THE BIENNIAL*  
10                  PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1993; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

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14             SECTION 1. ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION.

15         The administrative and associated operating costs and expenses of the Arkansas  
16         *Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission may be paid from and*  
17         administered through the normal contractual processes of the Social Services  
18         Block Grant in the Department of Human Services. Members of the commission  
19         shall be entitled to per diem at the rate of \$50.00 for each meeting attended  
20         and mileage reimbursement in accordance with that provided by state law for  
21         state employees. For the biennial period ending June 30, 1993 the operating  
22         budget of the Arkansas Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission shall be  
23         no more than \$115,000 per year. The Commission shall subcontract with the  
24         Office of Prosecutor Coordinator for administrative expenses of grants  
25         referenced herein up to \$5,000 per year.

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27             SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS - CHILDRENS JUSTICE ACT. There is hereby  
28         appropriated, to the Office of Prosecutor Coordinator, to be payable from the  
29         federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for  
30         *grants under the Children's Justice Act by the Arkansas Child*  
31         *Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission for the biennial period ending June*  
32         *30, 1993, the following:*

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34         ITEM

FISCAL YEAR

35         NO.

1991-92      1992-93

1 (01) CHILDREN'S JUSTICE ACT                           \$250,000    \$250,000

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4                 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS - FAMILY VIOLENCE PREVENTION AND SERVICES ACT.  
5     There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Prosecutor Coordinator, to be  
6     payable from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of  
7     the State, for grants under the Family Violence Prevention and Services Act by  
8     *the Arkansas Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission for the biennial*  
9     *period ending June 30, 1993, the following:*

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11   ITEM	FISCAL YEAR	
12   NO.	1991-92	1992-93
13 (01) FAMILY VIOLENCE PREV. SERVICES ACT	<u>\$ 80,000</u>	<u>\$80,000</u>

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15                 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS - RAPE FUNDS. There is hereby appropriated,  
16     to the Office of Prosecutor Coordinator, to be payable from the federal funds  
17     as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for grants under Rape  
18     funds received through the Preventative Health Services Block Grant by the  
19     *Arkansas Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission for the biennial period*  
20     *ending June 30, 1993, the following:*

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22   ITEM	FISCAL YEAR	
23   NO.	1991-92	1992-93
24 (01) RAPE FUNDS	<u>\$ 40,000</u>	<u>\$40,000</u>

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26                 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated to the Office  
27     of Prosecutor Coordinator, to be payable from Federal Funds as designated by  
28     the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for administrative expenses of grants  
29     as referenced herein for the biennial period ending June 30, 1993, the  
30     *following:*

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32   ITEM	FISCAL YEAR	
33   NO.	1991-92	1992-93
34 (01) OFFICE OF PROS. COORD.-ADM. EXPENSES	<u>\$ 5,000</u>	<u>\$ 5,000</u>

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36                 SECTION 6. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds

1 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
2 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
3 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and  
4 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
5 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control  
6 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the  
7 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
8 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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10 SECTION 7. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
11 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
12 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which  
13 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
14 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
15 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
16 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
17 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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19 SECTION 8. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent  
20 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas  
21 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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23 SECTION 9. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the  
24 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such  
25 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which  
26 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this  
27 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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29 SECTION 10. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
30 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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32 SECTION 11. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
33 Seventy-Eighth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of  
34 Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year  
35 period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1991 is essential to the

1 operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided,  
2 and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the  
3 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1991 could work irreparable harm  
4 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
5 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
6 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
7 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1991.

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