

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

A Bill

SENATE BILL 549

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND
9 OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION FOR
10 THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1995; AND FOR OTHER
11 PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION APPROPRIATION."

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

18 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the
19 Arkansas Ethics Commission for the 1993-95 biennium, the following maximum
20 number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions
21 of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201
22 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided,
23 however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set
24 out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform
25 Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions
26 authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular
27 Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its
28 successor.

Item	Class	No.	Class	Title	Maximum Annual		
					Maximum	Salary Rate	
					No. of	Fiscal Years	
					Employees	1993-94	1994-95
34	(1)	7275	ETHICS	COMM ATTORNEY	1	\$ 53,241	\$ 55,104
35	(2)	7276	ETHICS	COMM INVESTIGATOR	1	\$ 27,444	\$ 28,404

1	(3) 7210 ETHICS COMM EXECUTIVE SECRETARY	<u>1</u>	\$ 20,639	\$ 21,326
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	MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	3		

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5 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Arkansas
6 Ethics Commission for the 1993-95 biennium, the following maximum number of
7 part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from
8 funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2) temporary or part-time
9 employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the
10 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for
11 the appropriate classification.

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13 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
14 Arkansas Ethics Commission, to be payable from the State Central Services
15 Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas Ethics
16 Commission for the biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the following:

18	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FISCAL YEARS</u>	
19	NO.	1993-94	1994-95
20	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 100,324	\$ 103,834
21	(02) EXTRA HELP	1,500	1,500
22	(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	24,721	25,345
23	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
24	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$ 35,000	\$ 35,000
25	(B) CONF. & TRVL.	5,000	5,000
26	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
27	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	1,500	1,500
28	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
29	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	<u>41,500</u>	<u>41,500</u>
30	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 168,045</u>	<u>\$ 172,179</u>

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32 SECTION 4. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
33 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
34 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
35 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and

1 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
2 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control
3 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the
4 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
5 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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7 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
8 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
9 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which
10 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
11 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
12 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
13 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
14 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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16 SECTION 6. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent
17 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas
18 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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20 SECTION 7. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the
21 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such
22 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which
23 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this
24 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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26 SECTION 8. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict
27 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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29 SECTION 9. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
30 Seventy-Ninth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
31 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
32 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1993 is essential to the operation of
33 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
34 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
35 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1993 could work irreparable harm upon the

1 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
2 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
3 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
4 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1993.

5 */s/Senator Russ*

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