A Bill

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PAROLE BOARD FOR THE
FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2018; AND FOR OTHER
PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE PAROLE BOARD APPROPRIATION
FOR THE 2017-2018 FISCAL YEAR.

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

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established
for the Parole Board for the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the following maximum
number of regular employees.

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(9) C010C  EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR 1  GRADE C118
(10) T105C  PAROLE BD VICTIM INPUT COORDINATOR 1  GRADE C118
(11) C037C  ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST 1  GRADE C115
(12) C050C  ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT SUPERVISOR 2  GRADE C113
(13) C056C  ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III 5  GRADE C112
(14) A098C  FISCAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST 1  GRADE C112
(15) C073C  ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II 1  GRADE C109
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES  27

SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Parole Board, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Parole Board for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, the following:

ITEM NO. FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018
(01) REGULAR SALARIES $1,483,726
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING 467,994
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION
(A) OPER. EXPENSE 270,311
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL 4,500
(C) PROF. FEES 80,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY 0
(E) DATA PROC. 0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED $2,306,531

SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
ASSISTANCE PROVISION. The Department of Correction and the Department of Community Correction may provide services, furnishings, equipment and office space to assist the Parole Board in fulfilling the purposes for which the Board was created by law.
The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017.

SECTION 4. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. (a) The Parole Board shall submit annually to the Joint Performance Review Committee, the Senate Committee on Judiciary, and the House Committee on Judiciary a copy of the board’s rules and policies, including any Administrative Rules, Directives, Memoranda, and Operational Policies, as well as any document intended to supplement any rule or policy; (b) Emergency Preparedness Plans shall be excluded from the provisions in this section.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2016 through June 30, 2017.

SECTION 5. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

SECTION 6. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2017 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2017 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2017.