



STATE OF ARKANSAS
ASA HUTCHINSON
GOVERNOR

January 27, 2015

Senator Larry Teague, Co-Chair
Representative Lane Jean, Co-Chair
Joint Budget Committee
Arkansas General Assembly
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Co-Chairs:

I respectfully request the following addition to SB32, the Operations Appropriation Bill for the Department of Education:

Please add the following position to:

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES.

Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2015-2016
G025C	ATTORNEY SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE C127

This position is authorized by Act 291 of 2014 Section 25(b), which allows the Department to establish additional positions in the event personal services needs require additional positions. The position is needed due to the high workload of the Department's Legal Services Office and requirement to employ an attorney with knowledge of the laws and regulations related to education and public schools. No additional appropriation or funding will be required.

I appreciate your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Asa Hutchinson".

Asa Hutchinson

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