

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ASA HUTCHINSON
GOVERNOR

February 28, 2017

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 amendment to SB157, the 2017-2018 Annual Operations Appropriation Bill for the Department of Finance and Administration – Alcoholic Beverage Control – Enforcement Division.

Please amend SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES as follows:

Item Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual	
No. Code Title	No. of	Salary Rate	
	Employees	Fiscal Year	
		2017-2018	
(2) NEW	DFA ABC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER SUP	4	GRADE GS07
(23)X085C	DFA ABC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER	18 21	GRADE C118
(3) E083C	EDUCATION & INSTRUCTION ANALYST	1	GRADE C118
	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	21 27	

Please amend SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION – STATE OPERATIONS as follows:

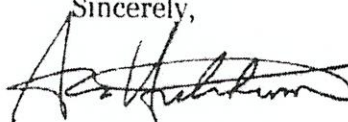
ITEM		FISCAL YEAR
NO.		2017-2018
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 833,161	\$1,125,161
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	343,124	456,526
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	152,200	175,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ 1,328,485	\$1,756,687

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The passage of Issue 6, Arkansas Medical Marijuana Amendment (AMMA), has created new responsibilities for the Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration Alcoholic Beverage Control Enforcement Division. The Division needs to increase its enforcement by six positions and related expenses due to the new responsibility to enforce medical marijuana laws and regulations in a fair and equitable manner.

I appreciate your consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

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ARKANSAS SENATE

91st General Assembly - Regular Session, 2017

Amendment Form

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 157

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE
CONTROL ENFORCEMENT DIVISION APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2017-2018 FISCAL YEAR.

Amendment No. ___ to Senate Bill No. 157

Amend Senate Bill No. 157 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 35, delete lines 35 and 36 in their entirety and substitute the following:

(2)	DFA ABC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER SUPRVS	4	GRADE GS07
(3)	X085C DFA ABC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER	21	GRADE C118

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "21" and substitute "27"

AND

Page 2, line 13, delete "\$833,161" and substitute "\$1,125,161"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "343,124" and substitute "456,526"

AND

Page 2, line 16, delete "152,200" and substitute "175,000"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "\$1,328,485" and substitute "\$1,756,687"

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The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

By: Joint Budget Committee

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Secretary

Stricken language will be deleted and underlined language will be added.

1 State of Arkansas
2 91st General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2017
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A Bill

SENATE BILL 157

5 By: Joint Budget Committee
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
9 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
10 AND ADMINISTRATION - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL
11 ENFORCEMENT DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE
12 30, 2018; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND
17 ADMINISTRATION - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE
18 CONTROL ENFORCEMENT DIVISION
19 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2017-2018 FISCAL
20 YEAR.
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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25 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby
26 established for the Department of Finance and Administration - Alcoholic
27 Beverage Control Enforcement Division for the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the
28 following maximum number of regular employees.
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Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2017-2018
34	(1) N166N	DFA DIRECTOR ABC ENFORCEMENT	1	GRADE N901
35	(2) X085C	DFA ABC ENFORCEMENT OFFICER	18	GRADE C118
36	(3) E038C	EDUCATION & INSTRUCTION ANALYST	1	GRADE C118



1 (4) C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III 1 GRADE C112
 2 MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES 21

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 4 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby
 5 appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Alcoholic
 6 Beverage Control Enforcement Division, to be payable from the Miscellaneous
 7 Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the
 8 Department of Finance and Administration - Alcoholic Beverage Control
 9 Enforcement Division for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, the following:

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11 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
12 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>
13 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$833,161
14 (02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	343,124
15 (03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
16 (A) OPER. EXPENSE	152,200
17 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
18 (C) PROF. FEES	0
19 (D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
20 (E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
21 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,328,485</u></u>

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 23 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
 24 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
 25 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
 26 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
 27 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
 28 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
 29 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
 30 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
 31 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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 33 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
 34 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
 35 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
 36 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive

1 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
2 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
3 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
4 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.
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6 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
7 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
8 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
9 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2017 is essential to the operation of
10 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
11 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
12 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2017 could work irreparable harm
13 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
14 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
15 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
16 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2017.
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