Act 1051 of the 1987 Regular Session

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HB1439

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION. There is hereby established for the Department of Finance and Administration -Management Services Division for the 1987-89 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act, or its successor.

				Maximum	Annual
				Salary	
	Clas			Fiscal	
		eTitle	_Employees	_1987-88	1988-89
. ,		DFA DIRECTOR	1	\$68,448 \$56,209	\$68,448
(2)	9941	DFA DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1	\$56,209	\$56,209
(3)	7283	CRIMINAL DETENTION FACILITIES COORD	1	\$25,599	\$25,599
(4)	121Z	DFA ACCOUNTING ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE	26
		DFA BUDGET ADMINISTRATOR	1		
		DFA TAX ADMINISTRATOR	1		
	151Z	DFA OFFICE OF ADMIN SVCS ADMR	1		
	178Z	DFA STATE PERSONNEL ADMR	1		
		DFA STATE PURCHASING ADMINISTRATOR			
		DATA PROCESSING SYSTEMS SUPPORT MGR	3	GRADE	
(6)		DFA ACCOUNTING MANAGER	4 2	GRADE	24
		DFA ADMR OF INTERGOVERNMENTAL SVCS			
		DFA ASST BUDGET ADMR	3		
(7)		DFA FISCAL MANAGER	1	GRADE	23
		DFA STATE EMPLOYEE INSURANCE MGR			
		DFA MERIT SYSTEM MANAGER	1		
		DFA FINANCIAL ADVISOR	1		
		DFA FEDERAL GRANTS SYSTEMS MANAGER			
(8)		SYSTEMS APPLICATIONS SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE	22
			10		
		DFA MARKETING & REDISTRIB MGR			
		DFA PERSONNEL MANAGER	1		
		DFA PROCUREMENT MANAGER	4		
		DFA ACCOUNTING SUPERVISOR	4		
(9)		SYSTEMS ANALYST II	2	GRADE	21
	D066	SYSTEMS COORDINATION ANALYST	2		
	RI30	DFA PERSONNEL SUPERVISOR	6		
		MINERAL LEASING OFFICER	1		
	858Z	DFA INTERNAL AUDIT MANAGER	1		

(10)	A008	ACCOUNTING SUPV II	2	GRADE 20
	A056	INTERNAL AUDITOR	2	
	A124	ACCOUNTING SERVICES REP II	4	
	D036	SR PROGRAMMER/ANALYST	1	
	R128	PERSONNEL REPRESENTATIVE II	12	
	V080	MGR PURCHASING & PROPERTY MGT	1	
	165z	DFA MGR STATE & FEDERAL SVCS	1	
	442Z	DFA MANAGER STATE CLEARINGHOUSE	1	
(11)		ACCOUNTING SERVICES REP I	3	GRADE 19
(==)		DFA SUPPORT SERVICES MANAGER	1	
		PERSONNEL REPRESENTATIVE I	5	
		DFA DIR EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	1	
	-	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST II	1 2	
			2	
		TEST TECHNICIAN	_	
		BUYER III	7	
		DFA PURCH DEV & PRODUCTION SUPV		
(12)		ACCOUNTING SUPV I	3	GRADE 18
		BUDGET SPECIALIST	1	
	R136	PLANNING SPECIALIST III	1	
	R150	RESEARCH PROJECT ANALYST I	1	
	R168	SUB-GRANT ADMINISTRATOR III	1	
	R264	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST I	3	
	R492	DFA VEHICLE MAINT COORD	1	
	V006	BUYER II	10	
	V044	SPECIFICATIONS SPEC	2	
		PROGRAMMER ANALYST I	1	
(13)		ACCOUNTANT II	8	GRADE 17
(1))		DATA PROCESSING SUPERVISOR II	2	
		ASST PERSONNEL MANAGER	1	
(11)		INDIRECT COST RATE ANALYST	1	GRADE 16
(14)		CERTIFICATION SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 10
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		EXAMINATION SUPERVISOR	1	
		ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	6	
		RECRUITMENT SPECIALIST	1	
		CONTRACT EXPEDITER	2	
(15)		ACCOUNTANT I	6	GRADE 15
		INSURANCE SPECIALIST II	1	
	K093	PERSONNEL TECHNICIAN	4	
	K129	BUDGET TECHNICIAN	2	
	R342	INTERVIEWER	1	
	R383	PERSONNEL REPRESENTATIVE TECHNICIAN	1	
	V030	INVENTORY CONTROL MANAGER	1	
(16)	D005	COMPUTER OPERATOR II	1	GRADE 14
	R009	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT I	3	
	V004	BUYER I	2	
		COMMODITY ANALYST	1	
		PURCHASE AGENT I/ASST PURCHASE AGENT	2	
(17)		BOOKKEEPING SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 13
(1 /)		INSURANCE SPECIALIST I	6	GIADE 15
		OFFICE SERVICES SUPV/OFFICE MANAGER	1	
			1	
		REPRO EQUIP OPR SUPV	=	
		MANAGEMENT SUPPORT TECHNICIAN	8	
(10)		STOREROOM SUPV/STORE SUPV	1	
(18)		PAYROLL OFFICER	1	GRADE 12
		DOCUMENT EXAMINER II	13	
		COURIER SUPERVISOR	1	
	K179	SECRETARY/WORD PROCESS SPECIALIST	7	

(19) A013	BOOKKEEPER II/ACCOUNTING ASST II	3	GRADE 11
К135	APMIS DATA TECHNICIAN	3	
К153	SECRETARY II	12	
(20) K143	MERIT SYSTEM TECHNICIAN	3	GRADE 10
V043	SHIPPING & RECEIVING CLERK	1	
W023	RECORDS CENTER OPERATOR II	1	
(21) A065	PRE-AUDIT EXAMINER I	1	GRADE 09
K037	DOCUMENT EXAMINER I	7	
K103	REPRO EQUIP OPR II/REPRO EQUIP OPR	1	
К155	SECRETARY I	10	
V057	WAREHOUSE SUPERVISOR	1	
(22) G143	EQUIPMENT OPERATOR II	2	GRADE 08
(23) K075	MICRO-PHOTOGRAPHER I	2	GRADE 07
(24) K015	CLERK II	1	GRADE 05
К069	COURIER II	8	
	MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	274	

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division for the 1987-89 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: Fifteen (15) temporary or parttime employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. EXTRA HELP - QUICK COPY SERVICE CENTER. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services - Quick Copy Service Center for the 1987-89 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: Three (3) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 4. EXTRA HELP - SURPLUS PROPERTY. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division - Surplus Property for the 1987-89 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: Two (2) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATIONS - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -Management Services Division, to be payable from the Constitutional and Fiscal Agencies Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM				FISCAI	l years
NO				1987-88	1988-89
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES		\$	4,823,075 \$	4,823,075
(02)	EXTRA HELP			23,912	23,912
(03)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING			990,338	990,338
(04)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION				
	(A) OPER. EXPENSES \$	879,821 \$	929,821		

	(B) CC	ONF. & TRAVEL	71,344	71,344		
	(C) PF	ROF. FEES	25,000	25,000		
	(D) CA	APITAL OUTLAY	35,600	22,000		
	(E) DA	ATA PROCESSING	_210,000	360,000_		
	TOTAL N	MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			1,221,765	1,408,165
(05)	CLASSIE	FICATION STUDY			50,000	
	TOTAL A	AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	7,109,090 \$	7,245,490

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS - MERIT SYSTEM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration, to be payable from the Merit System Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Finance and Administration -Merit System Council for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM				FISCAL	YEARS
NO				1987-88	1988-89
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES		\$	258,862 \$	258,862
(02)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING			54,635	54,635
(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION				
	(A) OPER. EXPENSES \$	91,244 \$	91,244		
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	2,000	2,000		
	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0		
	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	3,000	2,000		
	(E) DATA PROCESSING	65,000	35,000_		
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			161,244	130,244
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	474,741 \$	443,741

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATIONS - MARKETING AND REDISTRIBUTION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -Management Services Division, to be payable from the Property Sale Holding Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division - Marketing and Redistribution for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following: ITEM

NO				1987-88	1988-89
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES		\$	183,958 \$	183,958
(02)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING			36,574	36,574
(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION				
	(A) OPER. EXPENSES \$	42,405 \$	42,405		
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0	0		
	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0		
	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	27,750	1,650		
	(E) DATA PROCESSING	0	0_		
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			70,155	44,055
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	290,687 \$	264,587

SECTION 8. APPROPRIATIONS - MESSENGER SERVICES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division, to be payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division - Messenger Services for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following: ITEM FISCAL YEARS 1987-88 1988-89

NO		 1987-88	1988-89
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 28,792 \$	28,792

(02)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING			7,004	7,004
(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION				
	(A) OPER. EXPENSES \$	115,000 \$	115,000		
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0	0		
	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0		
	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	0	0		
	(E) DATA PROCESSING	0	0_		
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			115,000	115,000
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	150,796 \$	150,796

SECTION 9. APPROPRIATIONS - QUICK COPY SERVICE CENTER. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division, to be payable from the Quick Copy Service Center Revolving Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division - Quick Copy Service Center for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

T.T.F.M				FISCAL	YEARS
NO				1987-88	1988-89
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES		\$	62,626 \$	62,626
(02)	EXTRA HELP			6,000	6,000
(03)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING			14,190	14,190
(04)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION				
	(A) OPER. EXPENSES \$	233,352	\$ 233,352		
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	1,320	1,320		
	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0		
	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	30,000	40,000		
	(E) DATA PROCESSING	0_	0		
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			264,672	274,672
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	347,488 \$	357,488

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATIONS - SURPLUS PROPERTY. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Divison, to be payable from the Federal Surplus Property Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division - Surplus Property for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM				FISCAL	YEARS
NO				1987-88	1988-89
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES		\$	201,255 \$	201,255
(02)	EXTRA HELP			1,200	1,200
(03)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING			40,320	40,320
(04)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION				
	(A) OPER. EXPENSES \$	175,000	\$ 175,000		
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	1,000	1,000		
	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0		
	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	30,000	0		
	(E) DATA PROCESSING	0	0		
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			206,000	176,000
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	448,775 \$	418,775

SECTION 11. APPROPRIATIONS - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION - DATA PROCESSING. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division, to be payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for the purchase of data processing of the

Department of Finance and Administration - Managem	ment Services Division for
the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the foll	lowing:
ITEM	FISCAL YEARS
NO	1987-881988-89
(01) PURCHASE DATA PROCESSING	\$ 2,034,590 \$ 2,034,590

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	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	18,200	18,200		
	(C) PROF. FEES	5,000	5,000		
	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	0	0		
	(E) DATA PROCESSING	0	0_		
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			102,175	102,175
(02)	REFUNDS		\$	2,700 \$	2,700
(03)	MINERAL LEASING CLEARING			5,000	5,000
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	109,875 \$	109,875

SECTION 13. APPROPRIATIONS - NATURAL RESOURCES LEASE/PERMIT EXPENSES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division, to be payable from the Severed Resources Fund, for operating expenses of the Department of Finance and Administration -Management Services Division - Natural Resoures Lease/Permit Program for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

				FISCAL	ILARS
NO				1987-88	1988-89
(01)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION				
	(A) OPER. EXPENSES \$	15,540 \$	15,540		
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0	0		
	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0		
	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	0	0		
	(E) DATA PROCESSING	0	0_		
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			15,540	15,540
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	15,540 \$	15,540

SECTION 14. APPROPRIATIONS - EMPLOYEE SUGGESTION SYSTEM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration, to be payable from the Constitutional and Fiscal Agencies Fund, for payment of awards made under the Employee Suggestion System of the State of Arkansas, as operated by the Office of Personnel Management for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following: ITEM FISCAL YEARS

NO		 1987-88	1988-89
(01)	EMPLOYEE AWARDS	\$ 6,000 \$	6,000

SECTION 15. APPROPRIATIONS - EMPLOYEE SERVICES AWARDS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration , to be payable

from the Constitutional and Fiscal Agencies Fund, for the cost of the Employee Service Awards Program of the State of Arkansas, as operated by the Office of Personnel Management for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

TIEM					FISCAL	YEARS
NO					1987-88	1988-89
(01)	MAIN	T. & GEN. OPERATION				
	(A)	OPER. EXPENSES \$	6,650 \$	6,650		
	(B)	CONF. & TRAVEL	0	0		
	(C)	PROF. FEES	0	0		
	(D)	CAPITAL OUTLAY	0	0		
	(E)	DATA PROCESSING	0	0_		
	TOTA	L MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			6,650	6,650
	TOTA	L AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	6,650 \$	6,650

SECTION 16. APPROPRIATIONS - CRIMINAL JUSTICE BLOCK GRANT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration, to be payable from the Department of Finance and Administration Federal Fund Account, for the purpose of making Criminal Justice Block Grants of the Department of Finance and Administration for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following: ITEM FISCAL YEARS NO. _______1987-88_____1988-89

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500,000 \$

300,000

(01) GRANTS	
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SECTION 17. APPROPRIATION - DRUG LAW ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM - STATE. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Finance and Administration -Management Services Division, to be payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for matching grants to cities, counties and state agencies of the Department of Finance and Administration - Mangement Services Division -Drug Law Enforcement Program - State for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

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	AND STATE AGENCIES	\$ 393,624	\$ 394,624
(01)	MATCHING GRANTS FOR CITIES, COUNTIES,		
NO		1987-88	1988-89
ITEM		FISCAL	YEARS

SECTION 18. APPROPRIATIONS - DRUG LAW ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM - FEDERAL. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Finance and Administration -Mangement Services Division, to be payable from the Department of Finance and Adninistration Federal Fund Account, for operating expenses of the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division - Drug Law Enforcement Program - Federal for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following: ITEM FISCAL YEARS 1987-88____1988-89__ NO. (01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSES \$ 20,530 \$ 20,848 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL 3,500 3,500 (C) PROF. FEES 5,000 6,000 (D) CAPITAL OUTLAY 4,000 2,000

(E) DATA PROCESSING ____6,000 ____6,000 TOTAL MAINT. & GEN OPER. 39,030 38,348 (02) GRANTS TO CITIES, COUNTIES & STATE AGENCIES ____1,900,000_ _2,500,000_ TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED

SECTION 19. The funds appropriated in Section 17 of this Act shall be used for matching funds for administering the Federal Grants provided in Section 18 of this Act. The Department of Finance and Administration -Management Services Division is hereby authorized to call upon all state agencies to assist in the implementation of the Drug Law Enforcement Program. In no event shall additional personnel be hired for the purpose of implementing the Drug Law Enforcement Program.

SECTION 20. CARRY FORWARD PROVISION. Any savings in the various classifications of Maintainence and Operation appropriations provided for the Management Services Division during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1988, will be carried forward for budget preparation required for presentation to the Arkansas Legislative Council. A like amount of funding will be carried forward in the appropriate fund account. A report of such balances carried forward will be made to the Arkansas Legislative Council.

SECTION 21. There is hereby established a method of recognition of service by employee of the State of Arkansas. The Department of Finance and Administration - Office of Personnel Management shall coordinate the purchase, distribution and presentation of said service awards based on years of service with the State of Arkansas for full time employees in all state agencies, boards, commissions, and others under the Governor's direction. Said awards shall be made upon attainment of 10, 20, and 30 years of service in state government. The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall promulgate reasonable rules and regulations as he deems necessary in carrying out the provisions of this Service Recognition Program.

SECTION 22. The Revenue Division of the Department of Finance and Administration, the Employment Security Division of the Department of Labor, the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville, the Arkansas Industrial Commission and any other state agency, board, commission, department, institution, college, university or authority, shall make data, information, statistics, or other records of information, available to the Department of Finance and Administration. Provided, however, that such information and/or records shall not identify persons, people, conglomerates, corporations, monopolies, or others that would, from any published data or data within the possession of the Director's Office of the Department of Finance and Administration, reveal the identity or any information or data of that particular identity that would be in conflict with federal laws.

SECTION 23. TRANSFER OF FUNDS. In the event that the Department of Finance and Administration determines that a savings can be effected by providing messenger service with state employees rather than under contract from a private vendor, the Department is hereby authorized to transfer from maintenance and operations to salaries and personal services matching the necessary appropriation authorized in this Act.

SECTION 24. LOANS TO MARKETING AND REDISTRIBUTION. In the event the monies available in the Property Sale Holding Fund are not adequate during any month of each year of the fiscal biennium ending June 30, 1989, to meet the payroll commitments of the Department of Finance and Administration -Management Services Division - Marketing and Redistribution, for Regular Salaries and Personal Services Matching, as provided in Section 7 of this Act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State is hereby authorized to make loans, from time to time as needed, from the Budget Revolving Fund to the Property Sale Holding Fund to provide the monies required to meet the payroll and Personal Services Matching requirements for any such month. Provided that, if, at the end of each fiscal year, the Property Sale Holding Fund did not receive sufficient income to repay the entire amount of any such monies borrowed from the Budget Revolving Fund for the purposes, as authorized herein, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State is hereby authorized to transfer from the Constitutional and Fiscal Agencies Fund such amount as is necessary to reimburse the Budget Revolving Fund in behalf of loans made to the Property Sale Holding Fund to reimburse the Budget Revolving Fund for the amount of any such loan remaining unpaid at the end of each fiscal year.

SECTION 25. 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 Purchasing 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 26. 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 27. CONTRACT RESTRICTIONS. The agency, board, commission, department or institution to whom funds are appropriated by this Act shall not enter into any contract for any professional or consultant services which shall extend for more than twenty (20) actual working days or the total compensation exceeds five thousand dollars (\$5,000) during any one fiscal year without first seeking the advice of the Arkansas Legislative Council. Provided further, that all contracts for professional or consultant services shall be submitted monthly to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State for reporting to the Legislative Council.

SECTION 28. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Sixth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1987 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 Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1987 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, 1987.

APPROVED: April 17, 1987
