

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL 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. There is hereby established for the Office of Attorney General 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.

| Item No.             | Class Code | Title                              | Maximum No. of Employees | Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Years |          |
|----------------------|------------|------------------------------------|--------------------------|---|----------|
|                      |            |                                    |                          | 1987-88                                 | 1988-89  |
| (1)                  | 7304       | ATTY GEN CHIEF DEPUTY              | 1                        | \$44,536                                | \$44,536 |
| (2)                  | 7305       | ATTY GEN DEPUTY ATTY GEN           | 4                        | \$44,536                                | \$44,536 |
| (3)                  | 7061       | ATTY GEN DEATH PENALTY SPECIALIST  | 1                        | \$43,535                                | \$43,535 |
| (4)                  | 7306       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN        | 1                        | \$43,535                                | \$43,535 |
| (5)                  | 7307       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN        | 4                        | \$39,627                                | \$39,627 |
| (6)                  | 7308       | ATTY GEN DEPUTY ATTY GEN           | 1                        | \$37,596                                | \$37,596 |
| (7)                  | 7309       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN (FLS)  | 1                        | \$37,185                                | \$37,185 |
| (8)                  | 7310       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN        | 1                        | \$36,925                                | \$36,925 |
| (9)                  | 7311       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN        | 4                        | \$36,756                                | \$36,756 |
| (10)                 | 7312       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN        | 1                        | \$36,010                                | \$36,010 |
| (11)                 | 7313       | ATTY GEN STATISTICIAN              | 1                        | \$36,010                                | \$36,010 |
| (12)                 | 7314       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT AG-STATE POLICE | 1                        | \$34,598                                | \$34,598 |
| (13)                 | 7315       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN        | 1                        | \$34,443                                | \$34,443 |
| (14)                 | 7316       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN        | 5                        | \$33,939                                | \$33,939 |
| (15)                 | 7317       | ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN        | 1                        | \$30,820                                | \$30,820 |
| (16)                 | 7318       | ATTY GEN ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT  | 1                        | \$27,378                                | \$27,378 |
| (17)                 | 7319       | ATTY GEN INVESTIGATOR              | 1                        | \$27,183                                | \$27,183 |
| (18)                 | 7320       | ATTY GEN LEGAL INTERN              | 1                        | \$26,326                                | \$26,326 |
| (19)                 | 7321       | ATTY GEN PARALEGAL                 | 1                        | \$26,132                                | \$26,132 |
| (20)                 | 7322       | ATTY GEN CRIMINAL LAW ED DIR       | 1                        | \$23,361                                | \$23,361 |
| (21)                 | 7323       | ATTY GEN INVESTIGATOR              | 1                        | \$21,616                                | \$21,616 |
| (22)                 | 7324       | ATTY GEN SECRETARY                 | 1                        | \$19,366                                | \$19,366 |
| (23)                 | 7325       | ATTY GEN CASEWORK COORDINATOR      | 3                        | \$18,803                                | \$18,803 |
| (24)                 | 7326       | ATTY GEN ACCOUNTANT                | 1                        | \$18,695                                | \$18,695 |
| (25)                 | 7327       | ATTY GEN INVESTIGATOR              | 1                        | \$18,695                                | \$18,695 |
| (26)                 | 7328       | ATTY GEN SECRETARY GENERAL         | 1                        | \$17,923                                | \$17,923 |
| (27)                 | 7329       | ATTY GEN SECRETARY III             | 5                        | \$17,541                                | \$17,541 |
| (28)                 | 7330       | ATTY GEN SECRETARY                 | 1                        | \$17,541                                | \$17,541 |
| (29)                 | 7331       | ATTY GEN RESEARCH ANALYST          | 1                        | \$16,360                                | \$16,360 |
| (30)                 | 7332       | ATTY GEN SECRETARY II              | 2                        | \$15,529                                | \$15,529 |
| (31)                 | 7333       | ATTY GEN SECRETARY I               | 1                        | \$14,073                                | \$14,073 |
| MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES |            |                                    | 51                       |   |          |

SECTION 2. REGULAR SALARIES - CONSUMER UTILITIES RATE ADVOCACY DIVISION. There is hereby established for the Office of Attorney General - Consumer Utilities Rate Advocacy 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.

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|                      |            |                                 |                          | 1987-88                                 | 1988-89  |
| (1)                  | 7284       | C U R A D DIRECTOR              | 1                        | \$44,637                                | \$44,637 |
| (2)                  | 7285       | C U R A D ECONOMIST             | 1                        | \$32,418                                | \$32,418 |
| (3)                  | 7286       | C U R A D ASST ATTORNEY GENERAL | 2                        | \$32,309                                | \$32,309 |
| (4)                  | 7287       | C U R A D ATTORNEY              | 1                        | \$29,066                                | \$29,066 |
| (5)                  | 7288       | C U R A D ACCOUNTANT            | 2                        | \$28,158                                | \$28,158 |
| (6)                  | 7289       | C U R A D ADMIN ASSISTANT       | 1                        | \$25,309                                | \$25,309 |
| (7)                  | 7290       | C U R A D SECRETARY             | 1                        | \$17,403                                | \$17,403 |
| MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES |            |                                 | 9                        |   |          |

SECTION 3. REGULAR SALARIES - CONSUMER PROTECTION DIVISION. There is hereby established for the Office of Attorney General - Consumer Protection 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.

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|                      |            |                                    |                          | 1987-88                                 | 1988-89  |
| (1)                  | 7291       | CNSMR PROTECT DIV CONSUMER COUNSEL | 1                        | \$37,591                                | \$37,591 |
| (2)                  | 7292       | CNSMR PROTECT DIV CHF INVESTIGATOR | 1                        | \$25,362                                | \$25,362 |
| (3)                  | 7487       | PRGM MGR-MISSING CHILDREN SVCS     | 1                        | \$24,358                                | \$24,358 |
| (4)                  | 7293       | CNSMR PROTECT DIV INVESTIGATOR     | 2                        | \$18,696                                | \$18,696 |
| (5)                  | 7294       | CNSMR PROTECT DIV SECRETARY        | 2                        | \$17,546                                | \$17,546 |
| (6)                  | 7488       | ADMIN ASST-MISSING CHILDREN SVCS   | 1                        | \$17,059                                | \$17,059 |
| (7)                  | 7295       | CNSMR PROTECT DIV COUNSELOR        | 4                        | \$ 3,647                                | \$ 3,647 |
| MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES |            |                                    | 12                       |   |          |

SECTION 4. REGULAR SALARIES - MEDICAID FRAUD - FEDERAL. There is hereby established for the Office of Attorney General - Medicaid Fraud - Federal 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.

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|                      |            |                                   |                          | 1987-88                                 | 1988-89  |
| (1)                  | 7296       | MEDICAID FRAUD DIRECTOR           | 1                        | \$44,536                                | \$44,536 |
| (2)                  | 7297       | MEDICAID FRAUD ASSISTANT DIRECTOR | 1                        | \$41,248                                | \$41,248 |
| (3)                  | 7298       | MEDICAID FRAUD ASST ATTORNEY GEN  | 1                        | \$33,943                                | \$33,943 |
| (4)                  | 7299       | MEDICAID FRAUD INVESTIGATOR       | 9                        | \$27,185                                | \$27,185 |
| (5)                  | 7300       | MEDICAID FRAUD SECRETARY          | 2                        | \$19,411                                | \$19,411 |
| MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES |            |                                   | 14                       |   |          |

SECTION 5. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Office of Attorney General 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: four (4) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the regular salary schedule for comparable services for the Office of Attorney General.

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from the Constitutional and Fiscal Agencies Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of Attorney General for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

| ITEM NO.                     | FISCAL YEARS |              |
|------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
|                              | 1987-88      | 1988-89      |
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES        | \$ 1,518,385 | \$ 1,518,385 |
| (02) EXTRA HELP              | 13,000       | 13,000       |
| (03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING  | 360,833      | 360,833      |
| (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION |              |              |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSES           | \$ 653,224   | \$ 674,524   |
| (B) CONF. & TRAVEL           | 0            | 0            |
| (C) PROF. FEES               | 0            | 0            |
| (D) CAPITAL OUTLAY           | 0            | 0            |
| (E) DATA PROCESSING          | 0            | 0            |
| TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.    | 653,224      | 674,524      |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED    | \$ 2,545,442 | \$ 2,566,742 |

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATIONS - CONSUMER UTILITIES RATE ADVOCACY DIVISION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of Attorney General - Consumer Utilities Rate Advocacy Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

| ITEM NO.                     | FISCAL YEARS |            |
|------------------------------|--------------|------------|
|                              | 1987-88      | 1988-89    |
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES        | \$ 269,769   | \$ 269,769 |
| (02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING  | 61,669       | 61,669     |
| (03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION |              |            |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSES           | \$ 40,350    | \$ 43,550  |
| (B) CONF. & TRAVEL           | 7,200        | 7,390      |
| (C) PROF. FEES               | 30,000       | 30,000     |
| (D) CAPITAL OUTLAY           | 0            | 0          |
| (E) DATA PROCESSING          | 0            | 0          |
| TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.    | 77,550       | 80,940     |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED    | \$ 408,988   | \$ 412,378 |

SECTION 8. APPROPRIATIONS - CONSUMER PROTECTION DIVISION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of Attorney General - Consumer Protection Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

| ITEM |                           | FISCAL YEARS |            |
|------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|
| NO.  |                           | 1987-88      | 1988-89    |
| (01) | REGULAR SALARIES          | \$ 191,438   | \$ 191,438 |
| (02) | PERSONAL SERV MATCHING    | 45,215       | 45,215     |
| (03) | MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION   |              |            |
|      | (A) OPER. EXPENSES        | \$ 37,150    | \$ 42,950  |
|      | (B) CONF. & TRAVEL        | 4,100        | 4,100      |
|      | (C) PROF. FEES            | 0            | 0          |
|      | (D) CAPITAL OUTLAY        | 0            | 0          |
|      | (E) DATA PROCESSING       | 0            | 0          |
|      | TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER. | 41,250       | 47,050     |
|      | TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED | \$ 277,903   | \$ 283,703 |

SECTION 9. APPROPRIATIONS - MEDICAID FRAUD DIVISION - FEDERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from the Attorney General Federal Fund in the State Treasury, for personal services of the Office of Attorney General - Medicaid Fraud Division - Federal for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

| ITEM |                           | FISCAL YEARS |            |
|------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|
| NO.  |                           | 1987-88      | 1988-89    |
| (01) | REGULAR SALARIES          | \$ 403,214   | \$ 403,214 |
| (02) | PERSONAL SERV MATCHING    | 36,370       | 36,370     |
|      | TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED | \$ 439,584   | \$ 439,584 |

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATIONS - MEDICAID FRAUD DIVISION - STATE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of Attorney General - Medicaid Fraud Division - State for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

| ITEM |                           | FISCAL YEARS |            |
|------|---------------------------|--------------|------------|
| NO.  |                           | 1987-88      | 1988-89    |
| (01) | PERSONAL SERV MATCHING    | \$ 63,517    | \$ 63,517  |
| (02) | MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION   |              |            |
|      | (A) OPER. EXPENSES        | \$ 43,250    | \$ 49,450  |
|      | (B) CONF. & TRAVEL        | 14,000       | 14,000     |
|      | (C) PROF. FEES            | 5,000        | 5,000      |
|      | (D) CAPITAL OUTLAY        | 18,500       | 18,500     |
|      | (E) DATA PROCESSING       | 0            | 0          |
|      | TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER. | 80,750       | 86,950     |
|      | TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED | \$ 144,267   | \$ 150,467 |

SECTION 11. FUNDING RESTRICTION. The Attorney General shall not enter into any contract for the employment of outside legal counsel without first seeking the advice of the Arkansas Legislative Council.

SECTION 12. 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 13. 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 14. 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 15. 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: 4/2/87

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