1 State of Arkansas **A BillACT 1133 OF 1991** 2 **78th General Assembly** HOUSE BILL 1957 3 Regular Session, 1991 **By: Joint Budget Committee** 6 For An Act To Be Entitled 7 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND g OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES -9 DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES FOR THE BIENNIAL 10 PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1993; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES." 12 13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS: 14 15 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established 16 for the Department of Human Services - Division of Children and Family 17 Services for the 1991-93 biennium, the following maximum number of regular 18 employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform 19 Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its 20 successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any 21 position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in 22 dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification 23 and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are 24 hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and 25 Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor. 26 27 Maximum Annual 28 Maximum Salary Rate 29 Item Class No. of Fiscal Years 30 No. Code Title **Employees** 1991-92 1992-93 31 (1) 9720 DHS/DEPUTY DIRECTOR DCFS 1 \$61,000 \$64,050 (2) 878Z DCFS ADMR PROGRAM OPERATIONS GRADE 25 32 1 397Z DCFS ADMIN OF COMMUNITY SVCS 33 L124 PSYCHOLOGIST 34 1 880Z DCFS ADMR PROGRAM SUPPORT 35 1

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886Z DCFS ADMR ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES

1	(3)	187Z	DCFS ADMR INDIVIDUAL & FAMILY SVCS	1	GRADE 24
2		403Z	YOUTH SVCS CENTER SUPT	2	
3	(4)	923Z	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR	2	GRADE 23
4		897Z	DHS/DCFS INSTITUTION PROGRAM MGR	2	
5		E015	ED SCHOOL PRINCIPAL	2	
6	(5)	M087	DCFS FIELD MANAGER	8	GRADE 22
7		L027	DHS/DCFS COORD OF DIAGNOSTIC SVCS	1	
8		909Z	PROGRAM SUPPORT MANAGER	1	
9		L078	NURSE SUPERVISOR	2	
10	(6)	809Z	DHS PLANNING & POLICY DEV COORD	1	GRADE 21
11		697Z	DHS PROGRAM MANAGER	4	
12		M085	DCFS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR	3	
13		L122	PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINER II	6	
14		892Z	DHS INSTITUTION BUSINESS MANAGER	2	
15		M112	COTTAGE LIFE PROGRAM DIRECTOR	4	
16		R326	QUALITY ASSURANCE COORDINATOR	1	
17	(7)	M035	FAMILY SERVICE WORKER III	72	GRADE 20
18		R145	DHS PROGRAM COORDINATOR	15	
19		R266	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST II	3	
20		M088	SOCIAL WORKER II	6	
21		E026	INSTITUTIONAL INSTRUCTOR SUPERVISOR	3	
22		T016	AGRICULTURAL UNIT SUPERVISOR II	1	
23		E025	DHS/DCFS INSTITUTION ED COORD	1	
24		L070	NURSE II	2	
25	(8)	R168	GRANTS COORDINATOR II	8	GRADE 19
26		M030	FAMILY SERVICE WORKER II	98	
27		R084	DHS STAFF SUPERVISOR	2	
28		M160	DHS/DCFS FIELD SVCS REP	13	
29		M086	SOCIAL WORKER I	5	
30		M138	YOUTH SVCS COUNSELOR III	1	
31	(9)	R264	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST I	3	GRADE 18
32		M168	CHILD CARE LICENSING SPECIALIST	26	
33		M068	DHS PROGRAM ANALYST	5	
34		M156	ADOPTION SPECIALIST	16	
35		M082	SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER III	1	

1		M136	YOUTH SVCS COUNSELOR II	16	
2			BUDGET SPECIALIST	1	
3		E024	INSTITUTIONAL INSTRUCTOR II	41	
4		E050	STAFF DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST II	2	
5		Y041	HEATING & A/C MECHANIC SUPERVISOR	1	
6		E082	VOCATIONAL INSTRUCTOR II	9	
7		G028	BUILDING PLANT MAINTENANCE SUPV II	2	
8		H032	FOOD PRODUCTION MANAGER	2	
9		M050	RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY LEADER SUPV	4	
10		M106	VOCATIONAL REHAB EVALUATOR II	1	
11	(10)	M034	FAMILY SERVICE WORKER I	361	GRADE 17
12		R166	GRANTS COORDINATOR I	9	
13		M080	SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER II/SOC. SVC. WK	1	
14		R010	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	4	
15		G089	LANDSCAPE SUPERVISOR II	1	
16		G124	PLANT MAINTENANCE SUPV	1	
17		M099	COTTAGE LIFE PROGRAM SUPERVISOR	6	
18		R190	PERSONNEL OFFICER II	3	
19		T049	SECURITY OFFICER SUPERVISOR	5	
20		Y039	HEATING & A/C MECHANIC	1	
21		Y053	JOURNEYMAN CARPENTER	2	
22		Y057	JOURNEYMAN PAINTER	1	
23	(11)	G027	BUILDING PLANT MAINTENANCE SUPV I	1	GRADE 16
24		M134	YOUTH SVCS COUNSELOR I	3	
25		H035	FOOD PRODUCTION SUPERVISOR	3	
26	(12)	R009	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT I	4	GRADE 15
27		A108	ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN II	1	
28		T047	SECURITY OFFICER III	13	
29		L115	LPTN II	11	
30		V039	PURCHASE AGENT I/ASST PURCHASE AGEN	1	
31		M039	HOUSEPARENT SUPERVISOR	58	
32		V051	STOREROOM SUPV/STORE SUPV	1	
33	(13)	K041	EXECUTIVE SECY/ADMINISTRATIVE SECY	7	GRADE 14
34		K117	MEDICAL OR LEGAL SECRETARY	1	
35		L049	LPN II	8	

1		G051	FARM FOREMAN	1		
2	(14)	K153	SECRETARY II	11	GRADE 13	
3		H049	SUPERVISOR OF COOKING	1		
4		M037	HOUSEPARENT	62		
5		E027	INSTITUTIONAL TEACHER ASSISTANT	4		
6		E017	INSTITUTION ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN	1		
7	(15)	K039	DOCUMENT EXAMINER II	2	GRADE 12	
8		T045	SECURITY OFFICER II	5		
9	(16)	K155	SECRETARY I	47	GRADE 11	
10		M067	SOCIAL SERVICE AIDE II	43		
11		Y001	APPRENTICE TRADESMAN	1		
12		G073	HEAVY EQUIP OPERATOR	2		
13	(17)	K037	DOCUMENT EXAMINER I	2	GRADE 10	
14		K023	CLERK TYPIST	43		
15		H027	COOK II	9		
16		W023	RECORDS CENTER OPERATOR II	1		
17		G006	MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATOR	1		
18		K097	RECEPTIONIST	1		
19	(18)	G010	LAUNDRY SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 08	
20		H019	CANTEEN SUPERVISOR	1		
21		H003	BAKER I	4		
22		H025	COOK I	2		
23	(19)	G191	CLOTHING SHOP OPERATOR	<u> </u>	GRADE 07	
24			MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1,161		
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26		Č	SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is h	nereby authorize	ed, for the	
27	Department of Human Services - Division of Children and Family Services for					
28	the 1991-93 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary					
29	employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein					
30	for such purposes: one hundred ten (110) temporary or part-time employees,					
31	when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform					
32	2 Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the					

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33 appropriate classification.

35 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated,

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1 to the Department of Human Services - Division of Children and Family
2 Services, to be payable from the Department of Human Services Paying Account
3 as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services
 4 and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Division of
 5 Children and Family Services for the biennial period ending June 30, 1993, the
 6 following:
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 8 ITEM
                                                             FISCAL YEARS
9 NO.
                                                        1991-92
                                                                     1992-93
10 (01) REGULAR SALARIES
                                                      $ 18,442,120 $ 19,587,318
11 (02)
       EXTRA HELP
                                                            62,159
                                                                         62,159
12 (03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING
                                                         5,174,190 5,539,139
13 (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION
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         (A) OPER. EXPENSES $ 2,705,588 $ 2,805,588
15
        (B) CONF. & TRAVEL
                                  271,077
                                               271,077
        (C) PROF. FEES
                                   605,462
                                               605,462
                                   112,400
                                                112,400
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         (D) CAPITAL OUTLAY
         (E) DATA PROCESSING ______0
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        TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.
                                                        3,694,527 3,794,527
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        TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED
                                                      $ 27,372,996 $ 28,983,143
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         SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS GRANTS - AFDC/FOSTER CARE. There is hereby
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23 appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Children and
24 Family Services, to be payable from the Department of Human Services Paying
25 Account as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant
26 payments for AFDC/Foster Care by the Department of Human Services - Division
27 of Children and Family Services for the biennial period ending June 30, 1993,
28 the following:
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30 ITEM
                                                             FISCAL YEARS
31 NO.
                                                        1991-92 1992-93
32 (01) AFDC/FOSTER CARE
                                                      $ 1,148,817 $ 1,148,817
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         SECTION 5. APPROPRIATIONS - GRANTS - STATE. There is hereby
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35 appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Children and
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1	Family Services, to be payable from the Children and Family Services Fund					
2	Account, for grant payments by the Department of Human Services - Division of					
3	Children and Family Services for the biennial period	od ending June 30, 1993, the				
4	following:					
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6	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS				
7	NO.	1991-92 1992-93				
8	(01) FOSTER CARE DAY CARE	\$ 310,888 \$ 310,888				
9	(02) RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT CARE	1,820,019 1,820,019				
10	(03) FOSTER CARE	5,123,736 5,124,282				
11	(04) SCAN	424,110 437,552				
12	(05) COMMUNITY SERVICES MATCH	408,078 408,078				
13	(06) COMMUNITY SERVICES	2,349,625 2,349,625				
14	(07) RESIDENTIAL YOUTH TREATMENT	145,000 145,000				
15	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 10,581,456</u>				
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17	SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS - GRANTS - FEDERAL.	There is hereby				
18	appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Children and					
		Division of children and				
19	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a					
		as designated by the Chief				
	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a	as designated by the Chief the Department of Human				
20	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by	as designated by the Chief the Department of Human				
20 21	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services	as designated by the Chief the Department of Human				
20 21 22	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services	as designated by the Chief the Department of Human				
20212223	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following:	the Department of Human s for the biennial period				
2021222324	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following:	as designated by the Chief the Department of Human s for the biennial period FISCAL YEARS				
202122232425	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following: ITEM NO.	as designated by the Chief the Department of Human s for the biennial period FISCAL YEARS 1991-92 1992-93				
20212223242526	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following: ITEM NO. (01) CHILD CARE FOOD	riscal YEARS 1991-92 \$ 8,900,000 \$ 8,900,000				
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following: ITEM NO. (01) CHILD CARE FOOD (02) CHILD WELFARE ASSISTANCE	riscal YEARS 1991-92 \$ 8,900,000 \$ 8,900,000 224,034 224,034				
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following: ITEM NO. (01) CHILD CARE FOOD (02) CHILD WELFARE ASSISTANCE (03) CHILD & YOUTH SERVICE - GRANTS	FISCAL YEARS 1991-92 \$ 8,900,000 \$ 8,900,000 224,034 404,625 404,625				
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following: ITEM NO. (01) CHILD CARE FOOD (02) CHILD WELFARE ASSISTANCE (03) CHILD & YOUTH SERVICE - GRANTS	FISCAL YEARS 1991-92 \$ 8,900,000 \$ 8,900,000 224,034 404,625 404,625				
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following: ITEM NO. (01) CHILD CARE FOOD (02) CHILD WELFARE ASSISTANCE (03) CHILD & YOUTH SERVICE - GRANTS TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	## As designated by the Chief ### The Department of Human ### FISCAL YEARS 1991-92				
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following: ITEM NO. (01) CHILD CARE FOOD (02) CHILD WELFARE ASSISTANCE (03) CHILD & YOUTH SERVICE - GRANTS TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED SECTION 7. APPROPRIATIONS - CAPITAL GRANTS.	## As designated by the Chief ### Human ### FISCAL YEARS ### 1991-92				
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30 31 32 33	Family Services, to be payable from federal funds a Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments by Services - Division of Children and Family Services ending June 30, 1993, the following: ITEM NO. (01) CHILD CARE FOOD (02) CHILD WELFARE ASSISTANCE (03) CHILD & YOUTH SERVICE - GRANTS TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED SECTION 7. APPROPRIATIONS - CAPITAL GRANTS. appropriated, to the Department of Human Services -	FISCAL YEARS 1991-92 \$ 8,900,000 \$ 8,900,000 224,034 224,034 404,625 \$ 9,528,659 \$ 9,528,659 There is hereby Division of Children and etention Facilities Capital				

1 SECTION 8. APPROPRIATIONS - REVOLVING LOANS. There is hereby 2 3 appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Children and 4 Family Services, to be payable from the Juvenile Detention Facilities 5 Revolving Loan Fund, for loans to finance the construction, acquisition, and 6 operation of juvenile detention facilities for the biennial period ending June 7 30, 1993, the sum of\$1,500,000. a SECTION 9. APPROPRIATIONS - JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITIES. There is 9 10 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of 11 Children and Family Services, to be payable from the Juvenile Detention 12 Facilities Operating Fund, to grant operating funds to local juvenile 13 detention facilities for operating expenses for the biennial period ending 14 June 30, 1993, the following: 15 16 *ITEM* FISCAL YEARS 17 NO. 1991-92 1992-93 18 (01) JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY OPER.EXPENSES \$500,000 \$500,000 19 SECTION 10. TRANSFER AUTHORITY. The Director of the Department of 20 21 Human Services, with the approval of the Governor, shall have the authority to 22 request, from the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a transfer of funds from 23 the Children and Family Services Fund Account to the funds created in Arkansas 24 Code §§19-5-1033 and 19-5-1034. If it is determined that the request for 25 transfer should be made, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall then 26 initiate the necessary transfer documents to reflect the transfer upon the 27 fiscal records of the State Treasurer, the State Auditor, the Chief Fiscal 28 Officer of the State and the Department of Human Services. 29 30 SECTION 11. REVOLVING LOAN FUND ESTABLISHED. (a) There is hereby

SECTION 11. REVOLVING LOAN FUND ESTABLISHED. (a) There is hereby
stablished on the books of the State Treasurer, State Auditor, and the Chief
Fiscal Officer of the State, a fund to be known as the "Juvenile Detention
Facilities Revolving Loan Fund". Such funds shall consist of monies
transferred from the Budget Stabilization Trust Fund or its successor.

1 SECTION 12. The Director of the Department of Human Services shall,

- 2 with the approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, have the authority
- 3 to transfer an amount not to exceed \$100,000 for each year of the 1991-93
- 4 biennium to be used for the repair and renovation of institutional facilities
- 5 (Maintenance and General Operations and Professional Fees and Services) needed
- 6 by the Division of Children and Family Services from Regular Salaries and
- 7 Personal Services Matching in the administrative paying account appropriation
- 8 when it is determined a surplus of funds and appropriation will be available.

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- 10 SECTION 13. Due to current working conditions and the necessity of
- 11 recruiting and retaining qualified personnel, the Division of Children and
- 12 Family Services of the Department of Human Services is authorized special
- 13 rates of pay for current and new employees up to the levels listed below:

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15 CLASS

16	CODE	TITLE	GRADE	LEVEL
17	M035	Family Service Worker III	20	III
18	M030	Family Service Worker II	19	III
19	M034	Family Service Worker I	17	III

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- 21 This special provision shall be in full force and effect for the biennium
- 22 beginning July 1, 1991 and ending June 30, 1993. The Division of Children and
- 23 Family Services, Department of Human Services shall be limited to a maximum of
- 24 80 filled positions in utilizing the title of Family Service Worker III, Grade
- 25 20; 150 filled positions in utilizing the title of Family Service Worker II,
- 26 Grade 19; and 300 filled positions in utilizing the title of Family Service
- 27 Worker I, Grade 17. At no time during the biennium shall the combined use of
- 28 all titles referenced above, Family Service Worker I, II and III, exceed 425
- 29 total filled positions.

- 31 SECTION 14. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
- 32 Department of Human Services Division of Children and Family Services, to be
- 33 payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for supportive services
- 34 for children and families for the biennial period ending June 30, 1993, the
- 35 following:

1	ITEM	FISCAL	YEARS		
2	NO.	1991-92	1992-93		
3	(01) SUPPORTIVE SERVICES	<u>\$90,000</u>	<u>\$90,000</u>		
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5	SECTION 15. APPROPRIATION - CHILD WELFARE RESTRUC	CTURING. T	here is		
6	hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services	s - Divisio	n of		
7	Children and Family Services, to be payable from the Dep	oartment of	Human		
8	Services Paying Account as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the				
9	State, for Restructuring Child Welfare Services for the	biennial p	eriod ending		
10	June 30, 1993, the following:				
11	ITEM	FISCAL	YEARS		
12	NO.	1991-92	1992-93		
13	(01) RESTRUCTURING CHILD WELFARE SERVICES	<u> 8,000,000</u>	\$13,000,000		
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15	SECTION 16. CHILD WELFARE SERVICES POSITION POOL.	. In the e	vent that		
16	additional programs are implemented to better provide for	or the safe	ty and well-		
17	being of children and families in the State of Arkansas	and that s	uch programs		
18	would make it necessary to employ additional personnel,	the Direct	or of the		
19	Department of Human Services may request the Department	of Finance	and		
20	Administration to approve the establishment of one or mo	ore additio	nal		
21	positions at salary rates not to exceed the maximum sala	aries estab	lished for		
22	comparable positions in the Uniform Classification and C	Compensatio	n Act. Upon		
23	approval of the Department of Finance and Administration	n, and afte	r review by		
24	the Arkansas Legislative Council, the Department of Huma	an Services	- Division		
25	of Children and Family Services may establish such posit	cions.			
26	(a) The following maximum number of new or addita	ional posit	ions are		
27	hereby established for the 1991-93 biennium for the Divi	ision of Ch	ildren and		
28	Family Services:				
29	Maximum Number of Additional Positions	250			
30	(b) In the event that new classifications are dea	emed necess	ary for any		
31	of these additional positions, the Department of Finance	e and Admin	istration -		
32	Office of Personnel Management shall assign the appropri	iate title	and grade		
33	after review by the Arkansas Legislative Council.				
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35	SECTION 17. RESTRUCTURING CHILD WELFARE SYSTEM.	Upon deter	mination by		

1 the Director of the Department of Human Services that a reallocation of 2 resources is necessary for the efficient and effective implementation of the 3 restructuring of the Child Welfare System, the Director of the Department of 4 Human Services, with the approval of the Governor, shall have the authority to 5 request, from the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, a transfer of 6 appropriation established in Section 15 of this Act, and positions established 7 by Section 16 of this Act and/or funds provided herein, between appropriations 8 and funds within the Department of Human Services and/or those of other state 9 agencies as required to implement changes in the Child Welfare System. 10 Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, prior to approving the request, shall 11 submit his recommendation to the Arkansas Legislative Council for its review. If it is determined that the requested transfer should be made, the 12 13 Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall initiate the necessary documents to 14 reflect the transfer upon the fiscal records of the State Treasurer, the State 15 Auditor, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and the affected state 16 agencies.

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SECTION 18. 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.

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SECTION 19. 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.

1 SECTION 20. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and 2 3 permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and 4 the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code. 6 SECTION 21. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the 7 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such 8 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which 9 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this 10 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable. 11 SECTION 22. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict 12 13 with this Act are hereby repealed. 14 15 SECTION 23. HEALTH PREMIUMS. The Department of Human Services -16 Division of Children and Family Services shall not, during the 1992-93 fiscal 17 year, spend more for health insurance per employee than the amount being 18 contributed to the State Employees Health Insurance Program. 19 20 SECTION 24. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the 21 Seventy-Eighth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of 22 Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year 23 period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1991 is essential to the 24 operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, 25 and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the 26 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1991 could work irreparable harm 27 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental 28 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act 29 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and 30 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1991. 31 /s/ John E. Miller 32 33 APPROVED: 4/9/91

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