

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

A Bill

ACT 1314 OF 1993
HOUSE BILL 1912

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES,
9 OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER
10 EDUCATION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1995;
11 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION
15 APPROPRIATION."

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

19 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - GENERAL OPERATIONS. There is hereby
20 established for the Department of Higher Education - General Operations for
21 the 1993-95 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose
22 salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and
23 Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all
24 laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a
25 specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt
26 from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All
27 persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the
28 provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas
29 Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

Item	Class	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate	
				1993-94	1994-95
35	(1)	9960 HIGHER ED DIRECTOR	1	\$ 88,072	\$ 91,154
36	(2)	7243 HIGHER EDUCATION DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1	\$ 81,549	\$ 84,403

1	(3) 9773 HIGHER ED SENIOR ASSOC DIR	1	\$ 74,648	\$ 77,260
2	(4) 9774 HIGHER ED ASSOC DIR FOR FISCAL AFF	1	\$ 64,514	\$ 66,771
3	(5) 9922 DHE ASSOC DIR FOR ACADEMIC AFFAIRS	1	\$ 64,514	\$ 66,771
4	(6) 9964 DHE COORDINATOR FOR AGENCY FINANCE	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
5	(7) 9965 HIGHER ED COORD OF ACADEMIC PROGRAM	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
6	(8) 9966 HIGHER ED STUDENT FIN AID MANAGER	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
7	(9) 9623 H E COORD OF INSTITUTIONAL FINANCE	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
8	(10) 9983 H E COORD OF Y.O.U. PROGRAM	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
9	(11) A252 DHE FINANCIAL MANAGER	1		GRADE 24
10	D064 SR SYSTEMS PROGRAMMER	1		
11	(12) R088 HIGHER ED FINANCIAL OFFICER	2		GRADE 22
12	R096 HIGHER ED ASST COORD STDNT FIN AID	3		
13	A032 AGENCY FISCAL MANAGER	1		
14	(13) D036 SR PROGRAMMER/ANALYST	1		GRADE 21
15	(14) R240 DHE DATA COLLECTION ANALYST	2		GRADE 20
16	(15) R264 MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST I	2		GRADE 18
17	(16) K011 ADMIN SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	1		GRADE 15
18	R444 BUSINESS CONTROLLER I	1		
19	(17) K153 SECRETARY II	6		GRADE 13
20	(18) K155 SECRETARY I	1		GRADE 11
21	(19) K097 RECEPTIONIST	<u>1</u>		GRADE 10
22				
	MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	33		

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24 SECTION 2. REGULAR SALARIES - TECHNICAL EDUCATION IMPLEMENTATION -

25 STATE. There is hereby established for the Department of Higher Education -

26 Technical Education Implementation - State for the 1993-95 biennium, the

27 following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed

28 by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas

29 Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto.

30 Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary

31 is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said

32 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions

33 authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular

34 Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its

35 successor.

			Maximum Annual		
			Maximum	Salary Rate	
Item	Class		No. of	Fiscal Years	
No.	Code	Title	Employees	1993-94	1994-95
6	(1) 9772	HIGHER ED DEPUTY DIR TECHNICAL ED	1	\$ 81,549	\$ 84,403
7	(2) 9090	HE ASST DIR OF INFO SERVICES	1	\$ 54,888	\$ 56,809
8	(3) 9091	HE ASST DIR OF POLICY & PROGRAMS	1	\$ 54,888	\$ 56,809
9	(4) 9978	ASST DIR FOR PLNG & ACCOUNTABILITY	1	\$ 54,888	\$ 56,809
10	(5) 9956	ASST DIRECTOR FOR HEALTH AFFAIRS	1	\$ 54,888	\$ 56,809
11	(6) 9092	HE COORD OF GENERAL ADMIN	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
12	(7) 9093	HE COORD 2-YR INST FINANCE	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
13	(8) 9094	HE COORD TECHNICIAN EDUCATION	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
14	(9) 9095	HE COORD ACCREDITATION/ARTICULATIVE	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
15	(10) 9097	HE COORD PROG REVIEW & APPROVAL	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
16	(11) 9098	HE COORD OF 2-YR FINANCIAL AID	1	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,983
17	(12) A252	DHE FINANCIAL MANAGER	1	GRADE 24	
18	D064	SR SYSTEMS PROGRAMMER	1		
19	(13) R201	DHE PERSONNEL MANAGER	1	GRADE 22	
20	R088	HIGHER ED FINANCIAL OFFICER	2		
21	(14) R240	DHE DATA COLLECTION ANALYST	1	GRADE 20	
22	(15) K153	SECRETARY II	<u>2</u>	GRADE 13	
23	MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES		19		

SECTION 3. REGULAR SALARIES - TECHNICAL EDUCATION - FEDERAL PROGRAMS.

There is hereby established for the Department of Higher Education - Technical Education - Federal Programs for the 1993-95 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), 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 (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its

1 successor.

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Maximum Annual

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~~Maximum Salary Rate~~

5 Item Class

No. of

Fiscal Years

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No. Code Title

Employees

1993-94

1994-95

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(1) 7091 DHE COORD OF FEDERAL PROGRAMS

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\$ 49,259

\$ 50,983

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MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES

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10 SECTION 4. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the

11 Department of Higher Education for the 1993-95 biennium, the following maximum

12 number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help",

13 payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: nine (9) temporary

14 or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those

15 provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor,

16 or this act for the appropriate classification.

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18 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATIONS - GENERAL OPERATIONS. There is hereby

19 appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the

20 Department of Higher Education Fund Account, for personal services, operating

21 expenses and grants of the Department of Higher Education for the biennial

22 period ending June 30, 1995, the following:

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24 ITEM

FISCAL YEARS

25

NO.

1993-94

1994-95

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(01) REGULAR SALARIES

\$ 1,121,777

\$ 1,161,178

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(02) EXTRA HELP

5,101

5,101

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(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING

268,460

275,641

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(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION

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(A) OPER. EXPENSE \$ 289,538 \$ 289,538

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(B) CONF. & TRVL. 37,525 37,525

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(C) PROF. FEES 4,000 4,000

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(D) CAP. OUTLAY 60,000 7,500

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(E) DATA PROC. 0 0

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TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER. 391,063

338,563

1	(05)	YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES UNLIMITED	184,000	184,000
2	(06)	FACULTY/ADMINISTRATOR DEVELOPMENT MATCHING	30,000	30,000
3	(07)	PROGRAM EVALUATION	<u>49,602</u>	<u>49,602</u>
4		TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 2,050,003</u>	<u>\$ 2,044,085</u>

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6 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS - TECHNICAL EDUCATION IMPLEMENTATION. There

7 is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable

8 from the Department of Higher Education Fund Account, for personal services,

9 operating expenses and grants for technical education implementation and

10 restructuring in the Department of Higher Education for the biennial period

11 ~~ending June 30, 1995, the following:~~

13	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
14	NO.	1993-94	1994-95
15	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 798,935	\$ 826,429
16	(02) EXTRA HELP	45,000	45,000
17	(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	188,330	193,218
18	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
19	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$ 303,678	\$ 303,678
20	(B) CONF. & TRVL.	37,525	37,525
21	(C) PROF. FEES	21,000	21,000
22	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	68,000	63,000
23	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>25,000</u>	<u>25,000</u>
24	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	455,203	450,203
25	(05) OVERTIME	10,000	10,000
26	(06) PROGRAM EVALUATION/ACCREDITATION	<u>150,000</u>	<u>150,000</u>
27	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 1,647,468</u>	<u>\$ 1,674,850</u>

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29 SECTION 7. APPROPRIATIONS - HIGHER EDUCATION PROMOTIONAL GRANTS. There

30 is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable

31 from the Department of Higher Education Fund Account, for the State Board of

32 Higher Education to utilize in the promotion of statewide higher education

33 priorities of the State Board of Higher Education for the biennial period

34 ending June 30, 1995, the following:

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1 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
	1993-94	1994-95
2 NO.		
3 (01) HIGHER EDUCATION PROMOTIONAL GRANTS	\$ <u>3,160,300</u>	\$ <u>3,160,300</u>

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5 SECTION 8. APPROPRIATIONS - SREB INSTITUTE. There is hereby
6 appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the
7 Department of Higher Education Fund Account, for making the contribution of
8 the State of Arkansas to the SREB Institute for higher educational opportunity
9 ~~by the Department of Higher Education for the biennial period ending June 30,~~
10 1995, the following:

12 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
	1993-94	1994-95
13 NO.		
14 (01) STATE'S CONTRIBUTION - SREB INSTITUTE	\$ <u>135,000</u>	\$ <u>135,000</u>

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16 SECTION 9. APPROPRIATIONS - REPORTS OF COLLEGE ACHIEVEMENT OF HIGH
17 SCHOOL GRADUATES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher
18 Education, to be payable from the Department of Higher Education Fund Account,
19 for expenses incurred by the Department of Higher Education in collecting,
20 analyzing, and providing reports of college achievement of high school
21 graduates, including contracts with the American College testing service or
22 ~~other organizations for the biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the~~
23 following:

25 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
	1993-94	1994-95
26 NO.		
27 (01) EXPENSES FOR REPORTS OF COLLEGE		
28 ACHIEVEMENT OF HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES	\$ <u>6,000</u>	\$ <u>6,000</u>

29 ITEM (12) BELOW WAS DISAPPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR

30 SECTION 10. APPROPRIATIONS - STUDENT ASSISTANCE GRANTS AND VARIOUS
31 SCHOLARSHIPS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher
32 Education, to be payable from the Department of Higher Education Grants Fund
33 Account, for providing student assistance grants and various scholarships as
34 ~~provided by law by the Department of Higher Education for the biennial period~~
35 ending June 30, 1995, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	1993-94	1994-95
(01) SCHOLARSHIPS TO DEPENDENTS -		
MIA/KIA TUITION WAIVERS	\$ 48,000	\$ 48,000
(02) TEACHER RETRAINING GRANTS	179,544	179,544
(03) MATH/SCIENCE TEACHER LOAN AWARDS	81,717	81,717
(04) GOVERNOR'S SCHOLARS PROGRAM AWARDS	1,065,000	1,065,000
(05) JUNIOR/SENIOR MINORITY SCHOLARSHIPS	300,000	600,000
(06) FRESHMAN/SOPHOMORE MINORITY SCHOLARSHIPS	300,000	600,000
(07) MINORITY TEACHER RECRUITMENT & TRAINING PROG. -		
PAYMENT OF HONORARIUMS	50,000	50,000
(08) SECOND EFFORT SCHOLARSHIPS	50,000	50,000
(09) SREB MINORITY FACULTY RECRUITMENT SCHOLARSHIPS	100,000	200,000
(10) ARK. OPPORTUNITY SCHOLARSHIP ACT - OPPORTUNITY		
SCHOLARSHIP FUND	100,000	100,000
(11) GRANTS/DP SERV/SUPPLIES - STATE SCHOLARSHIP		
PROGRAM	7,966,419	7,966,419
(12) ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIPS		
 PROG. MAINTENANCE & GENERAL OPERATIONS	140,000	140,000
(13) ACADEMIC CHALLENGE AWARD SCHOLARSHIPS	6,860,000	6,860,000
(14) AR POISON & DRUG INFORMATION CENTER	668,156	768,156
(15) SILO ARK. UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH PROG.	50,000	50,000
(16) GATEWAY TECH. COLLEGE (BATESVILLE)		
1 PLUS 1 NURSING PROGRAM	<u>145,836</u>	<u>206,343</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 18,104,672</u>	<u>\$ 18,965,179</u>

SECTION 11. APPROPRIATIONS - STATE SCHOLARSHIP - FEDERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for grants-in-aid of the State Scholarship - Federal Program of the Department of Higher Education for the biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
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1	NO.		1993-94	1994-95
2	(01) GRANTS/AIDS - ST. SCHOLARSHIPS - FED.	\$	<u>505,832</u>	<u>505,832</u>

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~~4 SECTION 12. APPROPRIATIONS - CONGRESSIONAL TEACHER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.~~

5 There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be
6 payable from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of
7 the State, for congressional teacher scholarships of the Department of Higher
8 Education for the biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the following:

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10	ITEM		FISCAL YEARS	
11	NO.		1993-94	1994-95
12	(01) CONGRESSIONAL TEACHER SCHOLARSHIPS	\$	<u>225,000</u>	<u>225,000</u>

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14 SECTION 13. APPROPRIATIONS - DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER GRANTS. There is
15 ~~hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from~~
16 the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for
17 operating expenses and grants/aids of the Dwight D. Eisenhower Program of the
18 Department of Higher Education for the biennial period ending June 30, 1995,
19 the following:

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21	ITEM		FISCAL YEARS	
22	NO.		1993-94	1994-95
23	(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION			
24	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$	23,000	\$ 27,000
25	(B) CONF. & TRVL.		5,000	5,000
26	(C) PROF. FEES		14,000	15,000
27	(D) CAP. OUTLAY		3,000	3,000
28	(E) DATA PROC.		<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
29	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.		45,000	50,000
30	(02) DWIGHT D. EISENHOWER GRANTS/AIDS	\$	<u>855,000</u>	<u>950,000</u>
31	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$	<u>900,000</u>	<u>1,000,000</u>

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33 SECTION 14. APPROPRIATIONS - ACADEMIC ALLIANCES. There is hereby
34 appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the
35 federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for

1 academic alliances grants and aids of the Department of Higher Education for
2 the biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the following:

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4 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
5 NO.	1993-94	1994-95
6 (01) ACADEMIC ALLIANCES GRANTS/AIDS	\$ <u>20,000</u>	\$ <u>20,000</u>

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8 SECTION 15. APPROPRIATIONS - TECHNICAL EDUCATION - FEDERAL PROGRAMS.

9 There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be
10 payable from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of
11 the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of
12 Higher Education for the biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the following:

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14 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
15 NO.	1993-94	1994-95
16 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 49,259	\$ 50,490
17 (02) EXTRA HELP	20,000	20,000
18 (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	12,534	12,751
19 (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
20 (A) OPER. EXPENSES	\$ 18,000	\$ 18,000
21 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	23,000	23,000
22 (C) PROF. FEES	169,707	168,259
23 (D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	7,500	7,500
24 (E) DATA PROCESSING	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
25 TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	\$ <u>218,207</u>	\$ <u>216,759</u>
26 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ <u>300,000</u>	\$ <u>300,000</u>

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28 SECTION 16. APPROPRIATIONS - CASH FUNDS. There is hereby appropriated,
29 to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from cash funds as
30 defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Department of Higher Education, for
31 operating expenses and Academic Alliances Program grants and aids of the
32 Department of Higher Education for the biennial period ending June 30, 1995,
33 ~~the following:~~

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35 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
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1	NO.		1993-94	1994-95
2	(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION			
3	(A) OPER. EXPENSE \$	12,782	\$ 12,782	
4	(B) CONF. & TRVL.	6,215	6,215	
5	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0	
6	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	200,000	200,000	
7	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	
8	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.		218,997	218,997
9	(02) ACADEMIC ALLIANCES PROG. - GRANTS/AIDS		<u>\$ 10,000</u>	<u>\$ 10,000</u>
10	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		<u>\$ 228,997</u>	<u>\$ 228,997</u>

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12 SECTION 17. APPROPRIATIONS - SURVIVING CHILDREN. There is hereby
13 appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the
14 Miscellaneous Revolving Fund, for payment of college scholarships to surviving
15 children of the law enforcement officers and firemen killed in the official
16 line of duty, as prescribed by law, by the Department of Higher Education for
17 the biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the following:

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19	ITEM		FISCAL YEARS	
20	NO.		1993-94	1994-95
21	(01) SURVIVING CHILDREN SCHOLARSHIPS		<u>\$ 24,000</u>	<u>\$ 24,000</u>

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23 SECTION 18. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
24 Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education
25 Building Maintenance Fund, for maintenance of various buildings at the
26 institutions of higher education by the Department of Higher Education for the
27 biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the sum of.....\$26,000,000.

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29 SECTION 19. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
30 Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education
31 Research Development Fund, for providing Arkansas Research Development Program
32 Grants to Institutions of Higher Education, for the biennial period ending
33 June 30, 1995, the sum of\$10,000,000.

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35 SECTION 20. REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. The reports of college achievement

1 of high school graduates, as appropriated in Section 9 herein, shall be
2 provided to high school and school district administrators and may also be
3 provided to the State Board of Higher Education, the Governor, the Joint
4 Interim Committee on Education, the Board of Education and the Department of
5 Education, as designated by the Department of Higher Education.

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7 SECTION 21. TRANSFER PROVISION. Upon certification by the Director of
8 the Department of Higher Education that transfers are needed to make maximum
9 utilization of funds and appropriations provided for financial aid programs,
10 and with the approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and a review by
11 the Arkansas Legislative Council, funds and appropriations may be transferred
12 between financial aid programs.

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14 SECTION 22. TRANSFER PROVISION. Upon certification by the Chairman of
15 the State Board of Higher Education to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State,
16 funds and appropriation provided in Section 7 of this Act may be transferred
17 to Institutions of Higher Education as deemed appropriate by the State Board
18 of Higher Education. Upon filing of any required plan by an Institution of
19 Higher Education to the State Board of Higher Education, such plan shall be
20 filed with the Arkansas Legislative Council for its review.

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22 SECTION 23. In order to provide timely payments under financial aid
23 appropriations made in this Act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State is
24 authorized to provide loans from the Budget Stabilization Trust Fund to make
25 available all funds attributable to the financial aid programs under the then
26 current official revenue estimates. In the event of an unanticipated state
27 revenue shortfall, any such loans remaining at the end of a fiscal year shall
28 be repaid from revenues distributed in the first two months of the next fiscal
29 year. Funds for appropriations made in this Act for purposes other than
30 financial aid shall not be affected by the application of this provision.

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32 SECTION 24. CARRY FORWARD. The unexpended balances of funding
33 authorized in Section 5 of this Act, General Operations, for capital outlay
34 that pertain to the completion of the acquisition of a new agency computer
35 system, that remains on June 30, 1993, shall be carried forward for the same

1 purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1994, and the unexpended balances
2 of the funding and appropriation that remain on June 30, 1994, shall be
3 carried forward for the same purposes for the fiscal year ending June 30,
4 1995.

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6 SECTION 25. APPROPRIATION AND FUND TRANSFERS. The following amounts of
7 appropriation and funding may be transferred by the Department of Higher
8 Education, from the appropriation made in Item (11) of Section 10 of this Act,
9 to those Institutions of Higher Education and programs as enumerated below:

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	Fiscal Years	
<u>Institution/Program</u>	<u>1993-94</u>	<u>1994-95</u>
11 (1) Ark. State Univ.-Beebe/ 12 Nursing Program Expansion	\$ 223,943	\$ 228,424
13 (2) Southern Ark. Univ.- Southwest 14 Technical Institute/ 15 Center for Excellence in 16 Manufacturing Competitiveness	192,815	189,653
17 (3) UA-Medical Sciences/Rural Hospital 18 Affiliation & Family Medicine	406,000	418,900
19 (4) UA-Monticello/Nursing Program Expansion	143,188	150,815
20 (5) Southern Ark. University/ 21 Nursing Program Expansion	191,670	180,263
22 The following programs shall be paid out of fund balances after scholarships 23 have been funded:		
24 (6) Phillips County Comm. Coll./ 25 Nursing Program Expansion	161,625	181,289
26 (7) UA-Little Rock/ 27 Nursing Program Expansion	205,370	235,310
28 (8) Westark Comm. Coll./ 29 Nursing Program Expansion	198,600	210,150
30 (9) UA-Fayetteville/ 31 Nursing Program Expansion	750,000	750,000
32 (10) Univ. of Central Arkansas/ 33 Nurse Educator Preparation	126,300	132,615
34 (11) Ark. Tech University/ 35		

1	Improving & Expanding Nursing Prog.	105,000	115,000
2	(12) UA-Little Rock/Labor Education Grants	100,000	100,000
3	(13) UA-Medical Sciences/Family Practice		
4	Residency Program - Texarkana, AR	371,000	600,000

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6 SECTION 26. On June 30, 1997, after the initial transition period and
7 accreditation has been achieved for the various technical colleges, ten (10)
8 of the positions authorized in Section 32 of Act 1101 of 1991 for the purpose
9 of providing personnel resources necessary to implement the technical college
10 legislation enacted by the Seventy-Eighth General Assembly will be deleted
11 from the Department's appropriation.

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13 SECTION 27. The unexpended balances of the appropriations and funding
14 authorized in Section 6 of this Act as of June 30, 1994, shall be carried
15 forward and made available for the purpose of continuing the technical
16 education implementation/restructuring through the fiscal year ending June 30,
17 1995.

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19 SECTION 28. The Department of Higher Education is hereby authorized to
20 utilize the appropriations and funds authorized by this Act for minority
21 scholarships for the payment of "paid internships" as may be authorized by
22 "The Minority Teacher Recruitment and Training Program."

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24 SECTION 29. After the amounts to be made available to the various
25 technical colleges have been determined by the State Board of Higher Education
26 under the provisions of Act 1244 of 1991 and Act 1246 of 1991, and upon the
27 review and approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, such documents
28 as may be necessary shall be processed so that funds may be transferred from
29 the Work Force 2000 Development Fund to the State Treasury fund or fund
30 account from which the technical college draws is general revenue support. Be
31 it further provided that such funds as may be transferred shall not exceed
32 73.24% of the total funds available from the Work Force 2000 Development Fund
33 during each fiscal year of the biennial period ending June 30, 1995.

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35 SECTION 30. In order to promote efficiency in the utilization of

1 educational resources and to maximize the availability of funds for student
2 scholarships in the state, such funds as may remain at the end of each fiscal
3 year for Academic Challenge Scholarships as provided for in Arkansas Code §6-
4 82-1001 et. seq., may be transferred to and made available for, student
5 assistance grants under the State Scholarship Program as provided in Arkansas
6 Code §6-82-201 et seq. Upon certification by the Director of the Department
7 of Higher Education that transfer of funds is needed to maximize the
8 utilization of funds provided for state scholarship grants and with the
9 approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and a review by the Arkansas
10 Legislative Council, funds may be transferred between Academic Challenge
11 Scholarships and State Scholarship Grants.

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13 SECTION 31. After the sum of \$13,200,000 has been deposited into the
14 Higher Education Building Maintenance Fund, the next \$10,000,000 or so much as
15 is collected, is to be transferred to the Research Development Fund there to
16 be used as provided by law.

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18 SECTION 32. REFUND TO EXPENDITURES. Proceeds derived from the
19 repayment of loans as authorized in Item (03) of Section 10 of this act for
20 the Math/Science Teacher Loan Awards Program shall be deposited into the State
21 Treasury as "Refunds to Expenditures."

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23 SECTION 33. CARRY FORWARD. *The balance of the funds and appropriations*
24 *as provided in Section 10 of this Act for the Academic Challenge Scholarships*
25 *Program which remain on June 30, 1994, shall be carried forward and made*
26 *available for the same purpose for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1995.*

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28 SECTION 34. *In the event that the appropriations as authorized in Items*
29 *(14) and (15) of Section 10 of this Act cannot be funded from current year*
30 *resources, then such appropriations shall be funded from fund balances carried*
31 *forward from the 1991-93 biennium in the Department of Higher Education Grants*
32 *Fund Account.*

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34 SECTION 35. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
35 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency

1 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
2 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and
3 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
4 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control
5 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the
6 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
7 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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9 SECTION 36. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
10 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
11 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which
12 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
13 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
14 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
15 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
16 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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18 SECTION 37. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and
19 permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the
20 Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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22 SECTION 38. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the
23 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such
24 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which
25 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this
26 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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28 SECTION 39. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict
29 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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31 SECTION 40. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
32 Seventy-Ninth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
33 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
34 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1993 is essential to the operation of
35 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in

1 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
2 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1993 could work irreparable harm upon the
3 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
4 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
5 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
6 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1993.

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/s/John E. Miller

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