

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

A Bill

ACT 4 OF 1993
HOUSE BILL 1117

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE EXECUTIVE,
9 JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF THE STATE FOR THE
10 BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1995; AND FOR OTHER
11 PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 **"THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE ORDINARY**
15 **EXPENSES OF THE EXECUTIVE, JUDICIAL AND**
16 **LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF GOVERNMENT."**

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

20 **SECTION I. APPROPRIATIONS.** There is hereby appropriated, to be payable from
21 the Constitutional Officers Fund, for personal services and expenses of the various
22 Constitutional Officers for the biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	1993-94	1994-95
(1) Salary of the Governor	\$ 60,000	\$ 60,000
(2) Salary of the Lieutenant Governor	29,000	29,000
(3) Salary of the Secretary of State	37,500	37,500
(4) Salary of the Attorney General	50,000	50,000
(5) Salary of the Treasurer of State	37,500	37,500
(6) Salary of the Commissioner of State Lands	37,500	37,500
(7) Salary of the Auditor of State	37,500	37,500
(8) Salary of the Supreme Court Chief Justice	97,856	101,050
(9) Salaries of Six Supreme Court Associate Justices		
of \$90,416 for 1993-94 and \$93,349 for 1994-95	542,496	560,094
(10) Salary of the Court of Appeals Chief Judge	88,990	91,874

1	(11) Salaries of Five Court of Appeals Judges		
2	of \$87,563 for 1993-94 and \$90,397 for 1994-95	437,815	451,985
3	(12) Salaries of Eighty-eight Circuit/Chancery Judges		
4	of \$84,706 for 1993-94 and \$87,439		
5	for 1994-95	7,454,128	7,694,632
6	(13) Salaries of Eighteen Circuit/Chancery Judges-		
7	Juvenile Division of \$84,706 for 1993-94 and		
8	\$87,439 for 1994-95	1,524,708	1,573,902
9	(14) Special and Recalled Judges for the Circuit		
10	and Chancery Courts	60,000	60,000
11	(15) Trial Judges Expenses	250,000	250,000
12	(16) Salaries of Fifteen Prosecuting Attorneys -		
13	Division A of \$70,891 for 1993-94 and		
14	\$73,372 for 1994-95	1,063,365	1,100,580
15	(17) Salaries of Nine Prosecuting Attorneys -		
16	Division B of \$58,999 for 1993-94 and		
17	\$61,063 for 1994-95	530,991	549,567
18	(18) Salary of the Speaker of the House of		
19	Representatives	14,000	14,000
20	(19) Salaries of Ninety-Nine Representatives of		
21	\$12,500 each per year	1,237,500	1,237,500
22	(20) Salary of the President Pro Tempore of		
23	the Senate	14,000	14,000
24	(21) Salaries of Thirty-Four Senators of		
25	\$12,500 each per year	425,000	425,000
26	(22) Personal Services Matching	3,394,976	3,472,564
27	(23) Interim Expenses for Representatives, as		
28	authorized by law	763,200	763,200
29	(24) Interim Expenses for Senators, as		
30	authorized by law	288,000	288,000
31	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 18,476,025</u>	<u>\$ 18,936,948</u>

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SECTION 2. The Auditor of State shall be disbursing officer for the funds appropriated in Items (1) through (22) of Section I herein.

1 **SECTION 3. The Coordinator of House Legislative Services of the House of**
2 **Representatives shall be disbursing officer for the funds appropriated in Item (23) of Section**
3 **I herein.**

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5 **SECTION 4. The Secretary of the Senate shall be disbursing officer for the funds**
6 **appropriated in Item (24) of Section I herein.**

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8 **SECTION 5. RESTRICTIONS. None of the funds appropriated by the Arkansas**
9 **General Assembly shall be used to establish or maintain the State's involvement in a statewide**
10 **voter registration listing unless an appropriation is established specifically for that purpose.**

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12 **SECTION 6. Arkansas Code 16-10-119 is hereby repealed.**

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14 **SECTION 7. From the appropriation provided for Trial Judges Expenses, the Circuit**
15 **and Chancery Judges are authorized to be reimbursed for those travel expenses and at the rate**
16 **as authorized for state employees and for mileage at the rate established in the state travel**
17 **regulations for state employees, while traveling within the state from courthouse to courthouse**
18 **in the performance of their official duties. The reimbursement and mileage is authorized only**
19 **for travel within the district of the judge unless it is certified by the Chief Justice or his**
20 **designee to the Auditor of State that the judge is assigned to duties outside the district and is**
21 **eligible for travel reimbursement while so assigned.**

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23 **SECTION 8. The appropriations authorized in Item (23) of Section I shall be used**
24 **for making reimbursements for interim expenses incurred by members of the House of**
25 **Representatives.**

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27 **SECTION 9. The appropriations authorized in Item (24) of Section I shall be used**
28 **for making reimbursements for interim expenses incurred by members of the Senate.**

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30 **SECTION 10. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds**
31 **authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made**
32 **available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State**
33 **Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue**
34 **Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors,**
35 **and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by**

1 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly
2 complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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12 **SECTION 12. CODE.** All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature
13 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision
14 Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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16 **SECTION 13. SEVERABILITY.** If any provision of this Act or the application
17 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other
18 provisions or applications of the Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or
19 application, and to this end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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21 **SECTION 14. GENERAL REPEALER.** All laws and parts of laws in conflict with
22 this Act are hereby repealed.

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24 **SECTION 15. EMERGENCY CLAUSE.** It is hereby found and determined by the
25 Seventy-Ninth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
26 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on
27 July 1, 1993 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act
28 are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the
29 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1993 could work irreparable harm upon the proper
30 administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is
31 hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the
32 public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1993.

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