

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **80th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1995**
4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

A Bill

ACT 1080 OF 1995
SENATE BILL 806

For An Act To Be Entitled

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION - ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED IN SECTION 11 OF ACT 98 OF 1995 FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1997; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

"AN ACT TO MAKE A SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION - ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION."

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

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DIVISION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Public Service Commission, to be payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for payment of professional recognition payments to county assessors and their employees through the Assessment Education Incentive Program of the Arkansas Public Service Commission - Assessment Coordination Division which shall be supplemental and in addition to those funds appropriated in Section 11 of Act 98 of 1995 for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
	1995-96	1996-97
NO.		
(01) Assessment Education Incentive Payments	\$69,000	\$80,000
(02) ASSESSOR'S SCHOOL	<u>60,000</u>	<u>100,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$129,000</u>	<u>\$180,000</u>

SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds

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

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10 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
11 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
12 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which
13 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
14 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
15 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
16 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
17 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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19 SECTION 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent
20 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas
21 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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23 SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the
24 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such
25 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which
26 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this
27 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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29 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict
30 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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32 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
33 Eightieth General Assembly, that the funds provided previously by the
34 Eightieth General Assembly for the operations of the Arkansas Public Service
35 Commission-Assessment Coordination Division, due to unforeseen circumstances,

1 are insufficient for the Arkansas Public Service Commission-Assessment
2 Coordination Division to continue to provide essential governmental services;
3 that the provisions of the act will provide the necessary monies for the
4 Arkansas Public Service Commission-Assessment Coordination Division to
5 continue such services, and that a delay in the effective date of this Act
6 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of
7 essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to
8 exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the
9 public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and
10 after July 1, 1995.

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