

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

# A Bill

**ACT 314 OF 1995**  
**SENATE BILL 190**

## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND  
9 OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR  
10 THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1997; AND FOR OTHER  
11 PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY  
15 GENERAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1995-97  
16 BIENNIUM."

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

20 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established  
21 for the Office of Attorney General for the 1995-97 biennium, the following  
22 maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the  
23 provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code  
24 §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto.  
25 Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary  
26 is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said  
27 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions  
28 authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular  
29 Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its  
30 successor.

Item	Class	No. of	Maximum Annual	
		Employees	Salary Rate	Fiscal Years
<del>No.</del>	<del>Code</del>	<del>Title</del>	<del>1995-96</del>	<del>1996-97</del>
36	(1) 7304	ATTY GEN CHIEF DEPUTY	1 \$ 66,006	\$ 67,656

1	(2)	7550 AG ATTORNEY	1	\$ 66,006	\$ 67,656
2	(3)	7305 ATTY GEN DEPUTY ATTY GEN	5	\$ 63,843	\$ 65,439
3	(4)	7900 ATTY GEN DEPUTY ATTY GEN	1	\$ 61,768	\$ 63,312
4	(5)	7061 ATTY GEN DEATH PENALTY SPECIALIST	1	\$ 59,813	\$ 61,308
5	(6)	7306 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	1	\$ 59,813	\$ 61,308
6	(7)	7307 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	4	\$ 54,442	\$ 55,803
7	(8)	7308 ATTY GEN DEPUTY ATTY GEN	1	\$ 51,652	\$ 52,943
8	(9)	7309 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN (FLS)	1	\$ 51,088	\$ 52,365
9	(10)	7310 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	1	\$ 50,729	\$ 51,997
10	(11)	7311 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	4	\$ 50,498	\$ 51,760
11	(12)	7303 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	3	\$ 49,889	\$ 51,136
12	(13)	7312 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	1	\$ 49,473	\$ 50,709
13	(14)	7313 ATTY GEN STATISTICIAN	1	\$ 49,473	\$ 50,709
14	(15)	7314 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT AG-STATE POLICE	1	\$ 47,533	\$ 48,721
15	(16)	7315 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	1	\$ 47,321	\$ 48,504
16	(17)	7316 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	5	\$ 46,629	\$ 47,794
17	(18)	7336 ATTY GEN ASST ATTY GEN	1	\$ 45,138	\$ 46,266
18	(19)	7317 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	11	\$ 42,342	\$ 43,400
19	(20)	7901 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	2	\$ 41,575	\$ 42,614
20	(21)	7302 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	1	\$ 40,327	\$ 41,335
21	(22)	7998 AG ASST ATTY GENERAL	1	\$ 33,508	\$ 34,345
22	(23)	7322 ATTY GEN CRIMINAL LAW ED DIR	1	\$ 32,094	\$ 32,896
23	(24)	7551 AG INVESTIGATOR	1	\$ 31,597	\$ 32,386
24	(25)	7334 ATTY GEN INVESTIGATOR	2	\$ 31,180	\$ 31,959
25	(26)	7341 ATTY GEN PARALEGAL	1	\$ 31,110	\$ 31,887
26	(27)	7335 ATTY GENERAL PARALEGAL	1	\$ 30,883	\$ 31,655
27	(28)	7323 ATTY GEN INVESTIGATOR	1	\$ 29,697	\$ 30,439
28	(29)	7325 ATTY GEN CASE-WORK COORDINATOR	1	\$ 25,832	\$ 26,477
29	(30)	7327 ATTY GEN INVESTIGATOR	1	\$ 25,682	\$ 26,324
30	(31)	7902 AG SECRETARY	3	\$ 25,655	\$ 26,296
31	(32)	7342 ATTY GEN SECRETARY	1	\$ 24,944	\$ 25,567
32	(33)	7328 ATTY GEN SECRETARY GENERAL	1	\$ 24,623	\$ 25,238
33	(34)	7330 ATTY GEN SECRETARY	1	\$ 24,098	\$ 24,700
34	(35)	7329 ATTY GEN SECRETARY III	6	\$ 24,096	\$ 24,698
35	(36)	7331 ATTY GEN RESEARCH ANALYST	1	\$ 22,474	\$ 23,035

1	(37) 7332 ATTY GEN INVESTIGATOR	2	\$ 28,000	\$ 28,800
2	(38) 7333 ATTY GEN SECRETARY I	<u>1</u>	\$ 27,500	\$ 28,188
3	MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	74		

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5 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for

6 the Office of Attorney General for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum

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

8 payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: four (4) temporary

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

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

11 or this act for the appropriate classification.

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

14 to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from the State Central

15 Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of

16 Attorney General for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

18	<u>ITEM</u>	<u>FISCAL YEARS</u>	
19	NO.	1995-96	1996-97
20	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 3,088,861	\$ 3,166,254
21	(02) EXTRA HELP	18,336	18,336
22	(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	799,148	813,388
23	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
24	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$ 502,265	\$ 527,265
25	(B) CONF. & TRVL.	13,164	13,493
26	(C) PROF. FEES	30,512	31,275
27	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	183,500	188,088
28	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>9,041</u>	<u>9,267</u>
29	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	738,482	769,388
30	(05) RENTAL EXPENSE	<u>375,899</u>	<u>387,176</u>
31	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 5,020,726</u>	<u>\$ 5,154,542</u>

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33 SECTION 4. REGULAR SALARIES - CRIME VICTIMS REPARATIONS PROGRAM. There

34 is hereby established for the Office of Attorney General - Crime Victims

35 Reparations Program for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of

1 regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the  
 2 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et  
 3 seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however,  
 4 that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein  
 5 in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification  
 6 and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are  
 7 hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and  
 8 Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

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		Maximum Annual		
		Maximum	Salary Rate	
Item	Class	No. of	Fiscal Years	
No.	Code	Employees	1995-96	1996-97
14	(1) 7901 ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	1	\$ 41,575	\$ 42,614
15	(2) 7903 AG CRIME VICTIMS ADVOCATE	1	\$ 39,198	\$ 40,177
16	(3) 7997 AG CRIME VICTIM INVESTIGATOR	1	\$ 24,124	\$ 24,727
17	(4) 7904 AG CRIME VICTIM INVESTIGATOR	<u>2</u>	\$ 23,756	\$ 24,349
18	MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	5		

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20 SECTION 5. EXTRA HELP - CRIME VICTIMS REPARATIONS PROGRAM. There is  
 21 hereby authorized, for the Office of Attorney General - Crime Victims  
 22 Reparations Program for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of  
 23 part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from  
 24 funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2) temporary or part-time  
 25 employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the  
 26 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for  
 27 the appropriate classification.

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29 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS - CRIME VICTIMS REPARATIONS PROGRAM. There is  
 30 hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from the  
 31 Crime Victims Reparations Revolving Fund, for personal services, operating  
 32 expenses, and payment of claims by the Office of Attorney General - Crime  
 33 Victims Reparations Program for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the  
 34 following:

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		FISCAL YEARS	
		1995-96	1996-97
1	ITEM		
2	NO.		
3	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 152,409	\$ 156,216
4	(02) EXTRA HELP	10,000	10,000
5	(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	44,697	45,385
6	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
7	(A) OPER. EXPENSE \$	23,313	\$ 23,895
8	(B) CONF. & TRVL.	2,613	2,678
9	(C) PROF. FEES	1,695	1,738
10	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	2,825	2,896
11	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
12	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	30,446	31,207
13	(05) CLAIMS	<u>2,605,221</u>	<u>2,605,221</u>
14	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 2,842,773</u>	<u>\$ 2,848,029</u>

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16 SECTION 7. REGULAR SALARIES - CRIME VICTIMS REPARATIONS - FEDERAL.

17 *There is hereby established for the Office of Attorney General - Crime Victims*  
 18 *Reparations - Federal for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number*  
 19 *of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the*  
 20 *Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et*  
 21 *seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however,*  
 22 *that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein*  
 23 *in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification*  
 24 *and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are*  
 25 *hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and*  
 26 *Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.*

		Maximum Annual	
		Maximum	Salary Rate
		No. of	Fiscal Years
		Employees	1995-96 1996-97
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29	Item Class		
30	<u>No. Code Title</u>	<u>Employees</u>	<u>1995-96 1996-97</u>
31	(1) 7332 ATTY GEN INVESTIGATOR	<u>1</u>	\$28,000 \$28,800
32	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1	

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34 SECTION 8. APPROPRIATIONS - CRIME VICTIMS REPARATIONS - FEDERAL. There  
 35 ~~is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from~~

1 the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for  
2 ~~payment of claims by the Office of Attorney General - Crime Victims~~  
3 Reparations - Federal for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the  
4 following:

6 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
7 NO.	1995-96	1996-97
8 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 28,000	\$ 28,800
9 (02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	6,135	6,400
10 (03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
11 (A) OPER. EXPENSES \$ 6,000 \$ 6,000		
12 (B) CONF. & TRVL. 0 0		
13 (C) PROF. FEES 0 0		
14 (D) CAPITAL OUTLAY 0 0		
15 (E) DATA PROCESSING 0 0		
16 TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	6,000	6,000
17 (04) CLAIMS	<u>636,000</u>	<u>636,000</u>
18 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 676,135</u>	<u>\$ 677,200</u>

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20 SECTION 9. APPROPRIATIONS - MEDICAID FRAUD DIVISION - INDIRECT COSTS.  
21 There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable  
22 ~~from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State,~~  
23 for operating expenses of the Office of Attorney General for the biennial  
24 period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

26 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
27 NO.	1995-96	1996-97
28 (01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
29 (A) OPER. EXPENSE \$ 90,000 \$ 90,000		
30 (B) CONF. & TRVL. 0 0		
31 (C) PROF. FEES 90,000 90,000		
32 (D) CAP. OUTLAY 25,000 25,000		
33 (E) DATA PROC. 0 0		
34 TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	<u>205,000</u>	<u>205,000</u>
35 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 205,000</u>	<u>\$ 205,000</u>

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SECTION 10. REGULAR SALARIES - CONSUMER UTILITIES RATE ADVOCACY DIVISION. There is hereby established for the Office of Attorney General - Consumer Utilities Rate Advocacy Division for the 1995-97 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~~ successor.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate	
				Fiscal Years 1995-96	1996-97
(1)	7284	C U R A D DIRECTOR	1	\$ 61,327	\$ 62,860
(2)	7285	C U R A D ECONOMIST	1	\$ 44,536	\$ 45,649
(3)	7286	C U R A D ASST ATTORNEY GENERAL	2	\$ 44,388	\$ 45,497
(4)	7317	ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	1	\$ 42,342	\$ 43,400
(5)	7287	C U R A D ATTORNEY	1	\$ 39,930	\$ 40,928
(6)	7288	C U R A D ACCOUNTANT	2	\$ 38,684	\$ 39,651
(7)	7290	C U R A D SECRETARY	<u>1</u>	\$ 23,908	\$ 24,505
MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES			9		

SECTION 11. APPROPRIATIONS - CONSUMER UTILITIES RATE ADVOCACY DIVISION. ~~There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be~~ payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of Attorney General - Consumer Utilities Rate Advocacy Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	1995-96	1996-97

1	(01)	REGULAR SALARIES		\$	378,187	\$	387,638
2	(02)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING			97,775		99,478
3	(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION					
4	(A)	OPER. EXPENSE	\$ 52,405	\$	52,405		
5	(B)	CONF. & TRVL.	8,561		8,561		
6	(C)	PROF. FEES	85,973		88,122		
7	(D)	CAP. OUTLAY	0		0		
8	(E)	DATA PROC.	0		0		
9		TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			<u>146,939</u>		<u>149,088</u>
10		TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED			<u>\$ 622,901</u>		<u>\$ 636,204</u>

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12 SECTION 12. REGULAR SALARIES - CONSUMER PROTECTION DIVISION. There is  
13 hereby established for the Office of Attorney General - Consumer Protection  
14 Division for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of regular  
15 employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform  
16 Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its  
17 successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any  
18 position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in  
19 dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification  
20 ~~and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are~~  
21 hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and  
22 Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

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24			Maximum Annual			
25			Maximum	Salary Rate		
26	Item	Class	No. of	Fiscal Years		
27	No.	Code	Title	Employees	1995-96	1996-97
28	(1)	7291	CNSMR PROTECT DIV CONSUMER COUNSEL	1	\$ 51,645	\$ 52,936
29	(2)	7317	ATTY GEN ASSISTANT ATTY GEN	1	\$ 42,342	\$ 43,400
30	(3)	7292	CNSMR PROTECT DIV CHF INVESTIGATOR	1	\$ 34,843	\$ 35,714
31	(4)	8915	CNSMR PROTECT DIV COUNSELOR III	1	\$ 29,215	\$ 29,945
32	(5)	8916	CNSMR PROTECT DIV COUNSELOR II	1	\$ 27,051	\$ 27,727
33	(6)	7293	CNSMR PROTECT DIV INVESTIGATOR	3	\$ 25,682	\$ 26,324
34	(7)	8917	CNSMR PROTECT DIV COUNSELOR	2	\$ 24,888	\$ 25,510
35	(8)	7294	CNSMR PROTECT DIV SECRETARY	2	\$ 24,103	\$ 24,705

1	(9) 7488 CNSMR PROT ADMR AST-MISS CHILD SVCS	<u>1</u>	\$ 23,436	\$ 24,021
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		MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	<u>13</u>	

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4 SECTION 13. APPROPRIATIONS - CONSUMER PROTECTION DIVISION. There is  
 5 hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from the  
 6 State Central Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of  
 7 the Office of Attorney General - Consumer Protection Division for the biennial  
 8 period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

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10	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
11	NO.	1995-96	1996-97
12	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 383,560	\$ 393,145
13	(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	111,939	113,669
14	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
15	(A) OPER. EXPENSE \$	50,995	\$ 52,270
16	(B) CONF. & TRVL.	3,936	4,034
17	(C) PROF. FEES	25,625	26,266
18	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0	0
19	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
20	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	<u>80,556</u>	<u>82,570</u>
21	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 576,055</u>	<u>\$ 589,384</u>

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23 SECTION 14. REGULAR SALARIES - MEDICAID FRAUD DIVISION - FEDERAL.  
 24 There is hereby established for the Office of Attorney General - Medicaid  
 25 Fraud Division - Federal for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum  
 26 number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions  
 27 of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201  
 28 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided,  
 29 however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set  
 30 out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform  
 31 Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions  
 32 authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular  
 33 Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its  
 34 successor.

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Item	Class		Maximum Annual	
No.	Code	Title	Maximum	Salary Rate
			No. of	Fiscal Years
			Employees	1995-96
				1996-97
5	(1) 7296	MEDICAID FRAUD DIRECTOR	1	\$ 63,843
6	(2) 7297	MEDICAID FRAUD ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	1	\$ 56,669
7	(3) 7298	MEDICAID FRAUD ASST ATTORNEY GEN	3	\$ 46,633
8	(4) 8803	AG GRANT ADMR/INVESTIGATOR	1	\$ 42,578
9	(5) 7905	MEDICAID FRAUD SYSTEMS ANALYST	1	\$ 38,717
10	(6) 7299	MEDICAID FRAUD INVESTIGATOR	7	\$ 37,348
11	(7) 7300	MEDICAID FRAUD SECRETARY	<u>3</u>	\$ 26,668
12		MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	17	

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14 SECTION 15. EXTRA HELP - MEDICAID FRAUD DIVISION - FEDERAL. There  
15 is hereby authorized, for the Office of Attorney General - Medicaid Fraud  
16 Division - Federal for the 1995-97 biennium, the following maximum number of  
17 part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from  
18 funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2) temporary or part-time  
19 employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the  
20 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for  
21 ~~the appropriate classification.~~

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23 SECTION 16. APPROPRIATIONS - MEDICAID FRAUD DIVISION - FEDERAL. There  
24 is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from  
25 the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for  
26 personal services and operating expenses of the Office of Attorney General -  
27 Medicaid Fraud Division - Federal for the biennial period ending June 30,  
28 1997, the following:

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ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	1995-96	1996-97
31 (01)	REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 681,317
32 (02)	EXTRA HELP	8,000
33 (03)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	179,272
34 (04)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	182,382

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1	(A) OPER. EXPENSE \$	0	\$	0
2	(B) CONF. & TRVL.	0		0
3	(C) PROF. FEES	20,000		20,000
4	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	30,000		30,000
5	<del>(E) DATA PROC.</del>	<del>0</del>		<del>0</del>
6	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			<u>50,000</u> <u>50,000</u>
7	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED			<u>\$ 918,589</u> <u>\$ 938,761</u>

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9 SECTION 17. APPROPRIATIONS - MEDICAID FRAUD DIVISION - STATE. There is

10 hereby appropriated, to the Office of Attorney General, to be payable from the

11 State Central Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of

12 the Office of Attorney General - Medicaid Fraud Division - State for the

13 biennial period ending June 30, 1997, the following:

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15	ITEM			FISCAL YEARS
16	NO.			1995-96 1996-97
17	(01) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING		\$ 49,219	\$ 49,219
18	(02) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION			
19	(A) OPER. EXPENSE \$	68,874	\$	68,874
20	(B) CONF. & TRVL.	11,583		11,583
21	(C) PROF. FEES	5,513		5,513
22	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	15,000		15,000
23	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>		<u>0</u>
24	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			<u>100,970</u> <u>100,970</u>
25	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED			<u>\$ 150,189</u> <u>\$ 150,189</u>

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27 SECTION 18. The disbursing officer of the appropriations provided for

28 herein, shall deposit all monies received by the Office of Attorney General as

29 attorney fees in the State Central Services Fund as direct revenues.

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31 SECTION 19. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds

32 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency

33 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and

34 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and

35 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary

1 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control  
2 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the  
3 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
4 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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6 SECTION 20. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
7 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
8 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which  
9 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
10 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
11 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
12 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
13 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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

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

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25 SECTION 23. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
26 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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28 SECTION 24. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
29 Eightieth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas  
30 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that  
31 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1995 is essential to the operation of  
32 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
33 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
34 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1995 could work irreparable harm upon the  
35 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.

1 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
2 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
3 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1995.

4 */s/Russ*

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