

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

A Bill

ACT 490 OF 1995
SENATE BILL 467

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 21-5-106 TO CLARIFY
9 ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR ANNUAL CAREER SERVICE
10 RECOGNITION PAYMENTS TO STATE EMPLOYEES WITH TEN OR MORE
11 YEARS OF SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "AN ACT TO CLARIFY ELIGIBILITY
15 REQUIREMENTS FOR ANNUAL CAREER SERVICE
16 RECOGNITION PAYMENTS."

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

20 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 21-5-106(c) is hereby amended to read as
21 follows:

22 "(c) An employee who meets eligibility requirements established by
23 subsection (a) of this section shall become eligible for annual career service
24 recognition payments on the anniversary date of the completion of such service
25 according to the following schedule:

STATE SERVICE	ANNUAL PAYMENT
10 through 14 years of state service	\$300
15 through 19 years of state service	400
20 through 24 years of state service	500
25 or more years of state service	600".

32 SECTION 2. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent
33 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas
34 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

36 SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the

1 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such
2 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which
3 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this
4 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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6 SECTION 4. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict
7 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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9 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
10 Eightieth General Assembly of the State of Arkansas meeting in Regular
11 Session, that the awarding of annual career service recognition payments to
12 career State employees is necessary to promote morale and retention of vital
13 career employees in State service. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared
14 to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the
15 public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and
16 after July 1, 1995.

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18 APPROVED: 2-28-95

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