

Stricken language would be deleted from present law. Underlined language would be added to present law.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 81st General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1997

# A Bill

ACT 428 OF 1997  
HOUSE BILL 1866

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5 By: Joint Budget Committee  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR CONFERENCE FEES AND  
10 TRAVEL FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR - WORKERS COMPENSATION  
11 SAFETY PROGRAM WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION  
12 TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 63 OF 1995; AND FOR  
13 OTHER PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

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16 "AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR -  
17 WORKERS COMPENSATION SAFETY PROGRAM  
18 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION."  
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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22 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - WORKERS COMPENSATION SAFETY PROGRAM. There  
23 is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor, to be payable from the  
24 Department of Labor Fund Account, for conference fees and travel of the  
25 Department of Labor which shall be supplemental and in addition to those funds  
26 appropriated in Section 3 of Act 63 of 1995, the following:  
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| 28 ITEM                                  | FISCAL YEAR        |
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| 29 <del>NO.</del>                        | <del>1996-97</del> |
| 30 (01) MAINTENANCE & GENERAL OPERATIONS |                    |
| 31 (A) OPER. EXPENSES                    | \$ 0               |
| 32 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL                    | 7,250              |
| 33 (C) PROF. FEES                        | 0                  |
| 34 (D) CAPITAL OUTLAY                    | 0                  |
| 35 (E) DATA PROCESSING                   | <u>0</u>           |
| 36 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED             | <u>\$ 7,250</u>    |

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

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

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

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

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

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34 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
35 Eighty-First General Assembly that funds provided by the General Assembly for

1 the operations of the Department of Labor are, due to unforeseen  
2 circumstances, insufficient for the Department of Labor to continue to provide  
3 essential governmental services; that the provisions of this act will provide  
4 the necessary monies for the Department of Labor to continue such services;  
5 and that a delay in the effective date of this Act could work irreparable harm  
6 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
7 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
8 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
9 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its  
10 passage and approval.

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