

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 82nd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1999
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As Engrossed: S4/1/99 S4/7/99

A Bill

Act 1415 of 1999
SENATE BILL 675

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

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
10 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF
11 COLLECTION AGENCIES - DIVISION OF CHECK CASHING FOR
12 THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2001; AND FOR
13 OTHER PURPOSES. "

Subtitle

15 "AN ACT FOR THE STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION
16 AGENCIES - DIVISION OF CHECK CASHING CASH
17 FUND APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1999-2001
18 BIENNIUM. "
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 *SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - DIVISION OF CHECK CASHING. There is hereby*
25 *established for the State Board of Collection Agencies - Division of Check*
26 *Cashing for the 1999-2001 biennium, the following maximum number of regular*
27 *employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform*
28 *Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its*
29 *successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any*
30 *position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in*
31 *dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification*
32 *and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are*
33 *hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and*
34 *Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.*

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36 *Maximum Annual*

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| | | | Maximum | | Salary Rate | |
|---|------|-------|----------------------------|-----------|--------------|-----------|
| | Item | Class | No. of | | Fiscal Years | |
| | No. | Code | Title | Employees | 1999-2000 | 2000-2001 |
| 4 | (1) | 8701 | BD. OF COLL. ADMIN. ASST. | 1 | \$ 23,379 | \$ 24,024 |
| 5 | (2) | 9021 | COLL. BD. FIELD INVEST. | 1 | \$ 30,840 | \$ 31,703 |
| 6 | (3) | 7201 | EXEC. DIR-BD OF COLLECTION | <u>1</u> | \$ 60,000 | \$ 61,680 |
| 7 | | | MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES | 3 | | |

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - DIVISION OF CHECK CASHING. There is hereby authorized, for the State Board of Collection Agencies for the 1999-2001 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: one (1) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS - DIVISION OF CHECK CASHING-CASH. There is hereby appropriated, to the State Board of Collection Agencies, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the State Board of Collection Agencies-Division of Check Cashing, for personal services and operating expenses of the State Board of Collection Agencies for the biennial period ending June 30, 2001, the following:

| | ITEM | FISCAL YEARS | |
|----|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|
| | NO. | 1999-2000 | 2000-2001 |
| 27 | (01) REGULAR SALARIES | \$114,219 | \$117,407 |
| 28 | (02) EXTRA HELP | 5,000 | 5,000 |
| 29 | (03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING | 38,893 | 39,300 |
| 30 | (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION | | |
| 31 | (A) OPER. EXPENSE | 30,000 | 30,000 |
| 32 | (B) CONF. & TRAVEL | 2,500 | 2,500 |
| 33 | (C) PROF. FEES | 10,000 | 10,000 |
| 34 | (D) CAP. OUTLAY | 9,000 | 9,000 |
| 35 | (E) DATA PROC. | 10,500 | 10,500 |
| 36 | (05) LOAN REPAYMENT | <u>100,000</u> | <u>100,000</u> |

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

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6 SECTION 9. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with
7 this act are hereby repealed.

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9 SECTION 10. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
10 Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
11 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
12 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1999 is essential to the operation of
13 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
14 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
15 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the
16 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
17 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
18 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
19 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1999.

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21 /s/ Russ

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24 APPROVED: 4/13/1999