

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 84th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2003  
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*As Engrossed: S3/24/03*  
**A Bill**

**Act 1011 of 2003**  
SENATE BILL 235

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL  
10 SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS  
11 FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD  
12 ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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**Subtitle**

15 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING  
16 COMMISSION APPROPRIATION FOR THE  
17 2003-2005 BIENNIUM.  
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Arkansas  
24 Fair Housing Commission for the 2003-2005 biennium, the following maximum  
25 number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the  
26 provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code  
27 §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto.  
28 Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual  
29 salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of  
30 said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying  
31 positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the  
32 Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101),  
33 or its successor.  
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35 Maximum Annual  
36 Maximum Salary Rate



Item	Class	No. of	Fiscal Years		
No.	Code	Title	Employees	2003-2004	2004-2005
(1)	9256	FAIR HOUSING DIRECTOR	1	\$50,000	\$51,350
(2)	R082	AFHC CHIEF INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE 20	
(3)	R083	AFHC INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE 19	
(4)	K041	EXECUTIVE SECY/ADMINISTRATIVE SECY	<u>1</u>	GRADE 14	
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	4		

SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission, to be payable from the State General Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission for the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the following

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	2003-2004	2004-2005
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 140,749	\$ 144,409
(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCH	35,203	36,117
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	40,000	40,000
(B) CONF. & TRVL.	25,000	25,000
(C) PROF. FEES & SERV.	18,000	18,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	20,000	10,000
(E) DATA PROC.	0	0
(04) PUBLIC EDUCATION	<u>20,000</u>	<u>30,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 298,952</u>	<u>\$ 303,526</u>

SECTION 3. Amend Arkansas Code 16-123-347 to read as follows:  
(c) USE OF PUBLIC EDUCATION APPROPRIATION. The appropriation in the Fair Housing Commission provided ~~herein~~ for "PUBLIC EDUCATION" may be used to fund all expenses incurred in conducting educational seminars and other forms of educational projects for use and benefit generally of the public, including the production and distribution of information literature of an educational nature.

~~The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2001 through June 30, 2003.~~

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

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11 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
12 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
13 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
14 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
15 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
16 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
17 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or  
18 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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20 SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
21 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
22 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the  
23 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2003 is essential to the operation of  
24 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
25 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
26 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2003 could work irreparable harm upon the  
27 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
28 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
29 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
30 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2003.

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32 /s/ Joint Budget Committee

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35 APPROVED: 4/2/2003

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