

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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A Bill

Act 30 of 2003
SENATE BILL 64

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 STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY FOR THE BIENNIAL
12 PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER
13 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF
17 PHYSICAL THERAPY APPROPRIATION FOR THE
18 2003-2005 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 - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for
25 the Arkansas State Board of Physical Therapy for the 2003-2005 biennium, the
26 following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be
27 governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act
28 (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory
29 thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum
30 annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the
31 provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons
32 occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions
33 of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-
34 101), or its successor.
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Maximum Annual



Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Salary Rate 2003-2004	Salary Rate 2004-2005
1	9044	PHYSICAL THERAPY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	1	\$54,064	\$55,491
2	9045	PHYSICAL THERAPY ADMIN ASST	<u>1</u>	\$29,189	\$29,978
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES			2		

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for the Arkansas State Board of Physical Therapy for the 2003-2005 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 employee, 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 - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Board of Physical Therapy, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Arkansas State Board of Physical Therapy, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas State Board of Physical Therapy for the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2003-2004	2004-2005
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 83,275	\$ 85,523
(02) EXTRA HELP	5,000	5,000
(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCH	21,853	22,252
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	85,033	85,033
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,489	3,489
(C) PROF. FEES	2,000	2,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>2,000</u>	<u>2,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 202,650</u>	<u>\$ 205,297</u>

SECTION 4. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS

1 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
2 DISBURSEMENT OF FUNDS. No monies collected by the Arkansas State Board of
3 Physical Therapy or funds authorized by this Act, shall be disbursed except
4 by a member of the State Board of Physical Therapy designated as the Board's
5 Disbursing Officer.

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7 SECTION 5. EMPLOYMENT OF ATTORNEYS. None of the funds appropriated in
8 this Act for Maintenance and General Operation shall be expended in payment
9 for services of attorneys, unless the agency shall first make a request in
10 writing to the Attorney General of the State of Arkansas to provide the
11 required legal services. The Attorney General's Office shall provide the
12 requested legal services, or, if the Attorney General's Office shall
13 determine that sufficient personnel are not available to provide the
14 requested legal services, the Attorney General shall certify the same to the
15 agency and may authorize the agency to employ legal counsel and to expend
16 monies appropriated for Maintenance and General Operations therefor, if:

- 17 (1) The Attorney General determines, and certifies in writing, that such
18 agency needs the advice or assistance of legal counsel, and
- 19 (2) The Attorney General consents in writing to the employment of the
20 legal counsel to be retained by the agency.

21 Such certification shall be required with respect to each instance of the
22 employment of special legal counsel, or shall be required annually with
23 respect to legal counsel employed on a retainer basis. A copy of such
24 certification shall be entered in the official minutes of the agency, and
25 shall be retained in the fiscal records of the agency for audit purposes.

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27 SECTION 6. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized
28 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds
29 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the
30 restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and
31 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
32 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
33 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
34 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
35 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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 10 SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
 11 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
 12 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
 13 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2003 is essential to the operation of
 14 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
 15 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
 16 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2003 could work irreparable harm upon the
 17 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
 18 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
 19 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
 20 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2003.

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