

**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.  
Act 1786 of the Regular Session**

1 State of Arkansas  
2 85th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2005  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 62

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 CODE REVISION COMMISSION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD  
12 ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS CODE REVISION  
16 COMMISSION APPROPRIATION FOR THE  
17 2005-2007 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 - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for  
24 the Arkansas Code Revision Commission for the 2005-2007 biennium, the  
25 following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be  
26 governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act  
27 (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory  
28 thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum  
29 annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the  
30 provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons  
31 occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions  
32 of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-  
33 101), or its successor.  
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Maximum Annual



Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Salary Rate Fiscal Years 2005-2006	Salary Rate Fiscal Years 2006-2007
1	(1)	7509 ARK CODE REVISION COMM EXEC DIR	1	\$71,936	\$73,852
2	(2)	R170 ATTORNEY SPECIALIST	4	GRADE 25	
3	(3)	N375 PROOF EDITOR	2	GRADE 17	
4	(4)	R010 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	<u>2</u>	GRADE 17	
5	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES		9		

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Arkansas Code Revision Commission for the 2005-2007 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: six (6) 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. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Code Revision Commission, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas Code Revision Commission for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2005-2006	2006-2007
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 365,193	\$ 375,871
(02) EXTRA HELP	10,000	10,000
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	103,988	105,995
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	85,241	83,741
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	2,360	2,360
(C) PROF. FEES	4,200	4,200
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 570,982</u>	<u>\$ 582,167</u>

1 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - BUDGET SAVINGS. There is hereby appropriated,  
2 to the Arkansas Code Revision Commission, to be payable from revenues  
3 collected and transferred to the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account to be  
4 used exclusively by the Arkansas Code Revision Commission as set out in  
5 Section 7 of this Act, for personal services and operating expenses of the  
6 Arkansas Code Revision Commission, the sum of.....\$0.

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8 SECTION 5. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
9 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. TRANSFER  
10 AUTHORITY. The Arkansas Code Revision Commission may transfer appropriation  
11 and funds as needed from the Budget Savings Appropriation in Section 4 to any  
12 line item in the Operations Appropriation in Section 3 of this Act.

13 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003  
14 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

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16 SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
17 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. TRANSFER  
18 OF ALLOCATION. Funds allocated for the Arkansas Code Revision Commission  
19 from the State Administration of Justice Fund shall be transferred or  
20 deposited into the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account ~~State General Services~~  
21 ~~Fund Account~~ to be used exclusively by the Arkansas Code Revision Commission  
22 for the Arkansas Code Revision Commission, in lieu of transfer or deposit for  
23 the Arkansas Code Revision Fund.

24 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003  
25 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

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27 SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. BUDGET SAVINGS TRANSFER. (a) Due to  
28 savings from receiving free sets of the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated, each  
29 Agency or Officer shall transfer or deposit the following funds and  
30 appropriations each fiscal year of the ~~2003-2005~~ 2005-2007 biennium to the  
31 Arkansas Code Revision Commission:

	APPROPRIATION	FUND/FUND ACCOUNT	TRANSFER
AGENCY/OFFICER	TRANSFERRED FROM	TRANSFERRED FROM	AMOUNT
34 Supreme Court	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$8,056
35 Supr. Ct. Library	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
36 Court of Appeals	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$2,267

1	Circuit Judges	Gen. Rev. to Counties	County Aid	\$21,348
2		by the St.Treasurer		
3	Pros. Attorneys	Gen.Rev.to Counties	County Aid	\$5,290
4		by the St.Treasurer		
5	Legislative Audit	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
6	Bur of Legis.Res.	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$6,923
7	Governor's Office	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
8	Lt. Governor	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
9	Sec. Of State	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
10	Treasure of State	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
11	State Auditor	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
12	Land Commissioner	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
13	Attorney General	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
14	Pros. Coordinator	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
15	DFA-Budget Office	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
16	DFA-Revenue	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
17	DFA-Dir. Office	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
18	House of Rep.	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488
19	Arkansas Senate	Operating Expense	State Central Services	\$ 488

20 (b) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall make the necessary  
 21 adjustments on his or her books and the books of the Auditor of the State for  
 22 the transfer or deposit of the funds from each Officer or Agency as listed  
 23 herein to Section 4 of this Act to the ~~State General Services~~ Miscellaneous  
 24 Agencies Fund Account to be used exclusively by the Arkansas Code Revision  
 25 Commission for each fiscal year of the ~~2003-2005~~ 2005-2007 biennium for the  
 26 Arkansas Code Revision Commission.

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28 SECTION 8. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 29 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. CODE  
 30 REVISION COMMISSION OVERSIGHT.

31 (a) The Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research, or a Bureau  
 32 employee designated by the Director, shall be the disbursing officer for the  
 33 funds appropriated by this act.

34 (b) The Director, or a Bureau employee designated by the Director, shall  
 35 maintain all personnel records of the Commission.

36 (c) When the Director contracts for an audit of the Bureau, he or she

1 shall include in the contract a financial audit of the commission with a  
 2 proportional cost to be borne by the Commission except that the Bureau shall  
 3 bear the cost in excess of funds available to the Commission for that  
 4 purpose.

5 (d) By September 1st of each year, the Director, or a Bureau employee  
 6 designated by the Director, shall evaluate the staff of the Code Revision  
 7 Commission, reporting any problems to the Code Revision Commission.

8 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003  
 9 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

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11 SECTION 9. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized  
 12 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds  
 13 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the  
 14 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
 15 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
 16 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
 17 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
 18 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
 19 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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21 SECTION 10. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
 22 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
 23 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
 24 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
 25 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
 26 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
 27 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or  
 28 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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30 SECTION 11. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
 31 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
 32 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the  
 33 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2005 is essential to the operation of  
 34 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
 35 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
 36 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2005 could work irreparable harm upon the

1 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
2 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
3 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
4 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2005.

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