

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 3 of the Regular Session

1 State of Arkansas  
2 85th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2005  
4

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1050

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ORDINARY  
10 EXPENSES OF THE EXECUTIVE, JUDICIAL AND  
11 LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE  
12 AUDITOR OF STATE - GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS,  
13 ARKANSAS SENATE AND ARKANSAS HOUSE OF  
14 REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING  
15 JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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18 **Subtitle**

19 THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE  
20 ORDINARY EXPENSES OF THE EXECUTIVE,  
21 JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES FOR  
22 THE 2005-2007 BIENNIUM.  
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25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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27 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - AUDITOR OF STATE DISBURSEMENTS. There is hereby  
28 appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the Constitutional  
29 Officers Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Auditor of  
30 State - General Appropriations for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007,  
31 the following:  
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ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
	2005-2006	2006-2007
NO.		
(01) SALARY OF GOVERNOR	\$ 78,915	\$ 80,848



1	(02)	SALARY OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR	38,141	39,075
2	(03)	SALARY OF SECRETARY OF STATE	49,321	50,529
3	(04)	SALARY OF ATTORNEY GENERAL	65,762	67,373
4	(05)	SALARY OF TREASURER OF STATE	49,321	50,529
5	(06)	SALARY OF COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS	49,321	50,529
6	(07)	SALARY OF AUDITOR OF STATE	49,321	50,529
7	(08)	SALARY OF SUPREME COURT CHIEF JUSTICE	142,140	145,184
8	(09)	SALARIES OF SIX (6) SUPREME COURT		
9		ASSOCIATE JUSTICES OF \$131,509 FOR		
10		2005-2006 AND \$134,392 FOR 2006-2007	789,054	806,352
11	(10)	SALARY OF COURT OF APPEALS CHIEF JUDGE	129,470	132,323
12	(11)	SALARIES OF ELEVEN (11) COURT OF		
13		APPEALS JUDGES OF \$127,431 FOR		
14		2005-2006 AND \$130,253 FOR 2006-2007	1,401,741	1,432,783
15	(12)	SALARIES OF ONE HUNDRED FIFTEEN (115)		
16		CIRCUIT JUDGES OF \$123,351 FOR		
17		2005-2006 AND \$126,111 FOR 2006-2007	14,185,365	14,502,765
18	(13)	SPECIAL AND RECALLED JUDGES FOR THE		
19		CIRCUIT COURTS	350,000	350,000
20	(14)	TRIAL JUDGES EXPENSES	300,000	300,000
21	(15)	SALARIES OF TWENTY TWO (22)		
22		PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS - DIVISION A OF		
23		\$103,930 FOR 2005-2006 AND \$106,398 FOR		
24		2006-2007	2,286,460	2,340,756
25	(16)	SALARIES OF SIX (6) PROSECUTING		
26		ATTORNEYS - DIVISION B OF \$86,831 FOR		
27		2005-2006 AND \$89,030 FOR 2006-2007	520,986	534,180
28	(17)	SALARY OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF		
29		REPRESENTATIVES	16,140	16,535
30	(18)	SALARIES OF NINETY NINE (99)		
31		REPRESENTATIVES OF \$14,412 FOR		
32		2005-2006 AND \$14,765 FOR 2006-2007	1,426,788	1,461,735
33	(19)	SALARY OF SENATE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE	16,140	16,535
34	(20)	SALARIES OF THIRTY FOUR (34) SENATORS		
35		OF \$14,412 FOR 2005-2006 AND \$14,765		
36		FOR 2006-2007	490,008	502,010

1	(21) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	<u>5,143,650</u>	<u>5,233,417</u>
2	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 27,578,044</u>	<u>\$ 28,163,987</u>

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 4 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. There is hereby  
 5 appropriated, to the Arkansas House of Representatives, to be payable from  
 6 the Constitutional Officers Fund, for reimbursements to Representatives for  
 7 interim expenses incurred as authorized by law of the Arkansas House of  
 8 Representatives for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

9	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
10	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
11	(01) INTERIM EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENTS FOR		
12	REPRESENTATIVES	<u>\$ 1,335,200</u>	<u>\$ 1,335,200</u>

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 14 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS SENATE. There is hereby appropriated,  
 15 to the Arkansas Senate, to be payable from the Constitutional Officers Fund,  
 16 for reimbursements to Senators for interim expenses incurred as authorized by  
 17 law of the Arkansas Senate for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the  
 18 following:

19	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
20	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
21	(01) INTERIM EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENTS FOR		
22	SENATORS	<u>\$ 465,000</u>	<u>\$ 465,000</u>

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 24 SECTION 4. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 25 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. CARRY  
 26 FORWARD. Any unexpended balance in the appropriations authorized for Interim  
 27 Expense Reimbursements for Representatives and for Interim Expense  
 28 Reimbursements for Senators which remain at the close of the fiscal year  
 29 ending ~~June 30, 2004~~ June 30, 2006 shall be carried forward and made  
 30 available for the same purposes for the fiscal year ending ~~June 30, 2005~~ June  
 31 30, 2007.

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 33 SECTION 5. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 34 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. The  
 35 Auditor of State shall be disbursing officer for the funds appropriated in  
 36 Section 1 herein.

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SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SENATE DISBURSEMENTS. The Secretary of the Senate/Fiscal Officer shall be disbursing officer for the funds appropriated for Interim Expense Reimbursements for Senators herein.

SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. HOUSE DISBURSEMENTS. The Coordinator of House Legislative Services of the House of Representatives shall be disbursing officer for the funds appropriated for Interim Expense Reimbursements for Representatives herein.

SECTION 8. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. HOUSE INTERIM EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENTS. The appropriations authorized in Section 2 shall be used for making reimbursements for interim expenses incurred by members of the House of Representatives.

SECTION 9. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SENATE INTERIM EXPENSE DISBURSEMENTS. The appropriations authorized in Section 3 shall be used for making reimbursements for interim expenses incurred by members of the Senate.

SECTION 10. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. LEGISLATIVE INSTITUTE. Members of the preceding General Assembly and the newly elected members of the House of Representatives and Senate shall be eligible to attend the biennial Institute of Legislative Procedure and shall be entitled, upon filing claim therefor, to per diem in the amount fixed by law for members of the General Assembly to receive for attendance at Legislative sessions, for each day in attending the biennial Institute of Legislative Procedure plus mileage for traveling from their place of residence to the biennial Institute of Legislative Procedure and return.

1 SECTION 11. 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 12. 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, 2005 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, 2005 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, 2005.

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