## 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 1163 of the Regular Session

1	State of Arkansas	A D:11		
2	86th General Assembly	A Bill		
3	Regular Session, 2007		HOUSE BILL	2059
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5	By: Representative Sumpter			
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8		For An Act To Be Entitled		
9		TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE		
10		TAX PRACTITIONERS FOR PERSONAL AND		
11	OPERATIN	NG EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
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13 14		Subtitle		
15	AN AC	CT FOR THE STATE BOARD OF TAX		
16		CITIONERS - PERSONAL AND OPERATING		
17		SES GENERAL IMPROVEMENT		
18		OPRIATION.		
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21	BE IT ENACTED BY THE G	ENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKAN	NSAS:	
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23	SECTION 1. APPROPRI	ATIONS - STATE BOARD OF TAX PRACTITION	ONERS. There i	S
24	hereby appropriated, t	o the Department of Finance and Admir	nistration -	
25	Disbursing Officer, to	be payable from the General Improvem	nent Fund or it	S
26	successor fund or fund	accounts, the following:		
27	(A) For providing p	ersonal services and operating expens	ses to the Stat	е
28	Board of Tax Practitio	ners, the sum of	\$100,000.	
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30	SECTION 2. DISBURSE	MENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may b	oe awarded nor	
31	obligations otherwise	incurred in relation to the project of	or projects	
32	described herein in ex	cess of the State Treasury funds actu	ıally available	
33	therefor as provided b	y law. Provided, however, that insti	itutions and	
34	agencies listed herein	shall have the authority to accept a	and use grants	and
35	donations including Fe	deral funds, and to use its unobligat	ed cash income	or



1 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State 2 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds 3 4 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General 5 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall 6 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act. 7 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing 8 Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue 9 Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, 10 11 as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any 12 funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law. 13 14 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly 15 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained 16 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act 17 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by 18 19 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral 20 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or 21 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption. 22 23 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General 24 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the 25 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2007 is essential to the operation of 26 27 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in 28 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective 29 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2007 could work irreparable harm upon the 30 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being 31 32 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and 33 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2007. 34

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**APPROVED: 4/4/2007**