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Act 528 of the Regular Session**

1 State of Arkansas
2 86th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2007
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1220

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
11 DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION -
12 DIVISION OF RACING FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING
13 JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
17 AND ADMINISTRATION - DIVISION OF RACING
18 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2007-2009
19 BIENNIUM.
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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25 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the
26 Department of Finance and Administration - Division of Racing for the 2007-
27 2009 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose
28 salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification
29 and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor,
30 and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to
31 which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be
32 exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation
33 Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed
34 by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act
35 (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.



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Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate	
				2007-2008	2008-2009
(1)	6644	DOG RACING VETERINARIAN	1	\$84,057	\$85,738
(2)	164Z	DFA RACING COMMISSION MANAGER	1	GRADE 24	
(3)	R298	AGENCY PROGRAM COORDINATOR	1	GRADE 21	
(4)	R266	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST II	1	GRADE 20	
(5)	G018	DFA DOG RACING SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE 20	
(6)	R019	DFA RACING COMMISSION JUDGE	2	GRADE 19	
(7)	A065	DFA RACING COMMISSION OFC AUDITOR	1	GRADE 18	
(8)	L042	DFA VETERINARIAN ASST II	2	GRADE 16	
(9)	L040	DFA VETERINARIAN ASST I	<u>2</u>	GRADE 13	
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	13		

17 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of
18 Finance and Administration - Division of Racing for the 2007-2009 biennium,
19 the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known
20 as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes:
21 twenty-seven (27) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of
22 pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and
23 Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate
24 classification.

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26 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department
27 of Finance and Administration - Division of Racing, to be payable from the
28 Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating
29 expenses of the Department of Finance and Administration - Division of Racing
30 for the biennial period ending June 30, 2009, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2007-2008	2008-2009
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 513,219	\$ 523,331
(02) EXTRA HELP	210,000	210,000
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	201,999	204,344

1	(04) OVERTIME	30,000	30,000
2	(05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
3	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	223,496	223,496
4	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	5,950	5,950
5	(C) PROF. FEES	35,000	35,000
6	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0	0
7	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
8	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 1,219,664</u>	<u>\$ 1,232,121</u>

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10 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - LICENSE APPLICATIONS. There is hereby

11 appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Division of

12 Racing, to be payable from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as

13 determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for operating expenses

14 associated with license applications for employees at Oaklawn and Southland

15 Parks of the Department of Finance and Administration - Division of Racing

16 for the biennial period ending June 30, 2009, the following:

18	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
19	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2007-2008</u>	<u>2008-2009</u>
20	(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
21	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000
22	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0	0
23	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
24	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0	0
25	(E) DATA PROC.	0	0
26	(02) REFUND/REIMBURSEMENTS	<u>5,000</u>	<u>5,000</u>
27	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 105,000</u>	<u>\$ 105,000</u>

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29 SECTION 5. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS

30 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. EXTRA

31 HELP - HORSE RACING. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of

32 Finance and Administration - Division of Racing - Horse Racing, for the

33 ~~2005-2007~~ 2007-2009 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or

34 temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds

35 appropriated herein for such purposes, such employees shall be authorized to

36 work over 1,000 hours per year:

Item No.	Title	Number Required	Hourly Rate	Hourly Rate
			FY05-06 <u>FY07-08</u>	FY06-07 <u>FY08-09</u>
5	(01) VETERINARIAN	1	54.12 <u>57.41</u>	55.74 <u>59.13</u>
6	(02) GENERAL VET. ASST.	2	16.35 <u>17.35</u>	16.84 <u>17.87</u>
7	(03) GENERAL ASST.	1	9.82	10.11
8	(04) (03) STEWARD	1	36.77 <u>39.00</u>	37.87 <u>40.17</u>
9	(05) (04) INVESTIGATOR	1	21.28 <u>22.58</u>	21.92 <u>23.26</u>
10	(06) SUPERVISOR	1	20.45	21.06
11	(07) (05) ASST. SUPERVISOR	2 <u>1</u>	16.35 <u>17.35</u>	16.84 <u>17.87</u>
12	(08) (06) LICENSING CLERK	4 <u>3</u>	10.64 <u>11.29</u>	10.96 <u>11.63</u>
13	(09) (07) SECURITY GATEMAN	2 <u>1</u>	8.18 <u>8.67</u>	8.42 <u>8.93</u>
14	(10) PADDOCK MGR	1	8.99	9.26
15	(11) (08) COLLECTORS	3	10.83 <u>11.49</u>	11.15 <u>11.84</u>
16	(12) (09) WALKERS	4	8.18 <u>8.67</u>	8.42 <u>8.93</u>
17	(13) (10) EXTRA HELP	4	9.82 <u>10.41</u>	10.11 <u>10.72</u>
18	(14) (11) JUDGE	1	15.47 <u>16.41</u>	15.93 <u>16.90</u>

19 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2005
 20 2007 through June 30, ~~2007~~ 2009.

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 22 SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 23 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. EXTRA
 24 HELP - DOG RACING. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Finance
 25 and Administration - Division of Racing - Dog Racing, for the ~~2005-2007~~
 26 2007-2009 biennium, the ~~following~~ maximum number of five (5) part-time or
 27 temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds
 28 appropriated herein for such purposes, such employees shall be authorized to
 29 work over 1,000 hours per year+.

Item No.	Title	Number Required	Hourly Rate	Hourly Rate
			2005-2006	2006-2007
33	(01) VETERINARIAN	2	\$ 38.47	\$ 39.62
34	(02) JUDGE	2	\$ 17.79	\$ 18.32
35	(03) INVESTIGATOR	1	\$ 20.13	\$ 20.73
36	(04) SUPERVISOR	2	\$ 20.13	\$ 20.73

1	(05) OFFICE AUDITOR	2	\$ 12.29	\$ 12.66
2	(06) VETERINARIAN ASST. II	2	\$ 12.05	\$ 12.41
3	(07) VETERINARIAN ASST. I	2	\$ 8.89	\$ 9.16
4	(08) SECRETARY	2	\$ 12.29	\$ 12.66
5	(09) INSPECTOR	1	\$ 13.34	\$ 13.74
6	(10) EXTRA HELP	4	\$ 9.53	\$ 9.81

7 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2005
 8 2007 through June 30, ~~2007~~ 2009.

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 10 SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 11 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. RACING
 12 PASS RESTRICTIONS. The Director of the Department of Finance and
 13 Administration shall set a maximum number of racing passes to be printed and
 14 issued annually and it shall not be less than the number printed in 1990. The
 15 provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2005~~ 2007
 16 through June 30, ~~2007~~ 2009.

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 18 SECTION 8. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 19 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
 20 CONVERSION OF EXTRA HELP EMPLOYEES - RACING DIVISION. Incumbents (employees)
 21 of the DFA Racing Division who occupy positions classified as "Extra Help"
 22 whose positions are terminated as of June 30, 2007, and who will be employed
 23 in new "Regular" classified positions as authorized by the General Assembly
 24 on July 1, 2007, shall be adjusted into the "Regular" positions at the hourly
 25 rates of pay they were receiving as of June 30, 2007 plus any additional
 26 compensation authorized by the General Assembly for Classified State
 27 Employees.

28 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007
 29 through June 30, 2009.

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 31 SECTION 9. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized
 32 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds
 33 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the
 34 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
 35 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
 36 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal

1 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
2 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
3 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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14 SECTION 11. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
15 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
16 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
17 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2007 is essential to the operation of
18 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
19 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
20 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2007 could work irreparable harm upon the
21 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
22 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
23 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
24 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2007.

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