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1 State of Arkansas
2 93rd General Assembly
3 Fiscal Session, 2022
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As Engrossed: S3/1/22

A Bill

SENATE BILL 13

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

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
9 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
10 INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
11 2023; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

13 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INSPECTOR
14 GENERAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2022-2023
15 FISCAL YEAR.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - SHARED SERVICES. There is hereby
22 established for the Department of Inspector General for the 2022-2023 fiscal
23 year, the following maximum number of regular employees.
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Item	Class		Maximum	Maximum Annual
No.	Code	Title	No. of	Salary Rate
			Employees	Fiscal Year
				2022-2023
29	(1)	SC009 SECRETARY OF INSPECTOR GENERAL	1	GRADE SE05
30	(2)	U125U INSPECTOR GENERAL CHIEF COUNSEL	1	GRADE SE01
31	(3)	D056C SYSTEMS COORDINATION ANALYST	1	GRADE IT05
32	(4)	N199N DIG DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE GS14
33	(5)	A115C DIG CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	1	GRADE GS12
34	(6)	G249C DIG PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR	2	GRADE GS12
35	(7)	G076C ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES MANAGER	1	GRADE GS10
36	(8)	G073C ATTORNEY	1	GRADE GS10



1	(9) C010C EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS07
2	(10) C037C ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
3	(11) A074C FISCAL SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
4	(12) G180C GRANTS ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
5	(13) G179C LEGAL SERVICES SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS06
6	(14) P027C PUBLIC INFORMATION SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS06
7	(15) C046C LEGAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS04
8	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	13	

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10 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - SHARED SERVICES PAYING ACCOUNT. There is

11 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Inspector General, to be payable

12 from the paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the

13 State with transfers from the State Central Services Fund, for personal

14 services and operating expenses of the Department of Inspector General -

15 Shared Services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

17	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
18	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2022-2023</u>
19	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$1,014,820
20	(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	304,332
21	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
22	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	0
23	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
24	(C) PROF. FEES	0
25	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
26	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
27	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,319,152</u></u>

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29 SECTION 3. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS - OFFICE OF MEDICAID INSPECTOR

30 GENERAL. There is hereby established for the Department of Inspector General

31 - Office of Medicaid Inspector General for the 2022-2023 fiscal year, the

32 following maximum number of regular employees.

34		Maximum Annual
35		Salary Rate
36	Item Class	Fiscal Year
		Maximum
		No. of

No.	Code	Title	Employees	2022-2023
(1)	U124U	MEDICAID INSPECTOR GENERAL	1	GRADE SE03
(2)	L009C	NURSE MANAGER	1	GRADE MP03
(3)	L027C	REGISTERED NURSE SUPERVISOR	3	GRADE MP02
(4)	L038C	REGISTERED NURSE	3	GRADE MP01
(5)	G250C	DIG OPERATIONS MANAGER	2	GRADE GS11
(6)	M009C	LICENSED CERTIFIED SOCIAL WORKER	1	GRADE GS09
(7)	G251C	DIG PROGRAM MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08
(8)	A113C	DIG SR. AUDITOR	10	GRADE GS08
(9)	X200C	MEDICAID FRAUD INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE GS07
(10)	A114C	DIG AUDITOR	1	GRADE GS06
(11)	B076C	RESEARCH PROJECT ANALYST	2	GRADE GS06
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	26	

SECTION 4. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS - OFFICE OF MEDICAID INSPECTOR GENERAL. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Inspector General - Office of Medicaid Inspector General for the 2022-2023 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2) 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 5. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS - OFFICE OF MEDICAID INSPECTOR GENERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Inspector General, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Inspector General - Office of Medicaid Inspector General - State Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2022-2023
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$541,979
(02) EXTRA HELP	4,999
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	184,175
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	

1	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	187,962
2	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,400
3	(C) PROF. FEES	2,800
4	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
5	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
6	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$925,315</u></u>

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8 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - FEDERAL OPERATIONS - OFFICE OF MEDICAID

9 INSPECTOR GENERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of

10 Inspector General, to be payable from the federal funds as designated by the

11 Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating

12 expenses of the Department of Inspector General - Office of Medicaid

13 Inspector General - Federal Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30,

14 2023, the following:

16	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
17	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2022-2023</u>
18	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$986,870
19	(02) EXTRA HELP	5,001
20	(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	317,221
21	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
22	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	209,489
23	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,800
24	(C) PROF. FEES	2,800
25	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
26	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
27	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,525,181</u></u>

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29 SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - ENTERPRISE FRAUD PROGRAM - STATE - OFFICE OF

30 MEDICAID INSPECTOR GENERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department

31 of Inspector General, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund

32 Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Enterprise Fraud

33 Program of the Department of Inspector General - Office of Medicaid Inspector

34 General - Enterprise Fraud Program - State for the fiscal year ending June

35 30, 2023, the following:

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1	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
2	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2022-2023</u>
3	(01) ENTERPRISE FRAUD PROGRAM	<u>\$900,000</u>

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5 SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION - ENTERPRISE FRAUD PROGRAM - FEDERAL - OFFICE
6 OF MEDICAID INSPECTOR GENERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the
7 Department of Inspector General, to be payable from the federal funds as
8 designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services
9 and operating expenses of the Enterprise Fraud Program of the Department of
10 Inspector General - Office of Medicaid Inspector General - Enterprise Fraud
11 Program - Federal for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

13	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
14	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2022-2023</u>
15	(01) ENTERPRISE FRAUD PROGRAM	<u>\$3,600,000</u>

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17 SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - CASH OPERATIONS - OFFICE OF MEDICAID
18 INSPECTOR GENERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of
19 Inspector General, to be payable from the cash fund deposited in the State
20 Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal
21 services and operating expenses of the Department of Inspector General -
22 Office of Medicaid Inspector General - Cash Operations for the fiscal year
23 ending June 30, 2023, the following:

25	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
26	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2022-2023</u>
27	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$136,406
28	(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	41,829
29	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
30	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	15,645
31	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	6,710
32	(C) PROF. FEES	1,200
33	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
34	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
35	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$201,790</u>

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1 SECTION 10. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION. There
 2 is hereby established for the Department of Inspector General - Arkansas Fair
 3 Housing Commission for the 2022-2023 fiscal year, the following maximum
 4 number of regular employees.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2022-2023
10	(1) N226N	ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING EXECUTIVE DIR	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS15
11	(2) C010C	EXEC. ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS07
12	(3) X112C	AFHC CHIEF INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE GS07
13	(4) X150C	AFHC INVESTIGATOR	5	GRADE GS06
14	(5) A074C	FISCAL SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
15	(6) G180C	GRANTS ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
16	(7) P027C	PUBLIC INFORMATION SPECIALIST	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS06
17		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	11	

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 19 SECTION 11. EXTRA HELP - ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION. There is
 20 hereby authorized, for the Department of Inspector General - Arkansas Fair
 21 Housing Commission for the 2022-2023 fiscal year, the following maximum
 22 number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help",
 23 payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2) temporary
 24 or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those
 25 provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its
 26 successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

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 28 SECTION 12. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS - ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING
 29 COMMISSION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Inspector
 30 General, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for
 31 personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Inspector
 32 General - Arkansas Fair Housing Commission - Operations for the fiscal year
 33 ending June 30, 2023, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR
	2022-2023

1	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$562,834
2	(02) EXTRA HELP	40,000
3	(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	193,984
4	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
5	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	191,573
6	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	58,000
7	(C) PROF. FEES	57,007
8	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
9	(E) DATA PROC.	0
10	(05) PUBLIC EDUCATION	<u>899</u>
11	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,104,297</u></u>

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13 SECTION 13. APPROPRIATION - EDUCATION - TRUST - ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING
 14 COMMISSION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Inspector
 15 General, to be payable from the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission Trust Fund,
 16 for operating expenses of the Department of Inspector General - Arkansas Fair
 17 Housing Commission - Education - Trust for the fiscal year ending June 30,
 18 2023, the following:

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20	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
21	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2022-2023</u>
22	(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
23	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$115,000
24	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	55,000
25	(C) PROF. FEES	0
26	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
27	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
28	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$170,000</u></u>

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30 SECTION 14. REGULAR SALARIES - OFFICE OF INTERNAL AUDIT. There is
 31 hereby established for the Department of Inspector General - Office of
 32 Internal Audit for the 2022-2023 fiscal year, the following maximum number of
 33 regular employees.

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	Maximum Annual
Maximum	Salary Rate

Item Class	No. of	Fiscal Year
No. Code Title	Employees	2022-2023
(1) N219N DFA ADMINISTRATOR-INTERNAL AUDIT	1	GRADE SE02
(2) A010C AGENCY CONTROLLER II	1	GRADE GS13
(3) A044C AUDIT COORDINATOR	4	GRADE GS10
(4) A081C AUDITOR	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS07
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	7	

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9 SECTION 15. APPROPRIATION - OFFICE OF INTERNAL AUDIT - OPERATIONS.

10 There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Inspector General, to be
 11 payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal services and
 12 operating expenses of the Department of Inspector General - Office of
 13 Internal Audit - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the
 14 following:

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ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2022-2023
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$573,756
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	169,591
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	51,542
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,500
(C) PROF. FEES	20,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(04) DATA PROCESSING SERVICES	<u>70,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$888,389</u>

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29 SECTION 16. REGULAR SALARIES - INDEPENDENT TAX APPEALS COMMISSION.

30 There is hereby established for the Department of Inspector General -
 31 Independent Tax Appeals Commission for the 2022-2023 fiscal year, the
 32 following maximum number of regular employees.

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Item Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual
	No. of	Salary Rate
	Fiscal Year	
Item Class	No. of	Fiscal Year

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No.	Code	Title	Employees	2022-2023
(1)	N247N	TAX APPEALS COMMISSIONER	3	GRADE SE04
(2)	D057C	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGER	1	GRADE IT05
(3)	G310C	TAX APPEALS STAFF ATTORNEY	1	GRADE GS13
(4)	A143C	TAX APPEALS ACCOUNTANT	1	GRADE GS13
(5)	C118C	COMMISSIONER ASSISTANT	1	GRADE GS10
(6)	A054C	TAX AUDITOR II	1	GRADE GS09
(7)	G311C	TAX APPEALS COMMISSION LAW CLERK	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS07
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	9	

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SECTION 17. APPROPRIATION - INDEPENDENT TAX APPEALS COMMISSION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Inspector General, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Inspector General - Independent Tax Appeals Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, the following:

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ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2022-2023
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$897,417
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	251,278
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	500,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	125,000
(C) PROF. FEES	500,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	300,000
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$2,573,695</u>

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SECTION 18. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SHARED SERVICES. (a)(1) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may create a Shared Services paying accounts on his or her books and on the books of the Treasurer of State and the Auditor of State for the payment of personal services and operating expenses in the Shared Services Paying Account Appropriation by the Department of Inspector General.

(2) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall direct the transfer

1 of funds and appropriations to the Shared Services Paying Account
2 appropriation section of this act on the books of the Treasurer of State, the
3 Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

4 (3) The transfer authority provided to the department in
5 subdivision (a)(2) of this section may be used to make transfers only within
6 the department's appropriation act or between other appropriation acts
7 authorized for the department.

8 (4) The provisions of this section shall be in effect from the date of
9 passage through June 30, 2023.

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11 SECTION 19. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
12 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. ARKANSAS
13 FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION PROMOTIONAL ITEMS. Upon approval of the Chief Fiscal
14 Officer of the State, the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission is hereby
15 authorized to transfer appropriation from Operating Expenses to Promotional
16 Items in the Education Trust Appropriation provided by this Act in an amount
17 not to exceed eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) each fiscal year to meet the
18 Commission's educational needs.

19 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2021~~
20 2022 through June 30, ~~2022~~ 2023.

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22 SECTION 20. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
23 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
24 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
25 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
26 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
27 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
28 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
29 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
30 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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32 SECTION 21. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
33 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
34 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
35 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
36 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget

1 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
2 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
3 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.
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5 SECTION 22. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on and after July 1,
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8 */s/Joint Budget Committee*

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