Act 225 SB480

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE STUDENT LOAN GUARANTEE PROGRAM FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Student Loan Guarantee Program for the 1987-89 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act, or its successor.

				Maximum Annual		
			Maximum	Salary Rate		
Item	Clas	SS	No. of	Fiscal	Years	
No	Code	eTitle	_Employees_	_1987-88	1988-89	
(1)	9986	STUDENT LOAN DIRECTOR SYSTEMS APPLICATIONS SUPERVISOR	1	\$36,396	\$36,396	
(2)	D046	SYSTEMS APPLICATIONS SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE	22	
(3)	D066	SYSTEMS COORDINATION ANALYST	1	GRADE	21	
	391Z	HIGHER ED ADMIN I	1			
(4)	A036	FIELD AUDITOR SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE	20	
	800A	ACCOUNTING SUPV II	1			
	A056	INTERNAL AUDITOR	1			
(5)	R486	STUDENT AID ANALYST	2	GRADE	18	
(6)	M180	STUDENT LOAN OFFICER II	2	GRADE	17	
	D030	JR PROGRAMMER ANALYST	1			
(7)	A024	COLLECTION OFFICER	8	GRADE	16	
	R010	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	2			
(8)	A002	ACCOUNTANT I	2	GRADE	15	
(9)	A033	FIELD AUDITOR I	2	GRADE	14	
	R177	LEGAL ASSISTANT	1			
	W025	RECORDS CONSULTANT	1			
	M179	STUDENT LOAN OFFICER I	2			
(10)	K163	DATA ENTRY SUPV II	1	GRADE	13	
(11)	K115	STATISTICIAN ASST II/STATISTICIAN I	1	GRADE	12	
(12)	A013	BOOKKEEPER II/ACCOUNTING ASST II	1	GRADE	11	
	K153	SECRETARY II	2			
(13)	K155	SECRETARY I	1	GRADE	09	
(14)	K023	CLERK TYPIST II	1	GRADE	07	
		MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	38			

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Student Loan Guarantee Program for the 1987-89 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: seven (7) 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, for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Student Loan Guarantee Program, to be payable from the Student Loan Guarantee Federal Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Student Loan Guarantee Program for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM	_	FISCAL YEARS			
NO				1987-88	1988-89
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES		\$	651,174 \$	651,174
(02)	EXTRA HELP		37,000	37,000	
(03)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING			149,923	149,923
(04)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION				
	(A) OPER. EXPENSES \$	288,065	\$ 302,273		
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	46,522	48,379		
	(C) PROF. FEES	32,540	33,842		
	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	62,255	20,000		
	(E) DATA PROCESSING	320,162	320,162		
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.			749,544	724,656
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$	1,587,641 \$	1,562,753

SECTION 4. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. Funds received by the Student Loan Guarantee Program as insurance premiums may, in such amounts as determined by the Board of Directors, be deposited in the Student Loan Guarantee Federal Fund Account, and may be expended pursuant to appropriation made in Section 3 hereof.

SECTION 5. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

SECTION 7. CONTRACT RESTRICTIONS. The agency, board, commission, department or institution to whom funds are appropriated by this Act shall not enter into any contract for any professional or consultant services which shall extend for more than twenty (20) actual working days or the total compensation exceeds five thousand dollars (\$5,000) during any one fiscal year without first seeking the advice of the Arkansas Legislative Council. Provided further, that all contracts for professional or consultant services shall be submitted monthly to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State for reporting to the Legislative Council.

SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the

Seventy-Sixth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1987 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1987 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1987.

APPROVED: 3/13/87