

By: Joint Budget Committee

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE SUPREME COURT FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1991; 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 Supreme Court for the 1989-91 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees and the grades to be assigned to the respective positions, and the maximum annual salaries for each such position shall be determined in accordance with, but shall not exceed the maximum annual amount, for the grade assigned herein, as established in Arkansas Code 21-5-209 and 21-5-215. Except for the purpose of determining the maximum annual salary rate, which is to be applicable to each of the positions to which a salary grade, is assigned hereinafter, in accordance with the provisions of Arkansas Code 21-5-209 and 21-5-215, all positions set forth herein shall be exempt from provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor but shall not be exempt from the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act, or its successor.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate	
				1989-90	1990-91
(01)		SUPREME COURT CLERK	1	\$ 47,889	\$ 49,086
(02)		BAILIFF/SECURITY OFFICER	1	20,098	20,600
(03)		CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK	1	GRADE 24	
		SUPREME COURT REPORTER	1		
		SUPREME COURT LIBRARIAN	1		
		CRIMINAL LAW ASSISTANT	1		
(04)		LEGAL RESEARCH ASSISTANT	1	GRADE 22	
(05)		SUPREME COURT LAW CLERK	14	GRADE 21	
(06)		ASSISTANT REPORTER	1	GRADE 20	
		ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN II	1		
		ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	1		
(07)		ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN I	1	GRADE 14	
		DEPUTY CLERK	4		
(08)		SECRETARY OF ASSOCIATE JUSTICE	6	GRADE 13	
(09)		SECRETARY	1	GRADE 12	
		MAXIMUM NO. OF EMPLOYEES	36		

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Supreme Court for the 1989-91 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: one (1) 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 Supreme

Court, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Supreme Court for the biennial period ending June 30, 1991, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	1989-90	1990-91
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 832,838	\$ 853,659
(02) EXTRA HELP	2,500	2,500
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	196,096	206,960
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSES	\$ 104,000	\$ 105,500
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	9,000	9,000
(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	80,000	85,000
(E) DATA PROCESSING	0	0
TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	193,000	199,500
(05) SPECIAL JUSTICES	4,500	4,500
(06) COURT APPOINTED ATTORNEYS	42,400	42,400
(07) PRINTING & BINDING	138,797	138,797
(08) NATIONAL CENTER FOR STATE COURTS	54,814	58,103
(09) JUDICIAL EDUCATION	100,000	100,000
(10) COMMISSIONS AND COMMITTEES	10,000	10,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ 1,574,945	\$ 1,616,419

SECTION 4. 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 5. 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 6. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Seventh 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, 1989 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, 1989 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, 1989.

APPROVED: February 21, 1989

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