1	State of Arkansas				
2	81st General Assembly	A Bill	ACT 61 OF 1997		
3	Regular Session, 1997		HOUSE BILL 1236		
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5	By: Joint Budget Committee				
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled				
9	"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND				
10	OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS				
11	FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1999; AND FOR				
12	OTHER PURPOSES."				
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14	Subtitle				
15	"AN ACT FOR THE STATE BOARD OF DENTAL				
16	EXAMINERS APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1997-99				
17	BIENNIUM."				
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19	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL A	ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANS	SAS:		
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21	SECTION 1. REGULAR SALA	ARIES. There is hereby establi	ished for the State		
22	Board of Dental Examiners for the 1997-99 biennium, the following maximum				
23	number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions				
24	of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code $^{\hat{\theta}\hat{\theta}}$ 21-5-201				
25	et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided,				
26	however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set				
27	out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform				
28	Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions				
29	authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular				
30	Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code $^{6}$ 21-5-101), or its				
31	successor.				
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33		P	Maximum Annual		
34		Maximum	Salary Rate		
35	Item Class	No. of	Fiscal Years		
36	No. Code Title	Employees 19	<del>997-98 1998-99</del>		

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2	(1) 7133 BD OF DENTAL EXAM EXEC DIRECTOR	1	\$ 45,183	\$ 46,448
3	(2) 8707 DENTAL BD CHIEF ADMIN ASSISTANT	1	\$ 33,632	\$ 34,573
4	(3) 7139 BD OF DENTAL COMPUTER OPS SPECIAL	1	\$ 21,829	\$ 22,440
5	(4) 7134 BD OF DENTAL EXAM INVESTIGATOR	1	\$ 21,619	\$ 22,224
6	MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	4		

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8 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the State

- 9 Board of Dental Examiners, to be payable from cash funds as defined by
- 10 Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the State Board of Dental Examiners, for personal
- 11 services and operating expenses of the State Board of Dental Examiners for the
- 12 biennial period ending June 30, 1999, the following:

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14	ITEM		FISCAL YEARS		
15	NO.			1997-98	1998-99
16	(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	\$	122,263 \$	125,685
17	(02)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING		37,332	38,039
18	(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION			
19		(A) OPER. EXPENSE		97,957	97,957
20		(B) CONF. & TRVL.		4,232	4,232
21		(C) PROF. FEES		45,726	45,726
22		(D) CAP. OUTLAY		0	0
23		(E) DATA PROC.		0	0
24		TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$	307,510 \$	311,639

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SECTION 3. EMPLOYMENT OF ATTORNEYS. None of the funds appropriated in this Act for Maintenance and General Operation shall be expended in payment for services of attorneys, unless the agency shall first make a request in writing to the Attorney General of the State of Arkansas to provide the required legal services. The Attorney General's Office shall provide the requested legal services, or, if the Attorney General's Office shall determine that sufficient personnel are not available to provide the requested legal

- 33 services, the Attorney General shall certify the same to the agency and may
- 34 authorize the agency to employ legal counsel and to expend monies appropriated
- 35 for Maintenance and General Operations therefor, if:

(1) The Attorney General determines, and certifies in writing, that 2 such agency needs the advice or assistance of legal counsel, and (2) The Attorney General consents in writing to the employment of the 4 legal counsel to be retained by the agency. Such certification shall be required with respect to each instance of 6 the employment of special legal counsel, or shall be required annually with 7 respect to legal counsel employed on a retainer basis. A copy of such 8 certification shall be entered in the official minutes of the agency, and 9 shall be retained in the fiscal records of the agency for audit purposes. 10 SECTION 4. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds 11 12 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency 13 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and 14 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and 15 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary 16 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control 17 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the 18 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be 19 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds. 20 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General 2.1 22 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations 23 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which 24 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive 25 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget 26 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or 27 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative 28 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption. 29 30 SECTION 6. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent 31 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas 32 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

35 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such

SECTION 7. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the

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1 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which
 2 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this
 3 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.
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         SECTION 8. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict
 6 with this Act are hereby repealed.
         SECTION 9. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
9 Eighty-First General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
10 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
11 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1997 is essential to the operation of
12 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
13 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
14 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1997 could work irreparable harm upon the
15 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
16 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
17 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
18 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1997.
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