State of Arkansas 1 A Bill 2 82nd General Assembly Act 262 of 1999 3 Regular Session, 1999 SENATE BILL 180 4 5 By: Joint Budget Committee 6 7 For An Act To Be Entitled 8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR RENOVATIONS. 9 REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE FOR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION 10 COMMISSION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION 11 12 TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 410 OF 1997; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES." 13 14 **Subtitle** 15 "AN ACT FOR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION 16 COMMISSION SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION." 17 18 19 20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS: 21 22 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - SUPPLEMENTAL MAINTENANCE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Workers' Compensation Commission, to be payable from the 23 Worker's Compensation Fund, for repairs, renovations and maintenance of the 24 Workers' Compensation Commission which shall be supplemental and in addition 25 26 to those funds appropriated in Section 1 of Act 410 of 1997, the following: 27 28 ITEM FISCAL YEAR 29 NO. 1998-1999 (01) BUILDING AND GROUNDS MAINTENANCE 30 \$ 190,000 31 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by 32 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made 33 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions 34 35 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and 36

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Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this 1 2 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of 3 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied 4 with in disbursement of said funds. 5 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly 6 7 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained 8 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act 9 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations 10 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral 11 12 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint 13 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption. 14 15 SECTION 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent 16 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas 17 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code. 18 19 SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application 20 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall 21 not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given 22 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the 23 provisions of this act are declared to be severable. 24 25 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with 26 this act are hereby repealed. 27 28 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the 29 Eighty-second General Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of the Workers' Compensation Commission are, due to 30 31 unforeseen circumstances, insufficient for the Workers' Compensation 32 Commission to continue to provide essential governmental services; that the provisions of this act will provide the necessary monies for the Workers' 33 34 Compensation Commission to continue such services; and that a delay in the

effective date of this Act could work irreparable harm upon the proper

administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an

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ı	emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act being necessary for the
2	immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full
3	force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.
4	If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become
5	effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor
6	may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is
7	overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides the
8	<u>veto.</u>
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