

1 State of Arkansas
2 90th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2015

A Bill

SENATE BILL 222

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5 By: Senator J. Woods
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 3 OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2015,
9 THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT, TO REMOVE THE SALARIES
10 OF ELECTED PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS; AND FOR OTHER
11 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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15 SESSION OF 2015, THE GENERAL
16 APPROPRIATION ACT TO REMOVE THE SALARIES
17 OF ELECTED PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS.
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. Section 1 of Act 3 of the Regular Session of 2015 is hereby
24 amended to read as follows:

25 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - AUDITOR OF STATE DISBURSEMENTS. There is
26 hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the
27 Constitutional Officers Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of
28 the Auditor of State - General Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June
29 30, 2016, the following:
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31 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
32 NO.	2015-2016
33 (01) SALARIES OF TWENTY FIVE (25)	
34 PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS - DIVISION A	
35 OF \$124,394	\$3,109,850
36 (02) SALARIES OF THREE (3) PROSECUTING	



1	ATTORNEYS — DIVISION B OF \$104,089	312,267
2	(03) (01) SPECIAL AND RECALLED JUDGES FOR THE	
3	CIRCUIT COURTS	350,000
4	(04) (02) TRIAL JUDGES EXPENSES	400,000
5	(05) (03) DISTRICT JUDGES TRAVEL EXPENSE	
6	REIMBURSEMENT	27,000
7	(06) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	<u>1,026,635</u>
8	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$5,225,752</u></u> <u>\$777,000</u>

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SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2015 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 legislative session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2015 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, 2015.

APPROVED: 03/27/2015