

1 State of Arkansas  
2 91st General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2017  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1619

5 By: Joint Budget Committee  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING  
9 EXPENSES FOR THE HEALTH SERVICES PERMIT AGENCY WHICH  
10 SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS  
11 APPROPRIATED BY ACT 137 OF 2016; AND FOR OTHER  
12 PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR THE HEALTH SERVICES PERMIT  
16 AGENCY - OPERATING EXPENSES SUPPLEMENTAL  
17 APPROPRIATION.  
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby  
24 appropriated, to the Health Services Permit Agency, to be payable from the  
25 Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for operating expenses of the Health  
26 Services Permit Agency which shall be supplemental and in addition to those  
27 funds appropriated in Section 2 of Act 137 of 2016, the following:  
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29 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
30 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2016-2017</u>
31 (01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
32 (A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$33,000
33 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
34 (C) PROF. FEES	0
35 (D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
36 (E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>



1 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$33,000

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 3 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
 4 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
 5 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
 6 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
 7 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
 8 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
 9 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
 10 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
 11 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.  
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13 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
 14 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
 15 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
 16 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
 17 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
 18 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
 19 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
 20 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.  
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22 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
 23 Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of  
 24 the Health Services Permit Agency are, due to unforeseen circumstances,  
 25 insufficient for the Health Services Permit Agency to continue to provide  
 26 essential governmental services; that the provisions of this act will provide  
 27 the necessary monies for the Health Services Permit Agency to continue such  
 28 services; and that a delay in the effective date of this Act could work  
 29 irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential  
 30 governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist  
 31 and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public  
 32 peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the  
 33 date of its passage and approval.

34 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall  
 35 become effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the  
 36 Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the

1 veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house  
2 overrides the veto.

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