## Stricken language will be deleted and underlined language will be added. Act 97 of the Regular Session

1	State of	Arkansas		
2	94th Ge	neral Assembly $$	Bill	
3	Regular	Session, 2023		HOUSE BILL 1050
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5	By: Join	nt Budget Committee		
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7		For An Act To	Be Entitled	
8	AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES			
9	AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS COURT OF			
10		APPEALS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR	ENDING JUNE 30, 2024	; AND
11		FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
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14		Subt	itle	
15		AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSA	S COURT OF APPEALS	
16		APPROPRIATION FOR THE	2023-2024 FISCAL	
17		YEAR.		
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20	BE IT	ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF	THE STATE OF ARKANS	SAS:
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22	SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established			
23	for the Arkansas Court of Appeals for the 2023-2024 fiscal year, the			
24	follow	ing maximum number of regular empl	oyees.	
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26				Maximum Annual
27			Maximum	Salary Rate
28	Item	Class	No. of	Fiscal Year
29	No.	Code Title	Employees	2023-2024
30	(1)	Q017N CA CHIEF STAFF ATTORNEY	1	GRADE GS15
31	(2)	Q033C CA LAW CLERK	24	GRADE GS14
32	(3)	Q013C CA STAFF ATTORNEY	3	GRADE GS14
33	(4)	Q034C CA CHIEF DEPUTY CLERK	1	GRADE GS12
34	(5)	Q087C EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO CA	1	GRADE GS11
35	(6)	Q112C CA JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATIVE	ASSISTANT 12	GRADE GS09
36	(7)	Q098C CA ASSISTANT CHIEF DEPUTY O	CLERK 1	GRADE GS08



1	(8) Q099C CA FINANCE OFFICER	1	GRADE GS08	
2	(9) Q100C CA RECORDS MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08	
3	(10) Q119C CA DEPUTY CLERK	3	GRADE GS07	
4	(11) Q111C JUDICIAL ADMIN ASSISTANT TO CA	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS07	
5	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	49		
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7	SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is	hereby autl	horized, for	
8	the Arkansas Court of Appeals for the 2023-2024 fisc	al year, t	he following	
9	maximum number of part-time or temporary employees,	to be know	n as "Extra	
10	Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for su	ch purpose	s: two (2)	
11	temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at ra	tes of pay	not to exceed	
12	those provided in the Uniform Classification and Com	pensation A	Act, or its	
13	successor, or this act for the appropriate classific	ation.		
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15	SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There	is hereby	appropriated,	
16	to the Arkansas Court of Appeals, to be payable from the State Central			
17	Services Fund, for personal services, operating expenses, special judges,			
18	court appointed attorneys, and other legal expenses of the Arkansas Court of			
		or one min	ansas Court of	
19	Appeals for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, th			
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20 21	ITEM		g: FISCAL YEAR	
20 21 22	ITEM NO.		g: FISCAL YEAR 2023-2024	
<ul><li>20</li><li>21</li><li>22</li><li>23</li></ul>	ITEM NO. (01) REGULAR SALARIES		g:  FISCAL YEAR  2023-2024  \$3,940,692	
<ul><li>20</li><li>21</li><li>22</li><li>23</li><li>24</li></ul>	ITEM NO. (01) REGULAR SALARIES (02) EXTRA HELP		FISCAL YEAR  2023-2024  \$3,940,692  25,000	
<ul><li>20</li><li>21</li><li>22</li><li>23</li><li>24</li><li>25</li></ul>	ITEM NO.  (01) REGULAR SALARIES (02) EXTRA HELP (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING		FISCAL YEAR  2023-2024  \$3,940,692  25,000	
20 21 22 23 24 25 26	ITEM NO.  (01) REGULAR SALARIES (02) EXTRA HELP (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		FISCAL YEAR  2023-2024  \$3,940,692  25,000  1,246,889	
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27	ITEM NO.  (01) REGULAR SALARIES (02) EXTRA HELP (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE		FISCAL YEAR  2023-2024  \$3,940,692  25,000  1,246,889  251,129	
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28	ITEM NO.  (01) REGULAR SALARIES (02) EXTRA HELP (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE (B) CONF. & TRAVEL		FISCAL YEAR  2023-2024  \$3,940,692  25,000  1,246,889  251,129  68,900	
20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29	ITEM NO.  (01) REGULAR SALARIES (02) EXTRA HELP (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE (B) CONF. & TRAVEL (C) PROF. FEES		FISCAL YEAR  2023-2024  \$3,940,692  25,000  1,246,889  251,129  68,900  0	
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1	SECTION 4. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code Title 16,
2	Chapter 12, Subchapter 1, is amended to codify special language in
3	appropriation acts and to add an additional section to read as follows:
4	16-12-115. Mileage reimbursement.
5	(a) A judge of the Court of Appeals may be reimbursed for necessary
6	mileage.
7	(b) Reimbursement under subsection (a) of this section shall:
8	(1) Be paid out of funds appropriated in the operations
9	appropriation for the Court of Appeals;
10	(2) Be at the same mileage reimbursement rate as established in
11	state travel rules for state employees;
12	(3) Be limited to travel within the state between the judge's
13	official residence and the Court of Appeals, not exceeding three (3) round
14	trips per week; and
15	(4) Not be allowed for a judge whose official residence is
16	<u>located in Pulaski County.</u>
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18	SECTION 5. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
19	authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
20	and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
21	the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
22	Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
23	Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
24	control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
25	the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
26	strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.
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28	SECTION 6. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
29	Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
30	contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
31	which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
32	Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
33	manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
34	summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
35	Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

1	SECTION /. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
2	Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
3	appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
4	effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2023 is essential to the operation of
5	the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
6	the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
7	effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2023 could work irreparable harm
8	upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
9	programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
10	being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
11	and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2023.
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