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A Bill

SENATE BILL 63

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

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
9 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD
10 OF NURSING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2018;
11 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF
15 NURSING APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2017-2018
16 FISCAL YEAR.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established
23 for the Arkansas State Board of Nursing for the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the
24 following maximum number of regular employees.
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Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2017-2018
30	(1) U096U	ASBN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	1	\$105,883
31	(2) G013N	ASBN GENERAL COUNSEL	1	GRADE N905
32	(3) N158N	ASBN ASSISTANT DIRECTOR	2	GRADE N901
33	(4) L007C	ASBN PROGRAM COORDINATOR	3	GRADE C126
34	(5) G047C	ATTORNEY SPECIALIST	1	GRADE C126
35	(6) G076C	ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES MANAGER	1	GRADE C124
36	(7) D030C	INFORMATION SYSTEMS COORDINATOR	1	GRADE C124



1	(8)	X030C	REGULATORY BOARD CHIEF INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE C123
2	(9)	P013C	PUBLIC INFORMATION COORDINATOR	1	GRADE C120
3	(10)	C010C	EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE C118
4	(11)	C037C	ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	1	GRADE C115
5	(12)	D084C	COMPUTER OPERATOR	1	GRADE C114
6	(13)	C046C	LEGAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST	4	GRADE C113
7	(14)	C045C	LICENSING COORDINATOR	6	GRADE C113
8	(15)	C056C	ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1	GRADE C112
9	(16)	A098C	FISCAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST	1	GRADE C112
10	(17)	C073C	ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	<u>2</u>	GRADE C109
11			MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	29	

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13 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for
 14 the Arkansas State Board of Nursing for the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the
 15 following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as
 16 "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: one
 17 (1) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to
 18 exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or
 19 its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

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21 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated,
 22 to the Arkansas State Board of Nursing, to be payable from the State Board of
 23 Nursing Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas
 24 State Board of Nursing for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, the
 25 following:

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27	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
28	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>
29	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$1,496,089
30	(02) EXTRA HELP	26,531
31	(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	484,354
32	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
33	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	876,914
34	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	30,448
35	(C) PROF. FEES	17,477
36	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	22,000

1	(E) DATA PROC.	0
2	(05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	<u>1,000</u>
3	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$2,954,813</u></u>

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5 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - SCHOLAR LOANS. There is hereby

6 appropriated, to the Arkansas State Board of Nursing, to be payable from the

7 cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal

8 Officer of the State, for Nursing Student Loan Program to make student loans

9 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, the following:

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11	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
12	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>
13	(01) NURSING STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM	<u><u>\$163,700</u></u>

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15 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - NURSING EDUCATION WORKSHOPS. There is

16 hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Board of Nursing, to be payable

17 from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief

18 Fiscal Officer of the State, for operating expenses of the Arkansas State

19 Board of Nursing - Nursing Education Workshops for the fiscal year ending

20 June 30, 2018, the following:

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22	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
23	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>
24	(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
25	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$30,000
26	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
27	(C) PROF. FEES	5,000
28	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
29	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
30	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$35,000</u></u>

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32 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - BACKGROUND CHECK FEE. There is hereby

33 appropriated, to the Arkansas State Board of Nursing, to be payable from the

34 cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal

35 Officer of the State, for operating expenses for criminal background checks

36 of the Arkansas State Board of Nursing for the fiscal year ending June 30,

1 2018, the following:

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3 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
4 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>
5 (01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
6 (A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$242,632
7 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
8 (C) PROF. FEES	0
9 (D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
10 (E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
11 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$242,632</u></u>

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13 SECTION 7. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
 14 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
 15 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
 16 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
 17 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
 18 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
 19 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
 20 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
 21 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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23 SECTION 8. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
 24 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
 25 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
 26 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
 27 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
 28 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
 29 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
 30 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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32 SECTION 9. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
 33 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
 34 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
 35 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2017 is essential to the operation of
 36 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in

1 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
2 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2017 could work irreparable harm
3 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
4 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
5 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
6 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2017.

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