

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

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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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:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2015-2016</u>
(01) SALARIES OF TWENTY FIVE (25)	
PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS — DIVISION A	
OF \$124,394	\$3,109,850
(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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10 SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the
 11 General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits
 12 the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
 13 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2015 is essential to the operation of
 14 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
 15 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
 16 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2015 could work irreparable harm
 17 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
 18 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
 19 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
 20 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2015.

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