

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 83rd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2001  
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# A Bill

Act 1 of 2001  
SENATE BILL 1

5 By: Senate Efficiency  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS SENATE  
10 FOR EXPENSES OF THE ARKANSAS SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-  
11 THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

14 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE EXPENSES  
15 APPROPRIATION.  
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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21 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas  
22 Senate, to be payable from the Constitutional Officers Fund, the following:

- 23 (A) For Mileage Allowances, Per diem, Maintenance and General Operations
- 24 and Other Expenses authorized by Law, the sum of ..... \$473,000.
- 25 (B) For Salaries of Employees, the sum of ..... \$480,000.
- 26 (C) For Employer Matching Funds, the sum of ..... \$44,800.

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28 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE  
29 NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. The Senate  
30 Disbursing Officer is hereby directed to issue vouchers evidencing all  
31 payments authorized by the Senate Efficiency Committee, subject to the  
32 approval of the Arkansas Senate, and when vouchers issued covering  
33 expenditures of the Arkansas Senate have been so issued and approved, the  
34 State Auditor is directed to convert such vouchers into warrants, and the  
35 Treasurer is directed to pay the same out of the funds appropriated herein.  
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1 SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE  
 2 NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. If the Senate  
 3 Efficiency Committee and the Senate Fiscal Officer, subject to approval by the  
 4 Arkansas Senate, should determine that any item or portion thereof  
 5 appropriated herein for a specific purpose is not needed for such purpose, the  
 6 Senate Fiscal Officer may certify such fact to the State Auditor and the State  
 7 Auditor shall cause transfer to be made from one item to another.

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 9 SECTION 4. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by  
 10 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made  
 11 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions  
 12 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures  
 13 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and  
 14 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this  
 15 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of  
 16 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied  
 17 with in disbursement of said funds.

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 19 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
 20 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
 21 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
 22 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
 23 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
 24 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
 25 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint  
 26 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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 28 SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
 29 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
 30 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the  
 31 effectiveness of this Act on the date of its passage and approval is essential  
 32 to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are  
 33 provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the  
 34 delay in the effective date of this Act beyond the date of its passage and  
 35 approval could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and  
 36 provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is

1 hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate  
2 preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and  
3 effect from and after the date of its passage and approval. If the bill is  
4 neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become effective on the  
5 expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill.  
6 If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall  
7 become effective on the date the last house overrides the veto.

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