STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS (265) FISCAL YEAR 2014 & 2015

I) AGENCY SUMMARY & REVENUE SOURCES MISSION

The State Board of Chiropractic Examiners was created by Act 126 of 1915, as a Regulatory Board to authorize and regulate the practice of Chiropractic. The Board is responsible for licensing qualified Doctors of Chiropractic by examination, adopting and revising rules and regulations, making suitable by-law's for carrying out its duties, and generally serving as a regulatory, judicial, and disciplinary body for chiropractic practitioners. The Board consists of seven members, five of whom must be licensed chiropractors practicing in Arkansas for a period of at least five years, one consumer member and one senior citizen member.

TOTAL BIENNIAL BUDGET

The total budget is \$151,602 each year of the biennium.

FUNDING SOURCE

The funding for this cash fund agency is derived from various licensure fees and penalties.

II) SIGNIFICANT CHANGES

- The **Operations** appropriation, funded by Cash Funds, provides Base Level of \$142,380 each year with a Change Level of \$9,222 each year for a total appropriation of \$151,602 each year of the biennium, which includes:
 - 1. Regular Salaries & Personal Services Matching increased by \$1,222 each year for Cost of Living Adjustments.
 - 2. Operating Expenses increased by \$6,000 each year to allow board members to attend the annual national and regional meetings.
 - 3. Conference and Travel Expenses increased by \$2,000 each year to allow staff to attend the annual national and regional meetings.

III) ADDITIONAL POSITIONS

Total Budgeted Positions for FY 2013: 1

Total Positions for FY 2014: 1

Total Positions for FY 2015: 1

Increase/(Decrease): 0

IV) SPECIAL LANGUAGE

None