

**ARKANSAS TOBACCO CONTROL BOARD (AGENCY 261)**

**FISCAL YEAR 2019**

**AS ENACTED BY ACT 93 OF 2018**

**I) AGENCY SUMMARY & REVENUE SOURCES**

**MISSION**

The Arkansas Tobacco Control Board was created by Act 1337 of 1997 to regulate and issue permits and licenses for the sales of cigarettes or tobacco products in Arkansas. Act 1235 of 2015 added the regulation of vapor, alternative nicotine and e-liquid products to the Board's responsibilities. The agency may suspend or revoke permits and licenses but does not collect cigarette and tobacco taxes.

**TOTAL APPROPRIATION**

The total appropriation is \$2,732,677.

**FUNDING SOURCE**

General Revenues, a Grant from the Arkansas Department of Health, Master Tobacco Settlement monies for the sales to minors checks and enforcement, and Special Revenues in the form of permit fees.

**II) CHANGE LEVEL REQUESTS (FY2019 CHANGES FROM FY2018**

**AUTHORIZED:**

No Change Level Requests.

**III) ADDITIONAL POSITIONS (Total FY2018 Authorized Positions:31)**

Total Positions for FY2019: 31

Total Positions for FY2018: 31

Increase/(Decrease): 0

Extra Help Positions FY2019: 0 (Total FY2018 Authorized Extra Help: 0)

**IV) SPECIAL LANGUAGE:**

**PROMOTIONAL ITEMS** - Language authorizes the Tobacco Control Board to purchase Promotional Items from the Maintenance and Operation Classifications in the Operations appropriation in an amount up to \$5,000 annually.

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