

**REPORT OF THE
PERSONNEL SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE
ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL/JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

November 13, 2018

Co-Chairs:

The Personnel Subcommittee of the Arkansas Legislative Council/Joint Budget Committee met on November 8, 2018 at 8:00 a.m., in Room B of the MAC Building. The Subcommittee reviewed the following agencies personnel-related requests and personnel-related special language. The Subcommittee respectfully requests that they be filed with Executive Recommendation to the Arkansas Legislative Council/Joint Budget Committee with exceptions where noted.

1. 0241-Judicial Discipline and Disability Commission
2. 0295-Arkansas Spinal Cord Commission
3. 0610-DFA Management Services
4. 0611-DFA Arkansas Beverage Control-Administration
5. 0612-DFA Arkansas Beverage Control-Enforcement
6. 0615-DFA Building Authority
7. 0630-DFA Revenue Services
Special Language: Extra Help Exemption, Authority to Employ Certified Law Enforcement Officers, Contingent Positions
8. 0631-DFA Racing Commission
Special Language: Extra Help
9. 0634-DFA Office of Child Support Enforcement
Special Language: Extra Help Exemption
10. 0360-Arkansas Claims Commission
11. 0238-Arkansas Ethics Commission
12. 0582-Riverside Vo-Tech
13. 0590-Department of Career Education
14. 0700-Department of Higher Education
15. 0800-Department of Labor
16. 0420-Arkansas Geological Survey
17. 0790-Arkansas Economic Development Commission
18. 0455-Arkansas Natural Resources Commission
19. 0810-Department of Workforce Services
Special Language: Extra Help, Additional Positions
20. 0900-Department of Parks and Tourism
Special Language: Extra Help
21. 0520-Department of Career Education-Rehabilitation
Special Language: Comprehensive System of Personnel Development
22. 0645-Arkansas Department of Health
Special Language: Positions, Nursing/Direct Care Education Stipend Program Extra Help
23. 0090-Arkansas Department of Transportation
24. 0400-Department of Agriculture- *Special Language: Extra Help Provision*
DFA-Letter changing the Executive Recommendation to remove Special Language: Extra Help Provision (Section 39) (Attachment 1)
25. 0552-Northwest Technical Institute- *Special Language: Additional Teaching Load, Extra Help Restriction*
An alternative Legislative Recommendation was made to accept the Executive Recommendation with the exception of Special Language: Extra Help Restriction (Section 7). The Legislative Recommendation was to delete this language.
26. 0995-Department of Emergency Management
Special Language: Extra Help
27. 0425-Insurance Department
Special Language: Personal Services

Respectfully submitted by Subcommittee Co-Chairs Senator Bart Hester and Representative Les Eaves.



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Senator Bart Hester, Co-Chairperson
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Dear Co-Chairs,

The Office of Personnel Management is revising the executive recommendation for special language for the Arkansas Agriculture Department. Due to changes in the most recent Class and Comp Act, Act 365, this language is no longer necessary.

~~EXTRA HELP PROVISION. No employee of the Arkansas Forestry Commission who is employed as "Extra Help" may receive an amount to exceed 3/4 of the maximum annual salary for a comparable position as authorized by Arkansas Code 21-5-201 et seq. during any fiscal year, nor may such employee be employed for a period of time to exceed nine (9) months in any single fiscal year. Provided, however, that no employee of the Arkansas Forestry Commission who is employed as "Extra Help" may receive an amount to exceed seventy five percent (75%) of the maximum annual salary for a comparable position as authorized by Arkansas Code 21-5-201 et seq. during any fiscal year, nor shall such employee be employed for a period of time to exceed fourteen hundred (1400) hours in any single fiscal year. The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.~~

Your consideration of this matter is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

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