#### ARKANSAS SENATE

94th General Assembly - Fiscal Session, 2024

#### **Amendment Form**

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 21
AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2024-2025 FISCAL YEAR.
Amendment No. to Senate Bill No. 21

Amend Senate Bill No. 21 as originally introduced:

Page 8, immediately following SECTION 10, insert a new section that reads as follows:

"SECTION 11. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

ADDITIONAL PAYMENTS AUTHORIZED. The Arkansas Game and Fish Foundation is hereby authorized to make additional payments to the Director of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, from private funding sources, and upon prior approval from the Arkansas Game and Fish Foundation and the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission. Such additional payments to the Director of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission shall not be considered salary and shall not be deemed or construed to exceed the maximum salary established by the General Assembly. Nothing in this section may be construed to reduce or eliminate the authority granted elsewhere in the Arkansas statute for the payment of allowances or bonuses to unclassified employees.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025."

AND

Appropriately renumber all subsequent section numbers of the bill.

### **DRAFT**

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and

By: Senator Rice

By: Representative Wardlaw DJC/WLC - 04-18-2024 07:08:14

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3	Fiscal S	ession, 202	4		SENATE BILL 21
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5	By: Joi	nt Budget (	Committee		
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10			D FISH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL	YEAR ENDING JU	JNE
11		30	, 2025; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
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14			Subtitle		
15			AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE		
16			FISH COMMISSION APPROPRIATION	N FOR THE	
17			2024-2025 FISCAL YEAR.		
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20	BE IT	ENACTED	BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE S	TATE OF ARKANSA	AS:
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22			1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is h	•	
23			Game and Fish Commission for th	e 2024-2025 fis	scal year, the
24	tollow	ing maxi	mum number of regular employees.		
25					Maximum Annual
26	_			Maximum	Salary Rate
27	Item	Class		No. of	Fiscal Year
28	No.	Code	Title	Employees	2024-2025
29	(1)	•	AGFC DIRECTOR	1	\$152,638
30	(2)	Q250U	AGFC CHIEF OF STAFF	1	\$136,703
31	(3)	Q251U	AGFC DEPUTY DIRECTOR	3	\$135,253
32	(4)	Q255U	AGFC CHIEF INFORMATION OFFICER	1	\$132,292
33	(5)	Q252U	AGFC VETERINARIAN	1	\$130,050
34	(6)	Q256U	AGFC COLONEL	1	\$128,282
35	(7)	Q266U	AGFC IT ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR	. 1	\$127,986
36	(8)	Q371U	AGFC CHIEF OF HUMAN RESOURCES	1	\$125,049



1 <u>2024</u> through June 30, <del>2024</del> <u>2025</u>.

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3 SECTION 9. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS 4 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

- 5 TRANSFER PROVISION. After receiving approval from the Chief Fiscal Officer
- 6 of the State, and prior review by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint
- 7 Budget Committee, the Agency is authorized to transfer appropriation from any
- 8 line item authorized in the Operations appropriation to any other line item
- 9 authorized in the Operations appropriation and the Agency is authorized to
- 10 transfer appropriation from any line item authorized in the Gas Lease
- 11 Revenues appropriation to any other line item authorized in the same section.
- The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2023
- 13 2024 through June 30, <del>2024</del> 2025.

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- 15 SECTION 10. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
- 16 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
- 17 PROMOTIONAL ITEMS. The Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission is hereby
- 18 authorized to purchase from the Maintenance & General Operation
- 19 Classifications in the Operations Appropriation provided by this Act for
- 20 promotional items in an amount not to exceed fifty thousand dollars
- 21 (\$50,000), as authorized by the Director of the Commission to meet fish and
- 22 wildlife conservations and education needs.
- The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1,  $\frac{2023}{1}$
- 24 2024 through June 30, <del>2024</del> 2025.

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- 26 SECTION 11. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
- 27 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
- 28 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
- 29 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
- 30 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
- 31 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
- 32 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
- 33 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
- 34 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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SECTION 12. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General

## **ARKANSAS SENATE**

94th General Assembly - Fiscal Session, 2024

#### **Amendment Form**

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 60
AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2024-2025 FISCAL YEAR.
Amendment No to Senate Bill No. 60
Amend Senate Bill No. 60 as engrossed S4/15/24 (version: 4/15/2024 2:20:01 PM):
Page 16, immediately following SECTION 26, insert a new SECTION to read as follows:
" SECTION 27. APPROPRIATION - ADULT HIGH SCHOOL GRANTS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education, to be payable from the Division of Elementary and Secondary Education Fund Account, for grants to schools offering traditional high school training to individuals exclusively over the age of 18 by the Department of Education - Division of Elementary and Secondary Education - Adult High School Grants for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025, the following:
ITEM FISCAL YEAR
NO. 2024-2025 (01) ADULT HIGH SCHOOL GRANTS \$1,500,000"
ANDAND
Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

## **DRAFT**

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and

By: Joint Budget Committee

By: Representative L. Johnson KMW/WKM - 04-17-2024 11:06:14 KMW082



1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: \$4/15	5/24	
2	94th General Assembly	$\mathbf{A}$ A Bill		
3	Fiscal Session, 2024			SENATE BILL 60
4				
5	By: Joint Budget Com	mittee		
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7		For An Act To Be En	titled	
8	AN AC	T TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR	PERSONAL SE	RVICES
9	AND O	PERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPA	ARTMENT OF	
10	EDUCA	TION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDIN	IG JUNE 30, 2	025;
11	AND F	OR OTHER PURPOSES.		
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14		Subtitle		
15		AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF I	EDUCATION	
16		APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2024-202	25 FISCAL	
17		YEAR.		
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20	BE IT ENACTED BY	THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE ST	CATE OF ARKAN	ISAS:
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22	SECTION 1.	REGULAR SALARIES - SHARED SERV	ICES. There	is hereby
23	established for t	he Department of Education for	the 2024-20	25 fiscal year,
24	the following max	cimum number of regular employe	es.	
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26				Maximum Annual
27			Maximum	Salary Rate
28	Item Class		No. of	Fiscal Year
29	No. Code Titl	.e E	<u>Employees</u>	2024-2025
30	(1) SCOO4 SECR	RETARY OF EDUCATION	1	GRADE SE05
31	(2) E080C ADE	CHIEF OF STAFF	1	GRADE SE04
32	(3) U089U DHE	DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE02
33	(4) G331C ADE	CHIEF LEGAL COUNSEL	1	GRADE SE01
34	(5) D011N ADE	DIRECTOR OF INFORMATION SYSTEM	IS 1	GRADE SE01
35	(6) N009N ASST	C COMMISSIONER FISCAL & ADMIN S	SVCS 1	GRADE SE01
36	(7) DOOGN STAT	E SYSTEMS ARCHITECT	1	GRADE IT10



SB60 As Engrossed: S4/15/24

1 ITEM FISCAL YEAR 2 NO. 2024-2025 \$10,000,000 3 (01) AFTER SCHOOL AND SUMMER PROGRAM GRANTS 4

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SECTION 27. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS 5 6 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

CARRY FORWARD. Notwithstanding any law pertaining to the transfer of year-end

- fund balances or any law to the contrary, any funds which remain in the
- 9 Division of Elementary and Secondary Education Fund Account at the end of a
- 10 fiscal year shall remain in the Division of Elementary and Secondary
- 11 Education Fund Account and be made available to fund appropriation(s)
- 12 authorized by law and made payable from the Division of Elementary and
- Secondary Education Fund Account for the following fiscal year. 13

14 Any carry forward of unexpended balance of funding as authorized 15 herein, may be carried forward under the following conditions:

- (1) Prior to June 30, <del>2024</del> 2025 the Agency shall by written statement set forth its reason(s) for the need to carry forward said funding to the Department of Finance and Administration Office of Budget;
- The Department of Finance and Administration Office of Budget shall report to the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee all amounts carried forward by the September Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee meeting which report shall include the name of the Agency, Board, Commission or Institution and the amount of the funding carried forward, the program name or line item, the funding source of that appropriation and a copy of the written request set forth in (1) above;
- (3) Each Agency, Board, Commission or Institution shall provide a written report to the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee containing all information set forth in item (2) above, along with a written statement as to the current status of the project, contract, purpose etc. for which the carry forward was originally requested no later than thirty (30) days prior to the time the Agency, Board, Commission or Institution presents its budget request to the Arkansas Legislative Council/Joint Budget Committee; and
- (4) Thereupon, the Department of Finance and Administration shall include all information obtained in item (3) above in the budget manuals and/or a statement of non-compliance by the Agency, Board, Commission or

# Hall of the House of Representatives

94th General Assembly - Fiscal Session, 2024

#### Amendment Form

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Subtitle of House Bill No. 1041
AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION - PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2024-2025 FISCAL YEAR.
Amendment No. to House Bill No. 1041

Amend House Bill No. 1041 as originally introduced:

Page 16, immediately following SECTION 24, insert a new SECTION to read as follows:

- "SECTION 25. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL, AND TEMPORARY LAW.

  PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUNDING RESTRICTION. (a) The Department of Education Division of Elementary and Secondary Education shall not budget, allocate, or expend more than four million dollars (\$4,000,000) for the purpose of developing, supporting, or funding professional learning communities in school districts statewide.
- (b) The Department of Education Division of Elementary and Secondary Education shall not enter into a contract with a private entity to provide professional learning community services and support.
- (c) The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2024 through June 30, 2025."

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

### **DRAFT**

The Amendment was read

By: Joint Budget Committee

By: Representatives G. Hodges, Duke

By: Senator D. Sullivan

KMW/WKM - 04-16-2024 14:39:58

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1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: H4/16/24	
2	94th General Assembly	A Bill	
3	Fiscal Session, 2024		HOUSE BILL 1041
4			
5	By: Joint Budget Committee		
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7		For An Act To Be Entitled	
8	AN ACT TO	MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PUBLIC	SCHOOL
9	FUND GRANT	S FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	· -
10	DIVISION O	F ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCAT	ION -
11	PUBLIC SCH	OOL FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDI	NG JUNE
12	30, 2025;	AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.	
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15		Subtitle	
16		T FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION	7 -
17	DIVIS	ION OF ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY	
18		TION - PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND	
19	APPRO	PRIATION FOR THE 2024-2025 FISCAL	
20	YEAR.		
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23	BE IT ENACTED BY THE G	ENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF A	RKANSAS:
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25		PRIATION - GRANTS AND AID TO LOCA	
26		re is hereby appropriated, to the	-
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28		l Fund Account, for grants and ai	
29	<u>-</u>	programs of the Department of Edu	
30	-	ry Education for the fiscal year	ending June 30, 2025,
31	the following:		
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33	ITEM		FISCAL YEAR
34	NO.		2024-2025
35		OLLECTION ADJUSTMENT	\$34,500,000
36	(02) ADVANCED PLACEME	NT INCENTIVE	1,275,000



- 1 SECTION 22. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS 2 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
- 3 R.I.S.E. ARKANSAS. The appropriation for the R.I.S.E. Arkansas line item in
- 4 the Grants and Aid to Local School Districts and Special Programs section of
- 5 this Act shall be used for the coordination of a statewide reading campaign
- 6 with community partners, parents, and teachers to establish the importance of
- 7 reading in homes, schools, and communities.
- 8 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1,
- 9 <del>2023</del> 2024 through June 30, <del>2024</del> 2025.

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- 11 SECTION 23. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
- 12 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
- 13 ENHANCED STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT FUNDING NAME CHANGE. Any appropriation titled
- 14 "ENHANCED STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT FUNDING" or abbreviated as "ESA" as named by
- 15 SB605 of 2019 may also be known as "NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH" funding or
- 16 abbreviated as "NSL" and shall be used for the same purposes as set out in
- 17 law.
- The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2023
- 19 <u>2024</u> through June 30, <del>2024</del> <u>2025</u>.

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- 21 SECTION 24. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
- 22 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
- 23 ARKANSAS GOVERNOR'S SCHOOL CURRICULUM. Prior to the beginning of the
- 24 Arkansas Governor's School Program each year, the Arkansas Department of
- 25 Education shall review and approve the proposed curriculum for the program
- 26 year and shall maintain oversight of its implementation for consistency and
- 27 accuracy.
- 28 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1,
- 29 2023 2024 through June 30,2024 2025.

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- 31 SECTION 25. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
- 32 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
- 33 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
- 34 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
- 35 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
- 36 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal

# ARKANSAS SENATE

94th General Assembly - Fiscal Session, 2024

#### **Amendment Form**

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 63  AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2024- YEAR.	 -2025 FISCAL 
Amendment No to Senate Bill No. 63	
Amend Senate Bill No. 63 as engrossed S4/15/24 (version: 4/15/2024 2:26:59 PM)	:
Page 21, line 6, delete "77,000" and substitute "65,500" and	
Page 21, immediately following line 10, insert an additional item to follows: "(10) NORTH CENTRAL DISTRICT FAIR	to read as
and Page 21, line 11, delete "48,000" and substitute "5,500"	
and	
Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers.	

## **DRAFT**

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and \_\_\_\_\_

By: Senator Irvin

By: Representative Cavenaugh KCS/SK - 04-18-2024 15:58:40

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1	State of	Arkansa	As Engrossed: S4,	/15/24	
2	94th Ge	neral Ass	sembly A BIII		
3	Fiscal S	ession, 2	024		SENATE BILL 63
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5	By: Join	nt Budge	t Committee		
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7			For An Act To Be I	Entitled	
8		I	AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION F	OR PERSONAL SER	VICES
9		I	AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DE	PARTMENT OF	
10		I	AGRICULTURE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR E	NDING JUNE 30,	2025;
11		I	AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
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14			Subtitle		
15			AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF	AGRICULTURE	
16			APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2024-2	2025 FISCAL	
17			YEAR.		
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20	BE IT	ENACTE	BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE	STATE OF ARKANS	AS:
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22		SECTIO	N 1. REGULAR SALARIES - SHARED SE	RVICES. There	is hereby
23	establ	ished :	for the Department of Agriculture	for the 2024-2	025 fiscal year,
24	the fo	llowing	g maximum number of regular emplo	yees.	
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26					Maximum Annual
27				Maximum	Salary Rate
28	Item	Class		No. of	Fiscal Year
29	No.	Code	Title	Employees	2024-2025
30	(1)	SC001	SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE	1	GRADE SE05
31	(2)	U072U	DEPUTY SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE	1	GRADE SE02
32	(3)	U057U	AGRI LABORATORY DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE01
33	(4)	L104C	AGRI LABORATORY COORDINATOR	1	GRADE MP04
34	(5)	D022N	IT SENIOR PROJECT MANAGER	1	GRADE IT09
35	(6)	D007C	INFORMATION SYSTEMS MANAGER	2	GRADE IT08
36	(7)	D054C	COMPUTER SUPPORT COORDINATOR	1	GRADE IT05



1	NO.			2024-2025
2	(01)	COUNTY FAIRS		\$959 <b>,</b> 272
3	(02)	FOUR STATES FAIR		54,000
4	(03)	ARKANSAS-OKLAHOMA FAIR		54,000
5	(04)	ARKANSAS STATE FAIR		84,000
6	(05)	PROGRAM OPERATION EXPENSES		77,000
7	(06)	NORTHEAST DISTRICT FAIR	54,000	
8	(07)	NORTHWEST DISTRICT FAIR	54,000	
9	(08)	SOUTHWEST DISTRICT FAIR	54,000	
10	(09)	SOUTHEAST DISTRICT FAIR	54,000	
11	(10)	ARKANSAS YOUTH EXPO	48,000	
12	(11)	DISTRICT JR LIVESTOCK SHOWS	<u>27,000</u>	
13		TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		<u>\$1,519,272</u>

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SECTION 37. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS FORESTERS FOR THE FUTURE

16 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of

17 Agriculture, to be payable from the Arkansas Foresters for the Future

18 Scholarship Fund, for scholarships of the Department of Agriculture -

19 Arkansas Foresters for the Future Scholarship Program for the fiscal year

20 ending June 30, 2025, the following:

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22	ITEM		FISCAL YEAR
23	NO.		2024-2025
24	(01)	SCHOLARSHIPS	\$30,000

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26 SECTION 38. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS

27 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

28 FAIR FUND TRANSFER. On July 1 of each fiscal year, or as soon as is

29 practical, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may transfer the amount

30 needed for distribution by the Department of Agriculture to fund fairs from

31 the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account to the Agri Fair Fund.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1,

33 <del>2023</del> 2024 through June 30, <del>2024</del> 2025.

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35 SECTION 39. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS 36 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

# ARKANSAS SENATE

94th General Assembly - Fiscal Session, 2024

#### **Amendment Form**

**DRAFT** 

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 51	
AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES AP.	PROPRIATION FOR THE
2024-2025 FISCAL YEAR.	
Amendment No to Senate Bill No. 51	
Amend Senate Bill No. 51 as originally introduced:	
On page 17, delete SECTION 21 and substitute the following:	
"SECTION 21. APPROPRIATION - CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIFERY hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas for Medibe payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, fo services and operating expenses of the certified nurse midw the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences for the fis June 30, 2025, the following:	cal Sciences, to r personal ifery program of
ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2024-2025
(01) CERTIFIED NURSE MIDWIFERY	
PROGRAM PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES	\$500,000".
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The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and

By: Joint Budget Committee

By: Representative Bentley HAR/RHA - 04-04-2024 10:23:21 HAR102

Secretary

1	State of A	kansas	. –	
2	94th Gene	ral Assembly	A Bill	
3	Fiscal Sess	sion, 2024		SENATE BILL 51
4				
5	By: Joint	Budget Committee		
6				
7			For An Act To Be Entitled	
8		AN ACT TO MAKE	E AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL	SERVICES
9		AND OPERATING	EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF	ARKANSAS
10		FOR MEDICAL SO	CIENCES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR END	ING JUNE
11		30, 2025; AND	FOR OTHER PURPOSES.	
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14			Subtitle	
15		AN ACT FO	OR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS F	OR
16		MEDICAL S	SCIENCES APPROPRIATION FOR THE	
17		2024-202	5 FISCAL YEAR.	
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20	BE IT EN	ACTED BY THE GENER	RAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARE	KANSAS:
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22	SE	CCTION 1. REGULAR S	SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is	s hereby established
23	for the	University of Arka	ansas for Medical Sciences for t	the 2024-2025 fiscal
24	year, th	e following maximu	um number of regular employees.	
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26				Maximum Annual
27			Maximum	Salary Rate
28	Item		No. of	Fiscal Year
29	No.	Title	Employees	2024-2025
30		TWELVE MONTH EDU	JCATIONAL AND GENERAL	
31		ADMINISTRATIVE F	<u>POSITIONS</u>	
32	(1)	Medical Center C	CEO 1	\$664,416
	(2)	Chancellor	1	\$468,469
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33 34	(3)	Provost	1	\$452,216
	(3) (4)	Provost Vice Chancellor	1 12	\$452,216 \$382,179



1	to be payable from the University of Arkansas Medical Center Fund, for				
2	personal services and operating expenses of establishing and operating Sickle				
3	Cell Clinics and Outreach Efforts of the University of Arkansas for Medical				
4	Sciences - Adult Sickle Cell Disease Program for the fiscal year ending June				
5	30, 2025, the following:				
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7	ITEM FISCAL YEAR				
8	NO. 2024-2025				
9	(01) ADULT SICKLE CELL DISEASE PROGRAM				
10	INITIATIVE PERSONAL SERVICES AND				
11	OPERATING EXPENSES\$379,993				
12					
13	SECTION 21. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS CENTER FOR HEALTH IMPROVEMENT.				
14	There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas for Medical				
15	Sciences, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for				
16	personal services, maintenance and operating expenses of the Arkansas Center				
17	for Health Improvement of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences for				
18	the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025, the following:				
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	ITEM FISCAL YEAR				
19	ITEM       FISCAL YEAR         NO.       2024-2025				
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19 20 21	NO. 2024-2025				
19 20 21 22	NO. 2024-2025 (01) ARKANSAS CENTER FOR HEALTH				
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19 20 21 22 23 24	NO. 2024-2025  (01) ARKANSAS CENTER FOR HEALTH  IMPROVEMENT EXPENSES \$500,000				
19 20 21 22 23 24 25	NO.  (01) ARKANSAS CENTER FOR HEALTH  IMPROVEMENT EXPENSES  SECTION 22. APPROPRIATION - WINTHROP P. ROCKEFELLER CANCER INSTITUTE.				
19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26	NO. 2024-2025  (01) ARKANSAS CENTER FOR HEALTH IMPROVEMENT EXPENSES \$500,000  SECTION 22. APPROPRIATION - WINTHROP P. ROCKEFELLER CANCER INSTITUTE.  There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas for Medical				
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94th General Assembly - Fiscal Session, 2024

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Subtitle of House Bill No. 1065

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER
APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2024-2025 FISCAL YEAR.

Amendment No. \_\_\_ to House Bill No. 1065

Amend House Bill No. 1065 as originally introduced:

Page 38, insert a new section immediately following SECTION 73 to read as follows:

- " SECTION 74. SPECIAL LANGUAGE CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code 14-284-216(a)(1) and (2), concerning the payment of fire protection district assessments, are amended to read as follows:
- (a)(1)(A) All annual assessments extended and levied under this subchapter are payable at the time ad valorem real property taxes  $\underline{\text{and}}$  personal property taxes are payable.
- (B) The county shall list the fire protection district assessments as an involuntary collection beginning with the next ad valorem real property and personal property tax statement.
- (2) A property owner shall pay the assessments under this subchapter as a prerequisite to paying his or her ad valorem real property taxes and personal property taxes."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

### **DRAFT**

The Amendment was read \_\_\_\_\_\_ By: Joint Budget Committee By: Senator B. Davis JAP/PJ - 04-19-2024 09:08:18 JAP061

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2	94th General Assembly	A Bill	
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5	By: Joint Budget Committee	ee	
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7		For An Act To Be Entitled	
8	AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS		
9	GRANTS AND EXPENSES AND VARIOUS AGENCY TRANSFERS FOR		
10	THE DEPA	RTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION	-
11	DISBURSI	NG OFFICER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING	JUNE
12	30, 2025	; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.	
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15		Subtitle	
16	AN	ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND	)
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18	APF	PROPRIATION FOR THE 2024-2025 FISCAL	
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22	BE IT ENACTED BY THE	GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARK	ANSAS:
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24	SECTION 1. APP	ROPRIATION - STATE'S CONTRIBUTIONS.	There is hereby
25	appropriated, to the	Department of Finance and Administra	tion, to be payable
26	from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for disbursements for Arkansas'		
27	contribution to various interstate organizations by the Department of Finance		
28	and Administration -	Disbursing Officer for the fiscal ye	ar ending June 30,
29	2025, the following:		
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31	ITEM		FISCAL YEAR
32	NO.		2024-2025
33		RACING COMMISSIONERS	\$21,000
34	(02) COUNCIL OF STA		175,000
35	(03) DELTA REGIONAL		235,000
36	(04) FEDERATION OF	TAX ADMINISTRATORS	22,000

- 1 after meeting the requirements of subsection (iii) herein, the Department of
- 2 Finance and Administration shall establish the transfer of appropriation on
- 3 the books of the Department of Finance and Administration and the State
- 4 Auditor, in compliance with the applicable classifications of appropriations
- 5 as enumerated in Arkansas Code 19-4-521 through 19-4-525.
- 6 (iii) Any request approved as authorized in subsection (ii) herein,
- 7 including requests that establish a new commitment item or new appropriation
- 8 shall require prior approval by the Arkansas Legislative Council or if
- 9 meeting in Regular or Fiscal Session the Joint Budget Committee.
- 10 (iv) Any appropriation approved as authorized in this Section shall not be
- ll carried forward to the next fiscal year and shall be identified as a change
- 12 level increase by the state agency or institution, if requested.
- 13 (v) Determining the maximum amount of appropriation for a state agency or
- 14 institution each fiscal year is the prerogative of the General Assembly.
- 15 This is usually accomplished by delineating such maximums in the
- 16 appropriation act(s) for a state agency or institution. Further, the General
- 17 Assembly has determined that a state agency or institution may operate more
- 18 efficiently if some flexibility is provided to the state agency or
- 19 institution authorizing broad powers under this section. Therefore, it is
- 20 both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight
- 21 by requiring prior approval of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget
- 22 Committee as provided by this section. The requirement of approval by the
- 23 Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of this
- 24 section. If the requirement or approval by the Legislative Council or Joint
- 25 Budget Committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent
- 26 jurisdiction, this entire section is void.
- 27 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1,  $\frac{2023}{1}$
- 28 2024 through June 30, <del>2024</del> 2025.

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30 SECTION 74. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds

31 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency

- 32 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
- 33 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
- 34 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
- 35 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
- 36 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by

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94th General Assembly - Fiscal Session, 2024

#### **Amendment Form**

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 53 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2024-2025 FISCAL YEAR.

#### Amendment No. \_\_\_ to Senate Bill No. 53

Amend Senate Bill No. 53 as originally introduced:

Page 10, insert new sections immediately following SECTION 17 to read as follows:

- SECTION 18. SPECIAL LANGUAGE CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code § 19-4-102(a)(1)(A), concerning the general policy of the State of Arkansas under the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, is amended to read as follows:
- (A) Maintain on a sound financial basis the state and all of its agencies, including without limitation the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney General, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State, boards, commissions, departments, and institutions, all referred to in this chapter as "agencies" unless otherwise necessary;
- SECTION 19. SPECIAL LANGUAGE CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code § 19-4-522 is amended to read as follows:
  - 19-4-522. Maintenance and general operation Definition.
- (a) The maintenance and general operation classification shall cover items of expense necessary for the proper and efficient operation of the state agency, authority, board, commission, department, or institution of higher education, except as otherwise classified in this subchapter.
- (b) It is recognized that in those instances where the maintenance and general operation line-item classification is not subclassified, the state agency is authorized to expend moneys for operations in compliance with the intent of this subchapter.
- (c) In the event an appropriation for maintenance and general operation authorized for a state agency, board, department, or institution is restricted in its use by budget classification as set out in subsection (d) of this section, transfers between such classifications may be made subject to the procedures set out as follows:

- (1) In the event the amount of any of the budget classifications of maintenance and general operation in an agency's appropriation act are found by the administrative head of the agency to be inadequate, then the agency head may request, upon forms provided for such purpose by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, a modification of the amounts of the budget classification. In that event, he or she shall set out on the forms the particular classifications for which he or she is requesting an increase or decrease, the amounts thereof, and his or her reasons therefor. In no event shall the total amount of the budget exceed either the amount of the appropriation or the amount of the funds available, nor shall any transfer be made from the capital outlay or data processing subclassification unless specific authority for such transfers is provided by law, except for transfers from capital outlay to data processing when determined by the Division of Information Systems that data processing services for a state agency can be performed on a more cost-efficient basis by the division than through the purchase of data processing equipment by that state agency;
- (2) In considering the proposed modification as prepared and submitted by each state agency, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall make such studies as he or she deems necessary. If the requested transfer would, when added to other transfers previously approved during the fiscal year for the same classification with the same appropriation, result in a deviation of any kind in the affected classifications of less than five percent (5%) up to a maximum of two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500) from the classifications established by law, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall approve the requested transfer if in his or her opinion it is in the best interest of the state. If the requested transfer would, when added to other transfers previously approved during the fiscal year for the same classification within the same appropriation, result in a deviation of five percent (5%) or more, or more than two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500), the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall submit the request, along with his or her recommendation, to the Legislative Council for its advice prior to approving the request; and
- (3) In the event any state agency shall expend or obligate any approved budget in excess of the maximum classification, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall study the reasons for such excess expenditures and shall take immediate steps to correct such excess spending as he or she deems necessary after notification of such actions has been sent to the Legislative Council.
- (d) Maintenance and general operation may be further categorized into the following subclassifications and the expenses thereof to be used according to the subclassification:
- (1) Operating Expenses. This subclassification shall entail the following, but not necessarily be limited thereto:
  - (A) Postage, telephone, and telegraph;
  - (B) Transportation of commodities or objects;
  - (C) Printing;
  - (D) State-owned motor vehicle expenses;
  - (E) Advertising;
  - (F) Minor and major repairs;
  - (G) Maintenance contracts;
  - (H) Utilities and fuel;

- (I) Insurance premiums, surety and performance bonds, and association dues and memberships;
  - (J) Contractual services not otherwise classified;
  - (K) Consumable supplies, materials, and commodities;
  - (L) Books, publications, and newspapers;
  - (M) Court costs;
  - (N) Equipment not capitalized;
  - (0) Applicable petty cash reimbursements, laundry, and

taxes;

- (P) Travel, subsistence, meals, lodging, transportation of state employees or officials, and nonstate employees traveling on official business:
- (Q)(i) Uniforms the agency requires its employees to wear as part of the job.
- (ii) Clothing items purchased for its employees and not required to be worn during working hours, or which are purchased for the promotion of the agency, shall not be subclassified as an operating expense;
- (R) Such other items of operating expense as shall be provided by the appropriation act or under reasonable rules and procedures issued by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State; and
- (S) Debt service on equipment or measures required by a guaranteed energy cost savings contract executed under the Guaranteed Energy Cost Savings Act, § 19-11-1201 et seq., or an energy efficiency project financed under the State Entity Energy Efficiency Project Bond Act, § 15-5-1801 et seq.;
- (2) Conference and Travel Expenses. This subclassification shall include:
- (A) The costs of an employee attending a conference, seminar, or training program; and
- (B) The costs of a state agency-sponsored or hosted conference, seminar, or training program where the expenses are not otherwise classified according to this section;
- (3) Professional Fees. This subclassification shall include the expenses for contractual agreements entered into by the state agency with an individual, partnership, corporation, or anyone other than a state employee to provide a particular document, report, speech, study, or commodity other than those contractual agreements that by their nature would be classified elsewhere in this subchapter;
- (4) Capital Outlay. This subclassification is to include the following expenses, but is not necessarily limited thereto by virtue of other classifications recognized by this subchapter:
- (A) Purchase of land, buildings, equipment, furniture, and fixtures; and
- (B) Contractual agreements, all of which are to be capitalized from the maintenance and general operation classification of appropriation; and
- (5) Data Processing. This subclassification includes purchase of data processing services from the division, or others, and other expenses that are not necessarily classified elsewhere in this section by virtue of the appropriation based upon budgets presented for consideration.

- (e) Notwithstanding this section or any other law to the contrary, state-supported colleges and universities may utilize maintenance and operation appropriations for the payment of moving expenses of employees, including new hires.
- (f) As used in this section, "state agency" and "agency" include without limitation the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney General, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State.
- SECTION 20. SPECIAL LANGUAGE CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code § 19-4-1103 is amended to read as follows:
  - 19-4-1103. Responsibilities of agency heads Definition.
- (a) It shall be the responsibility of each executive head of a state agency to establish adequate internal administrative procedures and controls to ensure prompt and accurate payment of obligations in order to promote good public relations and to take advantage of all available discounts. It shall also be the responsibility of each executive head of a state agency to establish adequate administrative procedures to ensure that all financial transactions of the agency are posted in the state's financial management system in accordance with procedures established by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.
- (b) It shall also be the responsibility of the agency head to establish a system of pre-audit within his or her agency to ensure that checks and vouchers, before being released by the agency, are prepared in accordance with all applicable purchasing and fiscal laws and rules by performing the following functions. He or she shall determine that:
- (1) Services, materials, supplies, and equipment received comply with specifications indicated on purchase documents;
- (2) Quantities received, as being indicated on the invoice, agree with those shown on the receiving report;
- (3) Unit prices agree with those indicated on the purchase documents;
  - (4) The extensions and footings of the invoice are correct;
- (5) The voucher or check is prepared in sufficient time to take advantage of all available discounts being offered;
- (6) Sufficient appropriation and funds are available for payment of the obligation; and
- (7) The obligation was incurred in conformity with all purchasing and fiscal laws.
- (c) It shall also be the responsibility of the agency head to establish that:
- (1) Every voucher for a proposed disbursement is approved by the bonded disbursing officer of the agency issuing the voucher or by his or her authorized agent;
- (2) An appropriation has been made to cover the proposed disbursement and that there is sufficient balance remaining in the appropriation account and in the fund against which it is drawn to ensure that the voucher can be converted into a valid warrant;
- (3) The proposed disbursement has been drawn on the proper voucher form and the name and address of the disbursing agency and the name

and address of the vendor or payee is properly identified on the voucher form;

- (4) The proposed voucher is prepared in accordance with the established general accounting procedures relating to appropriation titles and codes and the proposed transactions are identified and classified in accordance with the administrative rules on the subject; and
- (5) The voucher for the proposed disbursement is accompanied by proper supporting documentation, as evidence that the indebtedness has been incurred and that the amount for which the voucher is written corresponds with such evidence.
- (d) As used in this section, "state agency" and "agency" include without limitation the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney General, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State.
- SECTION 21. SPECIAL LANGUAGE CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code 19-4-1107(2) concerning the supporting documents required for the disbursement of state funds, is amended to read as follows:
- (2)(A) In all instances when the evidences of indebtedness are represented by vendors' invoices, the agency shall retain in the permanent file of the business office of the agency the original invoice and corresponding documentation in accordance with procedures established by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.
- (B) In those instances when the daily transactions with vendors are numerous, such as in the case of retail service station purchases, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may prescribe the use of monthly statements from the vendors as supporting documents for the vouchers.
- (C) As used in this subdivision (2), "agency" includes without limitation the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney General, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State;
- SECTION 22. SPECIAL LANGUAGE CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code 19-4-1108 is amended to read as follows:
  - 19-4-1108. Retention of documents Definition.
- (a) The original evidences of indebtedness, including documents prepared in connection with purchasing procedure, and all original contracts, invoices, statements, receipts, petty cash tickets, bank statements, cancelled checks drawn upon bank accounts, and other original supporting papers shall be retained in the permanent file of the business office of each state agency. These documents shall be kept in a safe place subject to audit and shall not be destroyed until authorization is given for their destruction by the Legislative Auditor.
- (b) With the approval of the Legislative Auditor, a state agency may retain evidences, to satisfy record retention policies, of indebtedness and other contracts, invoices, statements, receipts, petty cash tickets, bank statements, cancelled checks drawn upon bank accounts, and other supporting papers by microform or a form of stored images in a computer system or other form of computer technology in lieu of retaining the originals of such documents.

- (c) As used in this section, "state agency" includes without limitation the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney General, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State.
- SECTION 23. SPECIAL LANGUAGE CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code 19-4-1206(a), concerning the duties of a bonded disbursing officer in relation to the disbursement of public funds, is amended to read as follows:
- (a) The bonded disbursing officer for each state agency, including without limitation the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney General, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State, or the bonded disbursing officer for any regular or special fund provided for by the General Assembly shall be responsible and held accountable for the proper expenditure of the funds under his or her control.
- SECTION 24. SPECIAL LANGUAGE CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code § 19-4-1503 is amended to read as follows:
  - 19-4-1503. Transfer or sale Definition.
- (a) As used in this section, "state agency" and "agency" include without limitation the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney General, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State.
- (b) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, in order to expedite the necessary work of any state agency or to eliminate duplication and promote economy and efficiency, may do the following:
- (1) Transfer property and equipment, including furniture, fixtures, and any and all kinds of office equipment and supplies from one (1) agency to another if the property or equipment of the agency from which the transfer is made is not needed by the agency at the time of the transfer; or
- (2) Sell surplus property and equipment of any agency at a reasonable fair value thereof as authorized by  $\S$  25-8-106.
- SECTION 25. SPECIAL LANGUAGE CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code 25-8-106 is amended to read as follows:
- 25--8--106 . Marketing and redistribution of state personal property  $\underline{-}$  Definition.
  - (a)(1) This section applies only with respect to personal property.
    - (2) This section does not apply to or affect the:
      - (A) Disposition of surplus real property of the state; or
- (B) Sale of plants, animals, or commodities of plants or animals by a public institution of higher education if the proceeds from the sale are used solely for agricultural research, extension, or teaching programs, including without limitation 4-H programs and National FFA Organization programs.
- (b)(1) There is created within the Office of State Procurement a Marketing and Redistribution Section for the purpose of promoting and ensuring effective utilization of surplus state property.
- (2)(A) All state agencies, boards, commissions, departments, and colleges and universities are required and county, municipal, or other tax-supported institutions are authorized to utilize the services of the

Marketing and Redistribution Section, unless specifically exempted in writing by the State Procurement Director.

- (B)(i) Nothing in this section shall be construed to make it mandatory that county, municipal, or other local government units utilize the services of the Marketing and Redistribution Section.
- (ii) Nothing in this section shall be construed to make it mandatory that any agency, department, division, office, board, commission, or institution of this state, including state-supported institutions of higher education, utilize the services of the Marketing and Redistribution Section in the sale of surplus computer equipment and electronics to state agency employees for a price not less than ten percent (10%) above depreciated value.
- (3) The Department of Transformation and Shared Services shall maintain adequate and accurate records of the costs for operating the Marketing and Redistribution Section and is authorized to establish fair and reasonable charges for the services of the Marketing and Redistribution Section. The charges for services shall be deposited in the State Treasury as nonrevenue receipts, there to be credited to the Property Sales Holding Fund for the operation, maintenance, and improvement of the Marketing and Redistribution Section.
- (c) The office may maintain an inventory of furniture, equipment, and other items which shall be made available to state agencies on rental agreements based upon fair and reasonable rental values.
- (d) The department is authorized to establish a fair and reasonable fee schedule for redistributing property between state agencies upon their request.
- (e) Proceeds from the sale, transfer, or rental of property by the director shall be accounted for as follows:
- (1) The purchasers, transferees, and lessees of property available for such purposes as are authorized by this section shall transmit to the office the agreed sale price, service charge, or rental fee;
- (2) The office shall deposit the full amount of proceeds received, as set out above, in the State Treasury in the manner as provided by law; and
- (3)(A) Proceeds from the sale or transfer of property deposited in the State Treasury shall be classified as nonrevenue receipts and credited to the Property Sales Holding Fund herein created on the books of the Treasurer of State as a trust fund.
- (B) Funds deposited in the Property Sales Holding Fund may be expended only by the selling or transferring agency under procedures established by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and appropriations provided by the General Assembly.
- (C) However, funds deposited in the Property Sales Holding Fund from the sale of property purchased from agency cash funds may be refunded to the agency cash fund from which the original expenditure was made by the issuance of a warrant under procedures established by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and the Auditor of State to be payable from appropriations provided by the General Assembly for disposition of the proceeds.
- (f) The Secretary of the Department of Transformation and Shared Services is authorized to promulgate reasonable rules, not inconsistent with

law, for compliance with the provisions of this section, the Arkansas Procurement Law, § 19-11-201 et seq., the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law,  $\S$  19-4-101 et seq., and the sale of surplus commodities to not-for-profit organizations under § 22-1-101.

(e) As used in this section, "state agency" and "agency" include without limitation the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer of State, Attorney General, Commissioner of State Lands, and Auditor of State."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

The Amendment was read	
By: Joint Budget Committee	
By: Representative J. Mayberry	
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5	By: Joint Budget Comn	nittee		
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7	For An Act To Be Entitled			
8	AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES			
9	AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF			
10	TRANSE	FORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES FOR THE FISO	CAL	
11	YEAR E	ENDING JUNE 30, 2025; AND FOR OTHER PURPOS	SES.	
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14	Subtitle			
15	1	AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF		
16	TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES			
17	APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2024-2025 FISCAL			
18	•	YEAR.		
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21	BE IT ENACTED BY T	THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKAN	NSAS:	
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23	SECTION 1. F	REGULAR SALARIES - SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Th	nere is hereby	
24	established for the Department of Transformation and Shared Services for the			
25	2024-2025 fiscal y	year, the following maximum number of regu	ılar employees.	
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27			Maximum Annual	
28		Maximum	Salary Rate	
29	Item Class	No. of	Fiscal Year	
30	No. Code Title	Employees	2024-2025	
31	(1) SC014 SEC 0	OF TRANSFORMATION & SHARED SERVICES 1	GRADE SE05	
32	(2) U061U TSS (	CHIEF OF STAFF 1	GRADE SE03	
33	(3) G307C TSS I	LEGAL COUNSEL 1	GRADE GS15	
34	(4) R051C TSS S	STATEWIDE PROGRAM MANAGER 1	GRADE GS13	
35	(5) R028C TSS S	STATEWIDE PAYROLL SYS SPECIALIST1	GRADE GS08	
36	MAX. NO. OF	F EMPLOYEES 5		



1	(D) CAP. OUTLAY
2	(E) DATA PROC.
3	(05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS 717,700
4	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$3,452,998
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6	SECTION 17. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
7	CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SHARED
8	SERVICES. (a)(1) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may create a Shared
9	Services paying accounts on his or her books and on the books of the
10	Treasurer of State and the Auditor of State for the payment of personal
11	services and operating expenses in the Shared Services Paying Account
12	Appropriation by the Department of Transformation and Shared Services.
13	(2) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall direct the transfer
14	of funds and appropriations to the Shared Services Paying Account
15	appropriation section of this act on the books of the Treasurer of State, the
16	Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.
17	(3) The transfer authority provided to the department in
18	subdivision (a)(2) of this section may be used to make transfers only within
19	the department's appropriation act or between other appropriation acts
20	authorized for the department.
21	(4) The provisions of this section shall be in effect from the date of
22	passage through June 30, <del>2024</del> <u>2025</u> .
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24	SECTION 18. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
25	authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
26	and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
27	the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
28	Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
29	Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
30	control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
31	the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
32	strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for

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SECTION 19. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General

Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations

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