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January 5, 2024

Senator Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair
Representative Frances Cavanaugh, Co-Chair
Performance Evaluation & Expenditure Review Committee
Arkansas Legislative Council
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: FY24 Appropriation and/or Fund Transfer Request(s)

Dear Co-Chairs:

I am forwarding for appropriate action as required by law, the attached Appropriation and/or Fund Transfer Request(s) that have received my approval as Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'JL Hudson', written over a horizontal line.

James L. Hudson
Secretary

Attachment(s)



Brian Welch, Executive Director
101 East Capitol, Suite 207
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201
Office: 501-683-1882

TO: Gregg Parish, Executive Director
Public Defender Commission

FROM: Brian Welch, Executive Director, Arkansas Commission for Parent Counsel

DATE: December 5, 2023

SUBJECT: Appropriation Changes

Gregg,

Please accept this memo as request to adjust our appropriation totals within the confines of our appropriated funds. Pursuant to Act 761 of 2023 section 15, we are requesting \$13,000.00 be added to Commitment Item 01 Extra Help Fund HSC3766, Funds Center X66. The \$13,000.00 total amount would be deducted from the Legal Services / Refunds – Reimbursement in Commitment Item 14 to account for those funds going to Commitment Item 01.

The basis for this request is that DHS, via the Office of Chief Counsel, has hired one of our contract attorneys to fill a part-time State employment position. As we are not allowed to have anyone under contract that is also a W2 part-time State employee, we will need to convert the attorney into one of our empty Extra Help positions.

If you need other information or if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 501-258-3751 or brian.welch@arkansas.gov. Thank you for all your assistance in this matter.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Brian Welch", is written in a cursive style.

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