AGENDA Uniform Personnel Classification and Compensation Plan Subcommittee of the Arkansas Legislative Council

Wednesday, March 13, 2024 1:30 PM Room A, MAC Little Rock, Arkansas

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A. Call to Order

- B. Surrender Pool Request Arkansas Code Annotated §21-5-225(a) Department of Human Services, Division of Shared Services. The total estimated cost is \$40,083.00 from Federal Funds and General Revenue. (Kristi Putnam, Secretary)
- C. Surrender Pool Request Arkansas Code Annotated §21-5-225(a) Disability Determination for Social Security Administration. The total estimated savings is \$11,986.00 in Federal Funds. (Arthur Boutiette, Director)
- D. Surrender Pool Request Arkansas Code Annotated §21-5-225(a) Department of Education, Northwest Technical Institute. The total estimated cost is \$245,698.25 from General Revenue. (Jacob Oliva, Secretary)
- E. Surrender Pool Request Arkansas Code Annotated §21-5-225(a) Department of Commerce, Division of Aeronautics. The total estimated cost is \$77,191.80 from Special Revenue. (Hugh McDonald, Secretary)
- F. Growth Pool Request Arkansas Code Annotated §11-10-310 Department of Commerce, Department of Workforce Services. The total estimated cost including fringe is approximately \$340,251.00 funded from Federal Funds and \$57,988.00 funded from General Revenue. (Hugh McDonald, Secretary)
- G. Growth Pool Request Arkansas Code Annotated §21-5-225(b)(1) Office of Prosecutor Coordinator. The estimated cost is \$201,203.00 from State Central Services funds. (Bob McMahan, Prosecutor Coordinator)
- H. Growth Pool Request Arkansas Code Annotated \$21-5-225(b)(1) Department of Public Safety, Arkansas State Crime Lab. The total estimated cost is \$222,297.60 from General Revenue. (Col. Mike A. Hagar, Secretary)
- I. Establishment of a new classification from Department of Military. (Major General Jonathan M. Stubbs, Secretary)
- J. Establishment of an Education Differential and a Certification Differential for Department of Public Safety, Arkansas State Crime Lab. The total cost is \$75,836.00 for this fiscal year from Special Revenue. (Col. Mike A. Hagar, Secretary)
- Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at <u>www.arkleg.state.ar.us</u>
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K. Establishment of Geographic Differential for Arkansas Department of Veterans Affairs. The estimated cost is \$50,035 from Cash Fund. (Ret. Major General Kendall W. Penn, Secretary)

Reports:

L. March New Provisional Report for (24) new positions are approved for (3) Four-Year Institutions of Higher Education and (0) new positions for (0) Two-Year Institutions of Higher Education. (Department of Higher Education, Dr. Ken Warden)

M. Other Business- Supplemental Agenda Item

- 1. Surrender Pool Request Arkansas Code Annotated §21-5-225(a) and one new classification. Department of Transformation and Shared Services. The total cost is \$104,631.00 from General Revenue. (Leslie Fisken, Secretary)
- 2. Surrender Pool Request Arkansas Code Annotated \$21-5-225(a) Public Service Commission. The total estimated savings is \$7,270.00. (Doyle Webb, Chairman)
- N. Adjournment