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"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES DIVISION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division for the 1987-89 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act, or its successor.

Item	Class	No. _____	Code _____	Title _____	Maximum	Maximum Annual	
						No. of	Salary Rate
		Employees				1987-88	1988-89
(1)	6601	DENTIST			5	\$64,631	\$64,631
(2)	6603	GENERAL PHYSICIAN			7	\$64,631	\$64,631
(3)	9972	DDS COMMISSIONER			1	\$52,393	\$52,393
(4)	496Z	DDS DEP CMSNR COMMUNITY SVC			1		GRADE 25
	497Z	DDS DEP CMSNR FOR INSTITUTIONAL SVC			1		
(5)	951Z	DDS SUPT HUMAN DEVELOP CNTR-CONWAY			1		GRADE 24
(6)	L124	PSYCHOLOGIST			7		GRADE 23
	518Z	DDS SUPT HUMAN DEVELOPMENT CENTER			5		

	950Z DDS DIR EVAL, PLAN & MGMT SYSTEMS	1	
(7)	L096 PHARMACIST II	3	GRADE 21
	M178 DDS ASST SUPERINTENDENT - CONWAY	1	
	508Z DDS NURSING SERVICES ADMR	6	
	522Z DDS COORD PROG PLNG & EVAL	1	
(8)	E038 NURSE INSTRUCTOR	2	GRADE 20
	E104 DDS EDUCATION & TRAINING CONSULTANT	1	
	L030 DIETARY SERVICES DIRECTOR	1	
	L078 NURSE SUPERVISOR	14	
	L094 PHARMACIST I	3	
	L122 PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINER II	23	
	R146 NUTRITIONIST CONSULTANT	1	
	R326 QUALITY ASSURANCE COORDINATOR	5	
	137Z DDS TEAM LEADER - CONWAY	5	
	487Z DDS BUSINESS MANAGER	6	
	491Z DDS COTTAGE LIFE DIRECTOR	5	
	501Z DDS DIR OF EDUCATION AND TRAINING	4	
	503Z DDS LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT SUPV	1	
	505Z DDS MEDICAL SERVICES MANAGER	1	
(9)	E026 INSTITUTIONAL INSTRUCTOR SUPERVISOR	5	GRADE 19
	E114 STAFF DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR	1	
	G120 PLANT MAINTENANCE COORDINATOR	1	
	L090 OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY SUPERVISOR	1	
	L142 SPEECH PATHOLOGIST SUPV	4	
	M019 CHAPLAIN	1	
	M088 SOCIAL WORKER III/SOCIAL WORKER II	7	
	M126 DDS FIELD COUNSELOR SUPERVISOR	1	
	M128 DDS PROGRAM COORDINATOR	21	
	M140 DDS TEAM LEADER	6	
	M132 COMMUNITY SVCS REGIONAL REP SUPV	1	
	R068 EEO/GRIEVANCE OFFICER	1	
	R266 MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST II	2	
	Y116 MAINTENANCE SYSTEMS SUPV	1	
	516Z M R FACILITY PROGRAM EVALUATOR SUPV	1	
	521Z DDS FOSTER GRANDPARENT ADMR	1	
(10)	L008 AUDIOLOGIST	3	GRADE 18

	L028 DIETICIAN	5	
	L070 NURSE II	11	
	L088 OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST II	1	
	L120 PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINER I	7	
	L140 SPEECH PATHOLOGIST II	12	
	M082 SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER III	13	
	M086 SOCIAL WORKER II/SOCIAL WORKER I	6	
	M162 DDS ANCILLARY SVCS & DORM SUPV	1	
	R264 MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST I	2	
	V040 PURCHASE AGENT II/PURCHASE AGENT	1	
	493Z DDS COTTAGE LIFE PROGRAM SUPV	4	
	504Z M R FACILITY PROGRAM EVALUATOR	2	
(11)	B060 MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 17
	E024 INSTITUTIONAL INSTRUCTOR II	14	
	E050 STAFF DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST II	9	
	E072 TRAINING INSTRUCTOR II	1	
	E086 HABILITATION/REHAB INSTRUCTOR II	10	
	G028 BUILDING PLANT MAINTENANCE SUPV II	5	
	M050 RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY LEADER SUPV	6	
	M080 SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER II/SOC SVC WK	7	
	M124 DDS COUNSELOR	17	
	R112 COMMUNITY SVCS REGIONAL REP	4	
	W012 MEDICAL RECORDS ADMINISTRATOR	1	
	Y027 ELECTRICIAN SUPERVISOR	1	
(12)	B052 MEDICAL TECHNOLOGIST	3	GRADE 16
	L026 DENTAL HYGIENIST	1	
	L068 NURSE I	2	
	L086 OCCUPATIONAL THERAPIST I	4	
	M102 VOCATIONAL PLAC & EVAL PROG COORD	1	
	R010 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	8	
	Y003 AUTO/DIESEL MECHANIC	2	
	Y039 HEATING & A/C MECHANIC	5	
	Y053 JOURNEYMAN CARPENTER	7	
	Y055 JOURNEYMAN ELECTRICIAN	6	
	Y057 JOURNEYMAN PAINTER	6	
	Y061 JOURNEYMAN PLUMBER	3	

(13)	E022 INSTITUTIONAL INSTRUCTOR I	34	GRADE 15
	E035 MULTI-MEDIA TECHNICAL CONTROLLER II	1	
	E084 HABILITATION/REHAB INSTRUCTOR I	101	
	H034 FOOD PRODUCTION MANAGER II	5	
	L138 SPEECH PATHOLOGIST I	13	
	L153 X-RAY TECH SUPV/X-RAY TECH II	1	
	M079 SOCIAL SERVICE WORKER I	1	
	M141 DDS TEAM SHIFT COORDINATOR	21	
	Q091 STATIONARY ENGINEER	5	
	R057 COTTAGE LIFE PROGRAM SUPV	16	
	R190 PERSONNEL OFFICER II	6	
	R252 LIBRARIAN I	3	
(14)	E048 STAFF DEVELOPMENT SPECIALIST I	2	GRADE 14
	L115 LPTN II	3	
	L126 PSYCHOLOGICAL INTERN	1	
	L184 DIETETIC TECHNICIAN	2	
	M036 FOSTER GRANDPARENT SUPERVISOR	3	
	M048 RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY LEADER II	10	
	R009 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT I	5	
	V039 PURCHASE AGENT I/ASST PURCHASE AGENT	1	
(15)	H033 FOOD PRODUCTION MANAGER I	1	GRADE 13
	K041 EXECUTIVE SECY/ADMINISTRATIVE SECY	3	
	K133 MANAGEMENT SUPPORT TECHNICIAN	5	
L049	LPN II	109	
	L061 M R AIDE SUPERVISOR	62	
	L179 PHYSICAL THERAPY ASSISTANT	1	
	L183 OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSISTANT	2	
	V051 STOREROOM SUPV/STORE SUPV	6	
	W015 MEDICAL RECORDS TECHNICIAN	2	
(16)	A063 PAYROLL OFFICER	1	GRADE 12
	A155 ICF COORDINATOR	6	
	G139 WATER FILTER/WASTE DISPOSAL PLNT OP	2	
	G092 LAUNDRY OPERATIONS MANAGER	1	
	H049 SUPERVISOR OF COOKING	2	
	K117 MEDICAL OR LEGAL SECRETARY	2	
	K179 SECRETARY/WORD PROCESS SPECIALIST	1	

(17)	A013 BOOKKEEPER II/ACCOUNTING ASST II	6	GRADE 11
	E027 INSTITUTIONAL TEACHER ASSISTANT	84	
	G115 NURSERY ASST & GROUNDSKEEPER SUPV	1	
	K153 SECRETARY II	23	
	L047 LPN I	22	
	L059 M R AIDE II	88	
	L093 ORTHOTIST AIDE	5	
	M047 RECREATIONAL ACTIVITY LEADER I	37	
(18)	C013 SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE 10
	G093 LAUNDRY SUPERVISOR II	1	
	H005 BAKER II	1	
	H027 COOK II	15	
	K059 LIBRARY TECHNICAL ASST II	2	
	K089 PERSONNEL ASSISTANT	3	
	W023 RECORDS CENTER OPERATOR II	11	
	Y001 APPRENTICE TRADESMAN	7	
(19)	A011 BOOKKEEPER I/ACCOUNTING ASST I	3	GRADE 09
	K103 REPRO EQUIP OPR II/REPRO EQUIP OPR	1	
	K155 SECRETARY I	65	
	L025 DENTAL ASSISTANT	2	
	L057 M R AIDE I	745	
	L097 PHARMACY ASST	2	
	V041 PURCHASING ASSISTANT	3	
	Y045 INSTITUTIONAL BEAUTICIAN	3	
(20)	G039 CUSTODIAL SUPV II	1	GRADE 08
	G143 EQUIPMENT OPERATOR II	2	
	H003 BAKER I	7	
	H025 COOK I	27	
	H045 MEAT CUTTER I/BUTCHER I	1	
	H053 FOOD SERVICE WORKER III	3	
	P307 FACILITY MANAGER I	2	
(21)	A157 BOOKKEEPER ASSISTANT	1	GRADE 07
	C011 SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR II	2	
	G045 EQUIPMENT OPERATOR I	18	
	G109 BLDG/EQUIP MAINT REPAIRMAN II	16	
	K023 CLERK TYPIST II	28	

	K123 WARD CLERK	1	
	L063 M R AIDE TRAINEE	281	
	L089 OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY AIDE	8	
	L105 PHYSICAL THERAPY AIDE	11	
	W021 RECORDS CENTER OPERATOR I	1	
(22)	G091 LAUNDRY SUPERVISOR I	4	GRADE 06
	G169 CUSTODIAL SUPV I	2	
(23)	C009 SWITCHBOARD OPERATOR I	13	GRADE 05
	G107 BLDG/EQUIP MAINT REPAIRMAN I	5	
	H043 FOOD SERVICE WORKER II	3	
	K015 CLERK II	5	
	V049 STOCK CLERK II	8	
	Y095 SEAMSTRESS II	1	
(24)	G035 CUSTODIAL WRKR II	37	GRADE 03
	G097 LAUNDRY WRKR II	8	
	G175 MAINTENANCE WORKER II	8	
	V047 STOCK CLERK I	1	
(25)	G095 LAUNDRY WORKER I	23	GRADE 02
	G171 CUSTODIAL WRKR I	42	
	H015 CANTEEN OPERATOR I	3	
	H039 FOOD SERVICE WORKER I	52	
	K013 CLERK I	1	
(26)	E087 VOCATIONAL TRAINEE	<u>18</u>	GRADE 01
	MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	2574	

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division for the 1987-89 biennium, the following maximum number of employees to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: One hundred and seventy-six (176) employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS - OPERATIONS - STATE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities Services

Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	1987-88	1988-89
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 36,052,966	\$ 36,052,966
(02) EXTRA HELP	462,783	462,783
(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	9,912,160	9,912,178
(04) OVERTIME	14,975	14,975
(05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSES	\$ 8,955,581	\$ 8,534,039
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	36,010	36,010
(C) PROF. FEES	17,016	17,016
(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	645,786	643,144
(E) DATA PROCESSING	0	0
TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	9,654,393	9,230,209
(06) GRANTS	750,000	2,500,000
(07) PURCHASE OF SERVICES	1,421,143	1,421,143
(08) VOCATIONAL TRAINEES	40,594	40,594
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ 58,309,014	\$ 59,634,848

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS - OPERATIONS - FEDERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, to be payable from the Department of Human Services Federal Funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	1987-88	1988-89
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 213,330	\$ 217,900
(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	58,346	62,647
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSES	\$ 97,908	\$ 97,908
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	4,350	4,350

(C)	PROF. FEES	0	0
(D)	CAPITAL OUTLAY	35,000	35,000
(E)	DATA PROCESSING	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.		137,258 137,258
(04)	PURCHASE SERVICES		<u>407,939</u> <u>407,939</u>
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		\$ 816,873 \$ 825,744

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATIONS - FEDERAL GRANTS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, to be payable from the Department of Human Services Federal Funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEARS	
		1987-88	1988-89
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 37,625	\$ 38,259
(02)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	9,441	10,053
(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
	(A) OPER. EXPENSES	\$ 4,817	\$ 4,817
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	94	94
	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	0	0
	(E) DATA PROCESSING	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	4,911	4,911
(04)	FOSTER PARENT STIPEND	<u>234,722</u>	<u>234,722</u>
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ 286,699	\$ 287,945

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS - SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM - CASH. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, to be payable from the cash funds of the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, for operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division - School Lunch Program for the biennial period



ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO. _____	1987-88 _____	1988-89 _____
(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSES     \$	304,824	\$ 304,824
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	0	0
(E) DATA PROCESSING     _____	0_	0_
TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	_____ 304,824	_____ 304,824
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ 304,824	\$ 304,824

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATIONS - COMMUNITY PROGRAMS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account from the special revenues provided by Act 397 of 1967, as amended, for expenses of the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division - Private Non-profit Community Based Programs licensed by the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO. _____	1987-88 _____	1988-89 _____
(01) COMMUNITY PROGRAMS	\$ 300,000	\$ 300,000

SECTION 8. APPROPRIATIONS - SPECIAL OLYMPICS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account, for grants to the Arkansas Special Olympics for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO. _____	1987-88 _____	1988-89 _____
(01) GRANTS	\$ 100,000	\$ 100,000

SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - GRANTS-IN-AID. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account, for grants-in-aid to community providers of services to the developmentally disabled of the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO. _____	1987-88 _____	1988-89 _____
(01) GRANTS-IN-AID	\$ 8,638,791	\$ 8,638,791
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SECTION 10. APPROPRIATIONS - EARLY INTERVENTION PROGRAM - FEDERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, to be payable from the Department of Human Services Federal Funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services, operating expenses, and purchase of services grants for the development and support of an Early Intervention Program for Infants and Toddlers, as administered by the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO. _____	1987-88 _____	1988-89 _____
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000
(02) EXTRA HELP	0	0
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	11,000	11,000
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSES	\$ 14,000	\$ 14,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	0	0
(E) DATA PROCESSING	_____0_____	_____0_____
TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPER.	14,000	14,000

(05) PURCHASE OF SERVICES GRANTS	_____425,000	_____425,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ 500,000	\$ 500,000

SECTION 11. Of the funds appropriated to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division, under Section 10 of this Act, it is the intent of the General Assembly that no State General Revenues be utilized to support the Early Intervention Program.

SECTION 12. SPECIAL AUTHORIZATION - CASH FUNDS. All funds received by the Division of Developmental Disabilities Services of the Department of Human Services shall be placed in the State Treasury and expended via appropriation. Those funds held in trust by the agency for the residents of the Human Development Centers, including Gifts and Bequests, shall be considered agency funds to be expended from bank accounts without legislative appropriation. The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall have the final authority to determine those funds which may be exempted from being placed in the State Treasury unless otherwise provided by law. Provided, however, no agency funds deposited in bank accounts shall be expended for purposes other than those allowed for the expenditures of State Treasury funds under the provisions of Act 876 of 1973, as amended, the same being the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Act of Arkansas.

SECTION 13. VOCATIONAL TRAINEES. The Division of Developmental Disabilities Services of the Department of Human Services is hereby authorized for the 1987-89 biennium to provide employment opportunities for some of the less productive, working residents, separate from the currently authorized regular Vocational Trainee positions. The positions authorized herein shall not be incorporated into the present classification system but shall be provided for by each Human Development Center on a Cash Account basis. It is the intent of the General Assembly that the authorization of these positions shall facilitate the agency's ability to provide for less productive, working residents.

SECTION 14. TRANSFER OF FUNDS. Where it has been found that because of recruiting difficulties within scarce professions in Intermediate Care Facilities of the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities

Services Division, it is necessary to acquire professional services to meet federal staffing standards through contracting with individuals or institutions, the Director of the Department of Human Services and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State; and after seeking the advice of the Arkansas Legislative Council, is hereby authorized to transfer funds and appropriations from Regular Salaries to Maintenance and General Operations and Purchase of Service appropriations in the amount necessary to acquire the services.

SECTION 15. The Director of the Department of Human Services is hereby authorized, with the approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, and after having sought the advice of the Arkansas Legislative Council, to transfer any line item appropriation to any other line item appropriation authorized herein with one exception: Item (01) of Section 9 herein, the same being Grant-in-Aid may not be decreased.

SECTION 16. Nothing in this Act shall prevent use of funds allocated under the Grants-in-Aid Appropriation to match Title XIX or Social Services Block Grant (Title XX) funds to be used by private non-profit community based services. Developmental Disabilities Services (DDS) shall continue to allocate to private non-profit community based services a total percentage of Social Services Block Grant (Title XX) funds received that is equal to or greater than the percentage of Social Services Block Grant (Title XX) funds received by DDS and allocated to community based programs for Fiscal Year 1982-83.

SECTION 17. It is the specific recommendation of the Legislature that Developmental Disabilities Services utilize Title XIX, Social Services Block Grant, and State Grants-in-Aid funds available to community programs to seek to achieve the following goals:

1. Providing for operation of community based residential programs which the State agency encouraged the community programs to build with non-State funds;
2. Determination by Developmental Disabilities Services of reasonable costs for the services provided by community based programs with consideration of regional expense variations and funding so that the State shall provide a minimum of ninety percent of the reasonable costs, with the community based program responsible for no more than

ten percent of such costs;

3. That the State seek to provide a continuum of services to all clients eligible for services from community based programs;
4. That the State not reduce funding of reasonable costs of community based programs provided by Developmental Disabilities Services or require reimbursement from community based programs if the community based program provides at least ten percent match of the funding provided by Developmental Disabilities Services.

SECTION 18. The Board of Developmental Disabilities Services shall, when preparing their biennial budget request for submission to the Governor and the Arkansas Legislative Council, consult with the Arkansas Enterprises for the Developmentally Disabled concerning the amount which is to be submitted as the request for each year of the forthcoming biennium for a grant to the Arkansas Special Olympics. Such amount as may be determined by the Arkansas Enterprises for the Developmentally Disabled shall be submitted as the Agency Request to the Governor and to the Arkansas Legislative Council.

SECTION 19. SPECIAL RATES OF PAY. Due to the highly competitive job market conditions for health professionals and the necessity of recruiting and retaining qualified personnel, the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services Division is authorized special rates of pay for current and new employees up to the levels listed under subsection (a) below:

(a) Special rates may be authorized for the following classifications only, as indicated herein:

CLASS

CODE	TITLE	GRADE	STEP
L124	PSYCHOLOGIST	23	8

SECTION 20. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control

laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

SECTION 21. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

SECTION 22. CONTRACT RESTRICTIONS. The agency, board, commission, department or institution to whom funds are appropriated by this Act shall not enter into any contract for any professional or consultant services which shall extend for more than twenty (20) actual working days or the total compensation exceeds five thousand dollars (\$5,000) during any one fiscal year without first seeking the advice of the Arkansas Legislative Council. Provided further, that all contracts for professional or consultant services shall be submitted monthly to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State for reporting to the Legislative Council.

SECTION 23. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Sixth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1987 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1987 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1987.

/s/John E. Miller

