

State of Arkansas  
76th General Assembly  
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SENATE BILL 145

By: Joint Budget Committee

As engrossed 2-27-87

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR ARKANSAS' CONTRIBUTION TO INTERSTATE ORGANIZATIONS 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. APPROPRIATIONS - CONTRIBUTIONS TO INTERSTATE ORGANIZATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration, to be payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for disbursement of Arkansas' contribution to the Council of State Governments, Conference of State Legislatures, Council of State Planning Agencies, National Association of State Budget Officers, Southern Growth Policies Board, National Governors Association, Southern States Energy Board, Interstate Mining Compact, Conference of Insurance Legislators, Low Level Radioactive Waste Compact, and Southern Governors' Association for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	1987-88	1988-89
(01) COUNCIL OF STATE GOVERNMENTS	\$ 48,400	\$ 51,700
(02) CONF. OF STATE LEGISLATURES	56,446	59,759
(03) COUNCIL OF STATE PLANNING AGENCIES	4,750	5,000
(04) NAT'L ASSOC OF STATE BUDGET OFFICERS	7,000	7,600
(05) SOUTHERN GROWTH POLICIES BOARD	23,403	23,403
(06) NATIONAL GOVERNORS ASSOCIATION	50,610	54,150
(07) SOUTHERN STATES ENERGY BOARD	20,846	20,846
(08) INTERSTATE MINING COMPACT	7,585	7,585
(09) CONFERENCE OF INSURANCE LEGISLATORS	500	500
(10) LOW LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTE COMPACT	25,000	25,000

(11)	STATE AND LOCAL LEGAL CENTER	4,000	4,000
(12)	SOUTHERN GOVERNOR'S ASSOCIATION	<u>4,840</u>	<u>5,170</u>
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ 253,380	\$ 264,713

SECTION 2. 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 3. 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 4. 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/ Howell