

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

A Bill

HOUSE BILL

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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYEES
9 BENEFIT PAYMENTS FOR THE ARKANSAS EMPLOYMENT SECURITY
10 DEPARTMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO
11 THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 886 OF 1991, FOR THE
12 REMAINDER OF THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1993; AND
13 FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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Subtitle

16 "AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS EMPLOYMENT SECURITY DEPARTMENT
17 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION."

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

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21 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
22 Arkansas Employment Security Department, to be payable from cash funds as
23 defined by Arkansas Code §19-4-801 of the Arkansas Employment Security
24 Department, for Federal Employees Benefit Payments of the Arkansas Employment
25 Security Department which shall be supplemental and in addition to those funds
26 appropriated in Section 3 of Act 886 of 1991, for the remainder of the
27 biennial period ending June 30, 1993, the following:

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29 ITEM

FISCAL YEAR

30 NO.

1992-93

31 (01) FEDERAL EMPLOYEES BENEFIT PAYMENTS

\$ 40,500,000

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34 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
35 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency

1 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
2 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and
3 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
4 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control
5 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the
6 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
7 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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9 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
10 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
11 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which
12 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
13 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
14 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
15 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
16 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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18 SECTION 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent
19 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas
20 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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22 SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the
23 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such
24 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which
25 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this
26 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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28 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict
29 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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31 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
32 Seventy-Ninth General Assembly meeting in Regular Session, that funds provided
33 by the Seventy-Eighth General Assembly for the operations of the Arkansas
34 Employment Security Department are, due to unforeseen circumstances,
35 insufficient for the Arkansas Employment Security Department to continue to

1 provide essential governmental services; that the provisions of this act will
2 provide the necessary monies for the Arkansas Employment Security Department
3 to continue such services; and that a delay in the effective date of this Act
4 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of
5 essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared
6 to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the
7 public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and
8 after the date of its passage and approval.

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