

1 **State of Arkansas**

2 **79th General Assembly**

3 **Regular Session, 1993**

4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

# A Bill

**SENATE BILL 713**

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## 7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES  
9 WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO OTHER FUNDS  
10 APPROPRIATED FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE  
11 BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1995; AND FOR OTHER  
12 PURPOSES."

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## **Subtitle**

15 "AN ACT FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL APPROPRIATION."

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

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19 SECTION 1. The following positions and salaries shall be utilized in  
20 lieu of four Consumer Protection Division Counselors authorized for the  
21 Consumer Protection Division of the Office of Attorney General for the  
22 biennial period ending June 30, 1995:

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24 Item

No. of      Fiscal Years

25 No.

Title

Employees

1993-94

1994-95

26 (1)

CNSMR PROTECT DIV COUNSELOR

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\$ 27,000

\$ 27,945

27 (2)

CNSMR PROTECT DIV COUNSELOR

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25,000

25,875

28 (3)

CNSMR PROTECT DIV COUNSELOR

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23,000

23,805

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30 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office  
31 of Attorney General, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund, for  
32 personal services of the Office of Attorney General - Consumer Protection  
33 Division which shall be supplemental and in addition to other funds  
34 appropriated for the biennial period ending June 30, 1995, the following:

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ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	1993-94	1994-95
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 42,000	\$ 43,470
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	<u>11,473</u>	<u>11,735</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 53,473</u>	<u>\$ 55,205</u>

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7 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
 8 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
 9 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
 10 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and  
 11 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
 12 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control  
 13 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the  
 14 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
 15 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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17 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
 18 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
 19 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which  
 20 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
 21 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
 22 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
 23 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
 24 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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26 SECTION 5. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent  
 27 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas  
 28 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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30 SECTION 6. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the  
 31 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such  
 32 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which  
 33 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this  
 34 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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1           SECTION 7. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
2 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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4           SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
5 Seventy-Ninth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas  
6 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that  
7 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1993 is essential to the operation of  
8 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
9 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
10 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1993 could work irreparable harm upon the  
11 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
12 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
13 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
14 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1993.

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*/s/ Senator Hardin*

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