

1 State of Arkansas
2 80th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1995
4 By: Senate Efficiency Committee

A Bill

SENATE BILL

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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO DEFRAY THE EXPENSES OF THE
9 ARKANSAS SENATE OF THE EIGHTIETH GENERAL ASSEMBLY, TO PAY
10 EXPENSES OF MEMBERS THEREOF, TO PAY SALARIES TO THE
11 EMPLOYEES THEREOF, TO PAY FOR AND/OR PURCHASE SUPPLIES AND
12 EQUIPMENT FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE; AND FOR OTHER
13 PURPOSES."

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Subtitle

16 "AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE FUNDS FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE OF
17 THE 80TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY."

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

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21 SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated, to be payable from the
22 Constitutional Officers Fund, to the Arkansas Senate, for the purpose of
23 defraying the necessary expenses of the Eightieth General Assembly and for
24 paying the expenses of the members thereof as provided herein, for the
25 remainder of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1995, as follows:

26 (1) Mileage allowances, Per Diem, Contingent Expense, Maintenance and	\$ 419,750
27 Operations, and other expenses authorized by law	
28 (2) Salaries of Employees	309,000
29 (3) Employer Matching Funds	<u>21,250</u>
30 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 750,000</u>

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32 SECTION 2. Effective December 1, 1994 the Arkansas Senate is
33 authorized a position of Secretary of the Senate/Fiscal Officer for the
34 remainder of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1995 at a maximum annual salary
35 rate of \$50,000. Such position is to be paid from the appropriations in Act

1 671 of 1993.

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3 SECTION 3. The Senate Disbursing Officer is hereby directed to issue
4 vouchers evidencing all payments authorized by the Senate Efficiency
5 Committee, subject to the approval of the Arkansas Senate, and when vouchers
6 issued covering expenditures of the Arkansas Senate have been so issued and
7 approved, the State Auditor is directed to convert such vouchers into
8 warrants, and the Treasurer is directed to pay the same out of the funds
9 appropriated herein.

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11 SECTION 4. If the Senate Efficiency Committee and the Senate Fiscal
12 Officer, subject to approval by the Arkansas Senate, should determine that
13 any item or portion thereof appropriated herein for a specific purpose is not
14 needed for such purpose, the Senate Fiscal Officer may certify such fact to
15 the State Auditor and the State Auditor shall cause transfer to be made from
16 one item to another.

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18 SECTION 5. 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 6. 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 7. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict
29 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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31 SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby determined that matters
32 vitally affecting the welfare of the State of Arkansas must be dealt with by
33 the Eightieth General Assembly, and this Act being necessary for the
34 preservation of the peace, health and safety of the people of the State of
35 Arkansas, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, and this Act shall take

1 effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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