

1 State of Arkansas  
2 80th General Assembly  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 362

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

7 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 19-5-302(8)(B) ALLOWING FOR  
8 THE DEPOSITING OF FUNDS TRANSFERRED FROM THE WORKERS'  
9 COMPENSATION FUND INTO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR FUND  
10 ACCOUNT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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## Subtitle

13 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 19-5-  
14 302(8)(B)."

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

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19 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code §19-5-302(8)(B) is hereby amended to read as  
20 follows:

21 "(B) The fund account shall consist of:  
22 (i) Those general revenues as may be provided by law;  
23 (ii) Nonrevenue income derived from services provided by the  
24 department programs operating from the account;  
25 (iii) Those special revenues as set out in subdivisions (25)  
26 and (158) of §19-6-301 of the Revenue Classification Law, §19-6-101 et seq.;  
27 and  
28 (iv) Those funds transferred from the Workers' Compensation  
29 Fund Account as determined by the Arkansas Workers' Compensation Commission;  
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31 (v) Such other funds as may be provided by law including  
32 federal reimbursement received on account of eligible expenditures by the  
33 various programs of the Department of Labor operating from and having  
34 appropriations made payable from the account."

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1        SECTION 2. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and  
2 permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and  
3 the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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5        SECTION 3. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the  
6 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such  
7 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which  
8 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this  
9 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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11        SECTION 4. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
12 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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14        SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
15 Eightieth General Assembly meeting in Regular Session, that the provisions of  
16 this Act are of critical importance to the state's provision of a workers'  
17 compensation safety program within the Department of Labor; and that the  
18 current fund structure of the Department of Labor needs to be amended to  
19 allow for the financial support of the workers' compensation safety program  
20 by the Workers' Compensation Commission; and that a delay in the effective  
21 date of this Act could work irreparable harm on the proper administration and  
22 provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is  
23 hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate  
24 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall be in full force  
25 and effect from and after July 1, 1995.

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