

1 State of Arkansas  
2 80th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1995

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 369

4 By: *Joint Budget Committee*

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES  
9 FOR THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNERS FOR  
10 THE REMAINDER OF THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1995; AND  
11 FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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## Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE STATE BOARD OF  
15 REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNERS  
16 APPROPRIATION."

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

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SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the State Board of Registered Interior Designers, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code §19-4-801 of the State Board of Registered Interior Designers, for operating expenses of the State Board of Registered Interior Designers for the remainder of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1995, the following:

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ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	1994-95
(01) MAINTENANCE & GENERAL OPERATIONS	
(A) OPER. EXPENSES	\$ 4,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROCESSING	<u>0</u>
TOTAL MAINT. & GEN. OPERATIONS	\$ <u>4,000</u>

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1 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$ 4,000

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4 SECTION 2. EMPLOYMENT OF ATTORNEYS. None of the funds appropriated in  
5 this Act for Maintenance and General Operation shall be expended in payment  
6 for services of attorneys, unless the agency shall first make a request in  
7 writing to the Attorney General of the State of Arkansas to provide the  
8 required legal services. The Attorney General's Office shall provide the  
9 requested legal services, or, if the Attorney General's Office shall  
10 determine that sufficient personnel are not available to provide the  
11 requested legal services, the Attorney General shall certify the same to the  
12 agency and may authorize the agency to employ legal counsel and to expend  
13 monies appropriated for Maintenance and General Operations therefor, if:

14 (1) The Attorney General determines, and certifies in writing, that  
15 such agency needs the advice or assistance of legal counsel, and

16 (2) The Attorney General consents in writing to the employment of the  
17 legal counsel to be retained by the agency.

18 Such certification shall be required with respect to each instance of  
19 the employment of special legal counsel, or shall be required annually with  
20 respect to legal counsel employed on a retainer basis. A copy of such  
21 certification shall be entered in the official minutes of the agency, and  
22 shall be retained in the fiscal records of the agency for audit purposes.

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24 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
25 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
26 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
27 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and  
28 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
29 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
30 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
31 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
32 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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34 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
35 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations

1 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
2 which this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
3 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
4 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
5 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
6 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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

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

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

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21       SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
22 Eightieth General Assembly that appropriations were not provided by the  
23 General Assembly for the operations of the State Board of Registered Interior  
24 Designers; that the provisions of this act will provide the necessary  
25 appropriation for the State Board of Registered Interior Designers to provide  
26 essential services; and that a delay in the effective date of this Act could  
27 work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of  
28 essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared  
29 to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the  
30 public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and  
31 after the date of its passage and approval.

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