

1 State of Arkansas
2 80th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1995
4 By: Joint Budget Committee
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A Bill

SENATE BILL781

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND
9 OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION
10 COMMISSION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO
11 THOSE AUTHORIZED IN ACT 315 OF 1995 FOR THE BIENNIAL
12 PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1997; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."
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Subtitle

14 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE WORKERS'
15 COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR THE 1995-97 BIENNIUM."
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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20 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES . There is hereby established for the
21 Workers' Compensation Commission for the 1995-97 biennium, the following
22 maximum number of regular employees, which shall be supplemental and in
23 addition to those authorized in Section 1 of Act 315 of 1995, whose salaries
24 shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and
25 Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and
26 all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a
27 specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt
28 from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All
29 persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the
30 provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas
31 Code §21-5-101), or its successor.
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	Maximum Annual
Maximum	Salary Rate

1	Item Class		No. of	Fiscal Years
2	No. Code	Title	Employees	1995-96
3	1996-97			
4	(01)	9912 WORKERS COMP CHIEF EXEC OFFICER	<u>1</u>	\$76,773 \$78,692
5		MAX NO OF EMPLOYEES	1	

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7 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the

8 Workers' Compensation Commission to be payable from the Workers' Compensation

9 Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Workers'

10 Compensation Commission which shall be supplemental and in addition to those

11 authorized in Section 2 of Act 315 of 1995 for the biennial period ending

12 ~~June 30, 1997, the following:~~

14	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
15	NO.	1995-96	1996-97
16	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$3,977	\$4,077
17	(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	<u>747</u>	<u>766</u>
18	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$4,724</u>	<u>\$4,843</u>

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20 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds

21 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency

22 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and

23 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and

24 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary

25 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal

26 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by

27 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be

28 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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30 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General

31 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations

32 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for

33 which this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive

34 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget

35 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or

1 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
2 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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

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

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

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17 SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
18 Eightieth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
19 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period;
20 that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1995 is essential to the
21 operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are
22 provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the
23 delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1995 could work
24 irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential
25 governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist
26 and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public
27 peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after
28 July 1, 1995.

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