

Stricken language would be deleted from present law. Underlined language would be added to present law.

1 State of Arkansas
2 81st General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1886

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5 By: Joint Budget Committee

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND
10 OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT -
11 INSURANCE FRAUD INVESTIGATION DIVISION FOR THE BIENNIAL
12 PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1999; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE STATE INSURANCE
15 DEPARTMENT - INSURANCE FRAUD
16 INVESTIGATION DIVISION APPROPRIATION FOR
17 THE 1997-99 BIENNIUM."
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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22 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the State
23 Insurance Department - Insurance Fraud Investigation Division for the 1997-99
24 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries
25 shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and
26 Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all
27 laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a
28 specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt
29 from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All
30 persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the
31 provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas
32 Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

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34			Maximum Annual
35		Maximum	Salary Rate
36	Item Class	No. of	Fiscal Years

No.	Code	Title	Employees	1997-98	1998-99	
2	(1)	8911	DIRECTOR, FRAUD INVESTIGATION	1	\$ 57,575	\$ 59,187
3	(2)	R038	ATTORNEY SUPERVISOR	1		GRADE 26
4	(3)	R170	ATTORNEY SPECIALIST	2		GRADE 25
5	(4)	909Z	PROGRAM SUPPORT MANAGER	1		GRADE 22
6	(5)	R266	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST II	3		GRADE 20
7	(6)	K117	MEDICAL OR LEGAL SECRETARY	<u>2</u>		GRADE 14
8			MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	10		

SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the State Insurance Department, to be payable from the Insurance Fraud Investigation Division Trust Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the State Insurance Department - Insurance Fraud Investigation Division for the biennial period ending June 30, 1999, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	1997-98	1998-99
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 347,145	\$ 356,863
(02) PERSONAL SERV. MATCHING	99,658	101,673
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	102,386	102,386
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	4,000	4,000
(C) PROF. SERVICES	11,000	11,000
(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	9,000	2,000
(E) DATA PROCESSING	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 573,189</u>	<u>\$ 577,922</u>

SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be

1 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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

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

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

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26 SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
27 Eighty-First General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
28 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
29 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1997 is essential to the operation of
30 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
31 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
32 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1997 could work irreparable harm upon the
33 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
34 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
35 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and

1 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1997.

2 /s/JBC