

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

1 State of Arkansas  
2 81st General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1997

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 246

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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 OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR  
11 FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1999; AND FOR  
12 OTHER PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

15 "AN ACT FOR THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT  
16 GOVERNOR APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1997-99  
17 BIENNIUM."

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

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

Item	Class	No. of	Maximum Annual
		Employees	Salary Rate
			Fiscal Years
<del>No.</del>	<del>Code</del>	<del>Title</del>	<del>1997-98 1998-99</del>

1	(1)	EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	1	\$ 49,233	\$ 50,612
2	(2)	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	1	\$ 31,259	\$ 32,134
3	(3)	SECRETARY	<u>1</u>	\$ 25,649	\$ 26,367
4		MAX NO. OF EMPLOYEES	3		

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6 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Office  
7 of Lieutenant Governor for the 1997-99 biennium, the following maximum number  
8 of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from  
9 funds appropriated herein for such purposes: three (3) temporary or part-time  
10 employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the  
11 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for  
12 the appropriate classification.

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14 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office  
15 of Lieutenant Governor, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund,  
16 for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of Lieutenant  
17 Governor for the biennial period ending June 30, 1999, the following:

19	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
20	<del>NO.</del>	<del>1997 98</del>	<del>1998 99</del>
21	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 106,141	\$ 109,113
22	(02) EXTRA HELP	10,000	10,000
23	(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	28,535	29,059
24	(04) MAINTENANCE & GENERAL OPERATIONS		
25	(A) OPER. EXPENSES	44,221	45,460
26	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	6,146	6,146
27	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
28	(D) CAPITAL OUTLAY	2,500	2,500
29	(E) DATA PROCESSING	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
30	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 197,543</u>	<u>\$ 202,278</u>

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32 SECTION 4. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
33 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
34 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
35 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and

1 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
2 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control  
3 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the  
4 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
5 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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

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

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26 SECTION 8. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
27 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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29 SECTION 9. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
30 Eighty-First General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas  
31 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that  
32 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1997 is essential to the operation of  
33 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
34 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
35 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1997 could work irreparable harm upon the

1 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
2 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
3 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
4 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1997.

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