

1 State of Arkansas  
2 82nd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1999  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1469

5 By: Joint Budget Committee  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES  
10 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE -  
11 OPERATIONS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30,  
12 2001; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. "  
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## Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE  
15 - BIENNIAL OPERATIONS APPROPRIATION  
16 FOR THE 1999-2001 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 - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for  
23 the Auditor of State for the 1999-2001 biennium, the following maximum number  
24 of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the  
25 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et  
26 seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however,  
27 that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein  
28 in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification  
29 and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are  
30 hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and  
31 Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.  
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		Maximum Annual		
		Maximum	Salary Rate	
Item Class		No. of	Fiscal Years	
No.	Code Title	Employees	1999-2000	2000-2001

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1	(1)	CHIEF DEPUTY	1	\$78,314	\$80,507
2	(2)	DEPUTY AUDITOR	1	\$78,314	\$80,507
3	(3)	ACCOUNTING MANAGER	1	\$64,799	\$66,613
4	(4)	DP MANAGER/ANALYST	1	\$64,799	\$66,613
5	(5)	ADMIN SUPERVISOR	1	\$52,039	\$53,496
6	(6)	ACCOUNTING TECH II	1	\$51,542	\$52,985
7	(7)	DIVISION MANAGER	1	\$51,542	\$52,985
8	(8)	DP SPECIALIST	2	\$50,573	\$51,990
9	(9)	EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	1	\$43,105	\$44,312
10	(10)	TECH SPECIALIST III	1	\$43,105	\$44,312
11	(11)	ACCOUNTING TECH I	1	\$45,211	\$46,477
12	(12)	CLERICAL TECH III	5	\$42,051	\$43,228
13	(13)	CLERICAL TECH II	2	\$37,581	\$38,633
14	(14)	TECHNICAL SPECIALIST	1	\$31,994	\$32,890
15	(15)	WARRANT CLERK	5	\$31,054	\$31,924
16	(16)	CLERICAL TECH I	<u>2</u>	\$27,762	\$28,540
17		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	27		

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19 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for the  
 20 Auditor of State for the 1999-2001 biennium, the following maximum number of  
 21 part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from  
 22 funds appropriated herein for such purposes: fifteen (15) temporary or part-  
 23 time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in  
 24 the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act  
 25 for the appropriate classification.

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27 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
 28 Auditor of State, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund, for  
 29 personal services and operating expenses of the Auditor of State for the  
 30 biennial period ending June 30, 2001, the following:

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ITEM		FISCAL YEARS	
NO.		1999-2000	2000-2001
34	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 1,202,121	\$ 1,235,782
35	(02) EXTRA HELP	12,713	12,713
36	(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	306,976	313,041

1	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
2	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	345,629	345,629
3	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	30,000	30,000
4	(C) PROF. FEES	2,500	2,500
5	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	25,000	25,000
6	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
7	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 1,924,939</u>	<u>\$ 1,964,665</u>

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9 SECTION 4. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by  
 10 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made  
 11 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions  
 12 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures  
 13 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and  
 14 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this  
 15 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of  
 16 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied  
 17 with in disbursement of said funds.

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19 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
 20 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
 21 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
 22 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
 23 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
 24 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
 25 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint  
 26 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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

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32 SECTION 7. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application  
 33 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall  
 34 not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given  
 35 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the  
 36 provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

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

SECTION 9. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1999 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1999.