

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

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2 82nd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1999
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As Engrossed: S3/3/99
A Bill

SENATE BILL 122

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 ARKANSAS TEACHER
11 RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE
12 30, 2001; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. "
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Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS TEACHER
15 RETIREMENT SYSTEM APPROPRIATION FOR THE
16 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 - TEACHER RETIREMENT. There is hereby
23 established for the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for the 1999-2001
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

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	No.	Code	Title	Employees	1999-2000	2000-2001
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2	(1)	9987	DIRECTOR TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM	1	\$92,520	\$95,110
3	(2)	9027	ATRS DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1	\$70,294	\$72,262
4	(3)	9009	ATRS CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT	1	\$62,000	\$63,736
5	(4)	988Z	ASSOCIATE DIR - INVESTMENTS	1		GRADE 25
6	(5)	002Z	ATRS PROGRAM MGR/MEMBER SVCS	1		GRADE 23
7	(6)	610Z	PERS PROG MGR/ADMIN SVCS	1		GRADE 23
8	(7)	A059	RETIREMENT MANAGER/SUPV MEMBERSHIP	1		GRADE 23
9	(8)	D046	SYSTEMS APPLICATIONS SUPERVISOR	1		GRADE 23
10	(9)	A255	TEACHER RET INVEST ADMR-AR RELATED	1		GRADE 23
11	(10)	A058	TEACHER RET MGR BENEFITS & COUNSEL	1		GRADE 23
12	(11)	D124	LEAD PROGRAMMER/ANALYST	1		GRADE 22
13	(12)	D036	SR PROGRAMMER/ANALYST	1		GRADE 21
14	(13)	A006	ACCOUNTING SUPERVISOR I	1		GRADE 20
15	(14)	R266	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST II	2		GRADE 20
16	(15)	W038	RECORDS MANAGEMENT COORD	2		GRADE 20
17	(16)	A122	ACCOUNTING SERVICES REP I	1		GRADE 19
18	(17)	A060	INVESTMENT SPECIALIST	3		GRADE 19
19	(18)	A113	RETIREMENT COUNSELOR	6		GRADE 19
20	(19)	A111	ACCOUNTANT	1		GRADE 18
21	(20)	X348	FIELD SERVICES REPRESENTATIVE	6		GRADE 18
22	(21)	R264	MANAGEMENT PROJECT ANALYST I	1		GRADE 18
23	(22)	D034	PROGRAMMER ANALYST	1		GRADE 18
24	(23)	E072	TRAINING INSTRUCTOR	1		GRADE 18
25	(24)	R010	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	3		GRADE 17
26	(25)	R440	BUSINESS CONTROLLER II	1		GRADE 16
27	(26)	A108	ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN II	6		GRADE 15
28	(27)	R009	ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT I	2		GRADE 15
29	(28)	A092	REPORTING SPECIALIST III	2		GRADE 15
30	(29)	K079	MICRO-PHOTOGRAPHER SUPERVISOR	1		GRADE 14
31	(30)	A081	REFUND SPECIALIST	1		GRADE 13
32	(31)	A091	REPORTING SPECIALIST II	5		GRADE 13
33	(32)	K153	SECRETARY II	<u>2</u>		GRADE 13
34			MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	60		

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36 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM. There is hereby

1 authorized, for the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for the 1999-2001
 2 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to
 3 be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such
 4 purposes: fourteen (14) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at
 5 rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and
 6 Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate
 7 classification.

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 9 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - TEACHER RETIREMENT OPERATIONS. There is hereby
 10 appropriated, to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, to be payable from
 11 the Teacher Retirement Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of
 12 the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for the biennial period ending June 30,
 13 2001, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	1999-2000	2000-2001
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 1,856,821	\$ 1,908,810
(02) EXTRA HELP	105,000	105,000
(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	596,364	606,622
(04) OVERTIME	150,000	150,000
(05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	2,971,917	2,971,917
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	42,759	42,759
(C) PROF. FEES	164,804	170,304
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	190,750	193,070
(E) DATA PROC.	0	0
(06) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	10,000,000	11,000,000
(07) BENEFITS	125,000,000	120,000,000
(08) PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	250,000	250,000
(09) DATA PROCESSING SERVICES	1,800,000	2,100,000
(10) INVESTMENT COUNSEL	<u>6,744,500</u>	<u>6,744,500</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 149,872,915</u>	<u>\$ 146,242,982</u>

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 34 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS - CASH OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated,
 35 to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, to be payable from cash funds as
 36 defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System,

1 for payments to beneficiaries by check or wire transfer by the Arkansas
 2 Teacher Retirement System for the biennial period ending June 30, 2001, the
 3 following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	1999-2000	2000-2001
(01) BENEFITS	<u>\$ 216,000,000</u>	<u>\$ 236,000,000</u>

9 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - PROPERTY MANAGEMENT. There is hereby
 10 appropriated, to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, to be payable from
 11 the Teacher Retirement Fund, for property renovation and maintenance expenses
 12 of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for the biennial period ending June
 13 30, 2001, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	1999-2000	2000-2001
(01) PROPERTY MANAGEMENT	<u>\$ 500,000</u>	<u>\$ 500,000</u>

19 SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE
 20 NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. PROPERTY
 21 MANAGEMENT. Pursuant to Arkansas Code 19-4-525, the funds appropriated for
 22 Property Management in Section 5 herein, shall be used by the Arkansas Teacher
 23 Retirement System for items which include, but are not limited to, attorney
 24 fees, foreclosure expenses, selling expenses, audit costs, appraisal expenses,
 25 property management fees, property rehabilitation costs, travel expenses
 26 related to property management, property repairs, property maintenance,
 27 advertising expenses and property operating expenses.

29 SECTION 7. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by
 30 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made
 31 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions
 32 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures
 33 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and
 34 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this
 35 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of
 36 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied

1 with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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

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16 SECTION 10. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application
17 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall
18 not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given
19 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the
20 provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

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22 SECTION 11. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with
23 this act are hereby repealed.

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25 SECTION 12. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
26 Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
27 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
28 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1999 is essential to the operation of
29 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
30 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
31 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the
32 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
33 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
34 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
35 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1999.

36 /s/ Russ