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A Bill

SENATE BILL 42

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

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9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
10 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF
11 REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNERS FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD
12 ENDING JUNE 30, 2001; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."
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Subtitle

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15 "AN ACT FOR THE STATE BOARD OF
16 REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNERS
17 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1999-2001
18 BIENNIUM."
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the State Board of
24 Registered Interior Designers for the 1999-2001 biennium, the following
25 maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra
26 Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: one (1)
27 temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed
28 those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its
29 successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.
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31 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the State
32 Board of Registered Interior Designers, to be payable from cash funds as
33 defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the State Board of Registered Interior
34 Designers, for personal services and operating expenses of the State Board of
35 Registered Interior Designers for the biennial period ending June 30, 2001,
36 the following:

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ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	1999-2000	2000-2001
(01) EXTRA HELP	\$ 2,000	\$ 2,000
(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	153	153
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	1,175	1,175
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	200	200
(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0	0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 3,528</u>	<u>\$ 3,528</u>

SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. INVESTMENT OPTIONS: The agency, board or commission, to which appropriation in this Act is made, shall consider all possible options available in investing cash fund balances for which it is responsible. Such option investigated shall specifically include the provisions of the Treasury Management Trust Fund option at Arkansas Code beginning at 19-3-602. In the event that the Treasury Management Trust Fund option is not selected, the agency, board, or commission shall report to the State Board of Finance the option selected and the additional benefits accruing by selecting a different option.

SECTION 4. EMPLOYMENT OF ATTORNEYS. None of the funds appropriated in this Act for Maintenance and General Operation shall be expended in payment for services of attorneys, unless the agency shall first make a request in writing to the Attorney General of the State of Arkansas to provide the required legal services. The Attorney General's Office shall provide the requested legal services, or, if the Attorney General's Office shall determine that sufficient personnel are not available to provide the requested legal services, the Attorney General shall certify the same to the agency and may authorize the agency to employ legal counsel and to expend monies appropriated for Maintenance and General Operations therefor, if:

- (1) The Attorney General determines, and certifies in writing, that such agency needs the advice or assistance of legal counsel, and

1 (2) The Attorney General consents in writing to the employment of the
2 legal counsel to be retained by the agency.

3 Such certification shall be required with respect to each instance of
4 the employment of special legal counsel, or shall be required annually with
5 respect to legal counsel employed on a retainer basis. A copy of such
6 certification shall be entered in the official minutes of the agency, and
7 shall be retained in the fiscal records of the agency for audit purposes.
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9 SECTION 5. 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 6. 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 7. 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 8. 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 9. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 10. 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.