State of Arkansas
82nd General Assembly
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A Bill
SENATE BILL 624

By: Senator Gordon

## For An Act To Be Entitled

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRI ATI ON FOR PERSONAL SERVI CES
AND OPERATI NG EXPENSES FOR THE YEAR 2000 PRO ECT, BY
THE DEPARTMENT OF FI NANCE AND ADM NI STRATI ON; AND FOR
OTHER PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

"AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FI NANCE
AND ADM NI STRATI ON - YEAR 2000 PROJ ECT
APPROPRI ATI ON"

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

SECTI ON 1. SUPPLEMENTAL SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Department of Fi nance and Admi ni stration the following maxi mum number of suppl emental employees whose sal aries shall be governed by the provisions of the UniformCl assification Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximmannual sal ary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt fromthe provisions of said UniformClassification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regul ar Sal aries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

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GRADE 26
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES

SECTI ON 2. APPROPRI ATI ON. There is her eby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Admi ni stration, to be payable fromthe State Central Services Fund, for personal services, operations, contracting for, and expenses of the Year 2000 Project, the sum of $\ldots . . .$.

SECTI ON 3. SPECI AL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE I NCORPORATED I NTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLI SHED SEPARATELY AS SPECI AL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW TRANSFERS. Upon certification by state agencies to the Chi ef Fiscal Officer of the State, that appropriation, funds and/ or positions are necessary to be Year 2000 compl iant, the Chi ef Fiscal Officer of the State is hereby authorized to transfer appropriation, funds and/ or positions authorized herei $n$ as may be needed for Year 2000 conversi on activities. After and at such time as the Chi ef Fiscal Officer of the State determines that a need exists, such transfers shall be made to such agencies in accordance with rul es and procedures as may be established by the Chi ef Fiscal Of ficer of the St ate.

SECTI ON 4. SPECI AL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE I NCORPORATED I NTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLI SHED SEPARATELY AS SPECI AL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW CARRY FORWARD. Any bal ance in the appropriation and funds made available by thi s act whi ch remai ns on June 30, $1997 \underline{1999}$ or J une 30, $1998 \underline{2000}$ or both may be carried forward into the next fiscal year, there to be used for the same purpose.

SECTI ON 5. COMPLI ANCE W TH OTHER LAVS. Di sbur sement 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 Regul ar Sal ary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this St ate, where appl i cable, and regul ations promil gated by the Department of Fi nance and Admi ni stration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in di sbursement of said funds.

SECTI ON 6. LEGI SLATI VE I NTENT. It is the intent of the Gener al Assembly
that any funds di sbursed under the authority of the appropriations cont ai ned in this act shall be in compl iance with the stated reasons for whi ch this act was adopted, as evi denced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legisl ative Recommendations contai ned in the budget nanual s prepared by the Department of Fi nance and Admini stration, letters, or summarized or al testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee whi ch rel ate to its passage and adoption.

SECTI ON 7. CODE. Al I provisions of this Act of a gener al and permanent nat ure are amendat ory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annot at ed and the Arkansas Code Revisi on Comissi on shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTI ON 8. SEVERABI LITY. If any provi si on of thi s act or the appl ication thereof to any person or circumstance is hel d i nvalid, such i nval i dity shall not affect ot her provisions or applications of the act whi ch can be gi ven effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are decl ared to be severable.

SECTI ON 9. GENERAL REPEALER. Al I I aws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repeal ed.

SECTI ON 10. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is her eby found and det er mined by the Ei ghty-Second General Assembly that funds provi ded by the General Assembly for the operations of the Department of Fi nance and Administration are, due to unforeseen circumstances, insufficient for the Department of Fi nance and Admini stration to conti nue to provide essential government al services; that the provisions of this act will provide the necessary moni es for the Department of Fi nance and Admi ni strati on to conti nue such services; and that a del ay in the effective date of this Act could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential government al progran\$. Ther ef ore, an emergency is her eby decl ared to exi st and this Act being necessary for the i medi ate preservati on of the publ ic peace, heal th and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

