

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

1 State of Arkansas  
2 82nd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1999  
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As Engrossed: S3/4/99 S4/1/99

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 699

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

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR RESEARCH,  
10 PROMOTION AND CONSUMER ACTIVITIES FOR THE ARKANSAS  
11 CATFISH PROMOTION BOARD BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
12 AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE  
13 BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2001; AND FOR OTHER  
14 PURPOSES. "

## Subtitle

16 "AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
17 AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER  
18 - ARKANSAS CATFISH PROMOTION BOARD  
19 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1999-2001 BIENNIUM. "  
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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25 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS CATFISH PROMOTION BOARD. There is  
26 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -  
27 Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the Arkansas Catfish Promotion Fund,  
28 for promotion, research and consumer information for the Arkansas Catfish  
29 Promotion Board by the Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing  
30 Officer for the biennial period ending June 30, 2001, the following:  
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ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	1999-2000	2000-2001
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 12,000	\$ 12,336
(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	3,360	3,454
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		

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1	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	14,000	14,000
2	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0	0
3	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
4	(D) CAP. OUTLAYS	0	0
5	(E) DATA PROC.	0	0
6	(04) PROMOTIONAL ACTIVITIES	120,833	120,833
7	(05) RESEARCH/DEVELOPMENT	60,417	60,417
8	(06) CONSUMER INFORMATION	<u>18,750</u>	<u>18,750</u>
9	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 229,360</u>	<u>\$ 229,790</u>

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11 SECTION 2. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Arkansas  
 12 Catfish Promotion Board for the 1999-2001 biennium, the following maximum  
 13 number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions  
 14 of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201  
 15 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided,  
 16 however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set  
 17 out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform  
 18 Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions  
 19 authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular  
 20 Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its  
 21 successor.

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23			Maximum Annual	
24			Salary Rate	
25	Item Class		No. of	Fiscal Years
26	No. Code Title		Employees	1999-2000 2000-2001
27	(1) EXECUTIVE DIR. CATFISH PROMOTION BRD	<u>1</u>	\$12,000	\$12,336
28	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1		

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30 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by  
 31 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made  
 32 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions  
 33 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures  
 34 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and  
 35 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this  
 36 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of

1 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied  
2 with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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13 SECTION 5. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent  
14 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas  
15 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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17 SECTION 6. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application  
18 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall  
19 not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given  
20 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the  
21 provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

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23 SECTION 7. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with  
24 this act are hereby repealed.

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26 SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
27 Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas  
28 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that  
29 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1999 is essential to the operation of  
30 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
31 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
32 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the  
33 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
34 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
35 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
36 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1999.

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