State of Arkansas 1 A Bill 2 82nd General Assembly 3 Regular Session, 1999 SENATE BILL 80 4 5 By: Joint Budget Committee 6 7 For An Act To Be Entitled 8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES 9 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE 10 THERAPY FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2001; 11 12 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES." 13 Subtitle 14 "AN ACT FOR THE STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE 15 16 THERAPY APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1999-2001 BI ENNI UM. " 17 18 19 20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS: 21 22 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the State Board of Massage Therapy for the 1999-2001 biennium, the following maximum 23 24 number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 25 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. 26 however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set 27 28 out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform 29 Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular 30 31 Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its 32 successor. 33 34 Maximum Annual 35 Salary Rate Maxi mum 36 No. of Fiscal Years Item Class

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1	No.	Code	Title	Employees	1999-2000	2000-2001
2	(1)	7203	THERAPY TECHNOLOGY SECRETARY	1	\$21, 964	\$22, 578
3		MAX.	NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1		

SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the State Board of Massage Therapy, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the State Board of Massage Therapy, for personal services and operating expenses of the State Board of Massage Therapy for the biennial period ending June 30, 2001, the following:

11	ITEM		FISCAL	YEARS
12	NO.		1999-2000	2000-2001
13	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$	21, 964 \$	22, 579
14	(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING		7, 118	7, 227
15	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION			
16	(A) OPER. EXPENSE		31, 840	31, 840
17	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL		0	0
18	(C) PROF. FEES		0	0
19	(D) CAP. OUTLAY		0	0
20	(E) DATA PROC.		<u>O</u>	0
21	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$</u>	60, 922 \$	61, 646

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 options investigated shall specifically include the provisions of the Treasury Management Trust Fund option beginning at Arkansas Code 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

- 1 to the Attorney General of the State of Arkansas to provide the required legal
- 2 services. The Attorney General's Office shall provide the requested legal
- 3 services, or, if the Attorney General's Office shall determine that sufficient
- 4 personnel are not available to provide the requested legal services, the
- 5 Attorney General shall certify the same to the agency and may authorize the
- 6 agency to employ legal counsel and to expend monies appropriated for
- 7 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
 - (2) The Attorney General consents in writing to the employment of the legal counsel to be retained by the agency.

Such certification shall be required with respect to each instance of the employment of special legal counsel, or shall be required annually with respect to legal counsel employed on a retainer basis. A copy of such certification shall be entered in the official minutes of the agency, and shall be retained in the fiscal records of the agency for audit purposes.

SECTION 5. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement 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 Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

1	SECTION 7. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent
2	nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas
3	Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.
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5	SECTION 8. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application
6	thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall
7	not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given
8	effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the
9	provisions of this act are declared to be severable.
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11	SECTION 9. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with
12	this act are hereby repealed.
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14	SECTION 10. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
15	Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
16	prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
17	the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1999 is essential to the operation of
18	the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
19	the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
20	date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the
21	proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
22	Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
23	necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
24	safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1999.
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