

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 83rd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2001

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1499

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

9 AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 3-2-203 TO REMOVE THE
10 SPECIAL TRAVEL ALLOWANCE OF ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$100)
11 PER MONTH ENTITLEMENT FOR THE DIRECTOR, ASSISTANT
12 DIRECTOR, AND ABC ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER
13 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 TO REMOVE THE \$100 PER MONTH SPECIAL
16 TRAVEL ALLOWANCE FOR THE ABC ENFORCEMENT
17 DIVISION DIRECTOR, ASSISTANT DIRECTOR
18 AND ABC ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 3-2-203 is amended to read as follows:

25 3-2-203. Enforcement division – Director and staff.

26 (a) The Director of the Enforcement Division of Alcoholic Beverage
27 Control shall be appointed by the Director of the Department of
28 Finance and Administration and shall serve at his pleasure.

29 (b) All enforcement personnel of the division shall be named by the head
30 of the division.

31 ~~(c) (1) In addition to the regular reimbursement allowance for expenses~~
32 ~~and other expenditures received by Alcoholic Beverage Control~~
33 ~~enforcement officers, each Alcoholic Beverage Control officer,~~
34 ~~including the Director and Assistant Director of the Alcoholic~~
35 ~~Beverage Control Enforcement Division, shall be entitled to a special~~
36 ~~travel allowance of one hundred dollars (\$100) per month. However, no~~

1 ~~Alcoholic Beverage Control enforcement officer shall receive regular~~
2 ~~reimbursement for expenses until documentation is provided showing~~
3 ~~reimbursable expenses have exceeded one hundred dollars (\$100).~~
4 ~~(2) It is the intent of the General Assembly that amounts claimed and~~
5 ~~disbursed under the provisions of this subsection be for actual expenses~~
6 ~~incurred and documented and not as a form of salary supplement.~~

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8 SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
9 Assembly that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
10 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
11 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2001 is essential to the operation of the
12 agency in providing reimbursement allowance and expenses of ABC Enforcement
13 officers, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the
14 delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2001 could work
15 irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential
16 governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this
17 act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace,
18 health and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2001.

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