

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 86th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2007  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1511

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATE  
10 EMPLOYEE CLAIMS FOR THE STATE INSURANCE  
11 DEPARTMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN  
12 ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 2036  
13 OF 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE STATE INSURANCE  
17 DEPARTMENT - STATE EMPLOYEE CLAIMS  
18 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION.  
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - STATE EMPLOYEE CLAIMS. There is hereby  
25 appropriated, to the State Insurance Department, to be payable from the  
26 Workers' Compensation Revolving Fund, for the payment of state employee  
27 claims by the State Insurance Department which shall be supplemental and in  
28 addition to those funds appropriated in Section 14 of Act 2036 of 2005, the  
29 following:  
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ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
(01) STATE EMPLOYEE CLAIMS	<u>\$ 1,000,000</u>

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35 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized  
36 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds



1 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the  
 2 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
 3 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
 4 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
 5 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
 6 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
 7 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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 9 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
 10 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
 11 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
 12 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
 13 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
 14 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
 15 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or  
 16 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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 18 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
 19 Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of  
 20 the State Insurance Department are, due to unforeseen circumstances,  
 21 insufficient for the State Insurance Department to continue to provide  
 22 essential governmental services; that the provisions of this act will provide  
 23 the necessary monies for the State Insurance Department to continue such  
 24 services; and that a delay in the effective date of this Act could work  
 25 irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential  
 26 governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist  
 27 and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public  
 28 peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the  
 29 date of its passage and approval.

30 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become  
 31 effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor  
 32 may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is  
 33 overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides  
 34 the veto.