

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

A Bill

SENATE BILL 134

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL
10 SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF
11 THE GOVERNOR WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN
12 ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1030
13 OF 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
17 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION.
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for
24 the Office of the Governor the following maximum number of regular employees
25 which shall be supplemental and in addition to those positions authorized in
26 Section 1 of Act 1030 of 2005 and whose salaries shall be governed by the
27 provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code
28 §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto.
29 Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual
30 salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of
31 said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying
32 positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the
33 Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101),
34 or its successor.
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36 Maximum Annual



Item	Class	Maximum	Salary Rate
No.	Code Title	No. of	Fiscal Year
		Employees	2006-2007
(1)	7277 GOV OFC SR EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	1	\$81,869
(2)	7076 GOV OFC ADMIN ASSISTANT III	2	\$45,407
(3)	7282 GOV OFC ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	<u>2</u>	\$38,746
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES		5	

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9 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to
 10 the Office of the Governor, to be payable from the State Central Services
 11 Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of the
 12 Governor which shall be supplemental and in addition to those funds
 13 appropriated in Section 3 of Act 1030 of 2005, the following:

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ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2006-2007
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 125,091
(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	26,055
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	447,245
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 598,391</u>

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27 SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 28 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SALARIES.
 29 In order that exceptionally well-qualified personnel may be recruited and
 30 retained, the Office of the Governor may exceed the maximum salary levels by
 31 no more than twenty percent (20%) for no more than one-third (1/3) of the
 32 positions authorized in Act 1030 of 2005 after receiving approval from the
 33 Arkansas Legislative Council.

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35 SECTION 4. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 36 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. PAYMENT

1 OF SALARIES. Salaries as authorized in Section 1 of this Act shall be in
 2 effect from and after January 8, 2007.

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 4 SECTION 5. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized
 5 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds
 6 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the
 7 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
 8 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
 9 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
 10 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
 11 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
 12 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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 23 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
 24 Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of
 25 the Office of the Governor are, due to unforeseen circumstances, insufficient
 26 for the Office of the Governor to continue to provide essential governmental
 27 services; that the provisions of this act will provide the necessary monies
 28 for the Office of the Governor to continue such services; and that a delay in
 29 the effective date of this Act could work irreparable harm upon the proper
 30 administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore,
 31 an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the
 32 immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in
 33 full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.
 34 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become
 35 effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor
 36 may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is

1 overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides
2 the veto.

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