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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1063

By: Joint Budget Committee

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL
SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS
BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR
ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF
PODIATRIC MEDICINE - PERSONAL SERVICES
AND OPERATING EXPENSES APPROPRIATION FOR
THE 2009-2010 FISCAL YEAR.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2009-2010</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 600
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	46
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	4,052
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0



1	(C) PROF. FEES	250
2	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
3	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
4	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ <u>4,948</u>

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6 SECTION 2. EMPLOYMENT OF ATTORNEYS. None of the funds appropriated in

7 this Act for Maintenance and General Operation shall be expended in payment

8 for services of attorneys, unless the agency shall first make a request in

9 writing to the Attorney General of the State of Arkansas to provide the

10 required legal services. The Attorney General's Office shall provide the

11 requested legal services, or, if the Attorney General's Office shall

12 determine that sufficient personnel are not available to provide the

13 requested legal services, the Attorney General shall certify the same to the

14 agency and may authorize the agency to employ legal counsel and to expend

15 monies appropriated for Maintenance and General Operations therefor, if:

16 (1) The Attorney General determines, and certifies in writing, that such

17 agency needs the advice or assistance of legal counsel, and

18 (2) The Attorney General consents in writing to the employment of the

19 legal counsel to be retained by the agency.

20 Such certification shall be required with respect to each instance of the

21 employment of special legal counsel, or shall be required annually with

22 respect to legal counsel employed on a retainer basis. A copy of such

23 certification shall be entered in the official minutes of the agency, and

24 shall be retained in the fiscal records of the agency for audit purposes.

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26 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized

27 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds

28 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the

29 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and

30 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary

31 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal

32 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by

33 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be

34 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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36 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly

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

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9 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
10 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
11 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
12 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2009 is essential to the operation of
13 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
14 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
15 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2009 could work irreparable harm upon the
16 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
17 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
18 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
19 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2009.