

1 State of Arkansas
2 87th General Assembly
3 Fiscal Session, 2010
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A Bill

SENATE BILL 57

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 ARKANSAS
11 ETHICS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE
12 30, 2011; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS ETHICS
16 COMMISSION APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2010-
17 2011 FISCAL YEAR.
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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 Arkansas Ethics Commission for the 2010-2011 fiscal year, the following
25 maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the
26 provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code
27 §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto.
28 Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual
29 salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of
30 said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying
31 positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the
32 Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101),
33 or its successor.
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35 Maximum Annual
36 Maximum Salary Rate



| Item | Class | No. of | Fiscal Year | |
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| No. | Code | Title | Employees | 2010-2011 |
| (1) | U092U | ETHICS COMMISSION DIRECTOR | 1 | \$92,348 |
| (2) | G047C | ATTORNEY SPECIALIST | 2 | GRADE C126 |
| (3) | D057C | INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGER | 1 | GRADE C120 |
| (4) | X068C | ETHICS COMMISSION COMPLIANCE SPEC | 2 | GRADE C119 |
| (5) | C022C | BUSINESS OPERATIONS SPECIALIST | 1 | GRADE C116 |
| (6) | C056C | ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III | <u>2</u> | GRADE C112 |
| | | MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES | 9 | |

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11 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for the
 12 Arkansas Ethics Commission for the 2010-2011 fiscal year, the following
 13 maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra
 14 Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2)
 15 temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed
 16 those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its
 17 successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

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19 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to
 20 the Arkansas Ethics Commission, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies
 21 Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas
 22 Ethics Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2011, the following:

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| ITEM | FISCAL YEAR |
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| NO. | 2010-2011 |
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES | \$ 455,979 |
| (02) EXTRA HELP | 1,500 |
| (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING | 131,374 |
| (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION | |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE | 88,898 |
| (B) CONF. & TRAVEL | 3,000 |
| (C) PROF. FEES | 0 |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY | 0 |
| (E) DATA PROC. | <u>0</u> |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED | <u>\$ 680,751</u> |

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

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 11 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
 12 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
 13 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
 14 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
 15 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
 16 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
 17 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
 18 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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 20 SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
 21 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
 22 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
 23 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2010 is essential to the operation of
 24 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
 25 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
 26 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2010 could work irreparable harm
 27 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
 28 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
 29 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
 30 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2010.