

State of Arkansas  
89th General Assembly  
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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1022

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 STATE BOARD  
OF ATHLETIC TRAINING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE  
30, 2015; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF  
ATHLETIC TRAINING APPROPRIATION FOR THE  
2014-2015 FISCAL YEAR.

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

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
Arkansas State Board of Athletic Training, to be payable from the cash fund  
deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of  
the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas State  
Board of Athletic Training for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2015, the  
following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2014-2015
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$480
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	37
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	15,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	5,000



1	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
2	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
3	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$20,517</u></u>

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5       SECTION 2. EMPLOYMENT OF ATTORNEYS. None of the funds appropriated in  
6 this Act for Maintenance and General Operation shall be expended in payment  
7 for services of attorneys, unless the agency shall first make a request in  
8 writing to the Attorney General of the State of Arkansas to provide the  
9 required legal services. The Attorney General's Office shall provide the  
10 requested legal services, or, if the Attorney General's Office shall  
11 determine that sufficient personnel are not available to provide the  
12 requested legal services, the Attorney General shall certify the same to the  
13 agency and may authorize the agency to employ legal counsel and to expend  
14 monies appropriated for Maintenance and General Operations therefor, if:

15       (1) The Attorney General determines, and certifies in writing, that  
16 such agency needs the advice or assistance of legal counsel, and

17       (2) The Attorney General consents in writing to the employment of the  
18 legal counsel to be retained by the agency.

19       Such certification shall be required with respect to each instance of  
20 the employment of special legal counsel, or shall be required annually with  
21 respect to legal counsel employed on a retainer basis. A copy of such  
22 certification shall be entered in the official minutes of the agency, and  
23 shall be retained in the fiscal records of the agency for audit purposes.

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25       SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
26 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
27 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
28 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
29 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
30 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
31 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
32 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
33 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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35       SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
36 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations

1 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
2 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
3 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
4 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
5 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
6 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.  
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8 SECTION 5. 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 one (1) year period; that the  
11 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2014 is essential to the operation of  
12 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
13 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the  
14 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2014 could work irreparable harm  
15 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
16 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
17 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health  
18 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2014.  
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