

1 State of Arkansas
2 90th General Assembly
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A Bill

SENATE BILL 657

5 By: Senator J. Hutchinson
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
9 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL
10 SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2016;
11 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL
15 SERVICES APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2015-2016
16 FISCAL YEAR.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the
23 Department of Rural Services for the 2015-2016 fiscal year, the following
24 maximum number of regular employees.
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Item		Maximum	Maximum Annual
No.	Title	No. of	Salary Rate
		Employees	Fiscal Year
			2015-2016
(1)	GRANTS ANALYST	<u>1</u>	GRADE C129
	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1	

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33 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the
34 Department of Rural Services, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies
35 Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department
36 of Rural Services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the following:



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2	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
3	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2015-2016</u>
4	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$60,000
5	(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	16,800
6	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
7	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	5,000
8	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
9	(C) PROF. FEES	0
10	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	2,000
11	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
12	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$83,800</u></u>
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14 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
 15 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
 16 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
 17 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
 18 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
 19 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
 20 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
 21 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
 22 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

24 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
 25 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
 26 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
 27 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
 28 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
 29 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
 30 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
 31 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

33 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
 34 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
 35 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
 36 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2015 is essential to the operation of

1 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
2 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
3 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2015 could work irreparable harm
4 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
5 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
6 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
7 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2015.

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