1	State of Arkansas 92nd General Assembly	A Bill	
2	Fiscal Session, 2020		SENATE BILL 86
4	1 iscar 50s5ion, 2020		SEIWITE BILL 00
5	By: Joint Budget Committee		
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7		For An Act To Be Entitled	
8	AN ACT TO MA	AKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL	SERVICES
9	AND OPERATIN	IG EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF	
10	TRANSFORMATI	ON AND SHARED SERVICES FOR THE FI	ISCAL
11	YEAR ENDING	JUNE 30, 2021; AND FOR OTHER PURE	POSES.
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14		Subtitle	
15	AN ACT	FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF	
16	TRANSF	ORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES	
17	APPROP	RIATION FOR THE 2020-2021 FISCAL	
18	YEAR.		
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21	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GEN	NERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARE	KANSAS:
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23		R SALARIES - SHARED SERVICES. The	•
24	_	artment of Transformation and Shar	
25	2020-2021 fiscal year, t	the following maximum number of re	egular employees.
2 6			
27			Maximum Annual
28	Thom: 01	Maximum	Salary Rate
29	Item Class	No. of	Fiscal Year
30 31	No. Code Title (1) SC014 SEC OF TRAN	Employees	2020-2021 GRADE SE05
32	MAX. NO. OF EMPLO	NSFORMATION & SHARED SVCS1 DYEES 1	GRADE SEUS
33	TIAN. NO. OF LITTLE	,11110	
34	SECTION 2. APPROPE	RIATION - SHARED SERVICES PAYING A	ACCOUNT. There is
35		the Department of Transformation	
36		paying account as determined by the	

2 personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Transformation

and Shared Services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021, the following:

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5	ITEM		FISCAL YEAR
6	NO.		2020-2021
7	(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	\$155,916
8	(02)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	39,659
9	(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
10		(A) OPER. EXPENSE	0
11		(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
12		(C) PROF. FEES	0
13		(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
14		(E) DATA PROC.	0
15	(04)	SHARED SERVICES PROGRAMS	0
16		TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$195,575</u>

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SECTION 3. REGULAR SALARIES - ADMINISTRATION. There is hereby established for the Department of Transformation and Shared Services for the 2020-2021 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

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22				Maximum Annual
23			Maximum	Salary Rate
24	Item	Class	No. of	Fiscal Year
25	No.	Code Title	Employees	2020-2021
26	(1)	U016U ACE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE03
27	(2)	D033C DFA ERP ANALYST	1	GRADE IT06
28	(3)	DO38C SENIOR SOFTWARE SUPPORT ANALYST	1	GRADE IT06
29	(4)	D052C SOFTWARE SUPPORT ANALYST	1	GRADE IT05
30	(5)	D065C NETWORK SUPPORT ANALYST	1	GRADE IT04
31	(6)	RO40C DFA STATEWIDE PROGRAM MANAGER	1	GRADE GS13
32	(7)	RO41C DFA STATEWISE PROGRAM COORDINATOR	R 1	GRADE GS11
33	(8)	A038C FISCAL SUPPORT MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
34		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	8	

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SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - ADMINISTRATION OPERATIONS. There is hereby

1 appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be

2 payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal services and

3 operating expenses of the Department of Transformation and Shared Services -

4 Administration Services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021, the

5 following:

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7	ITEM		FISCAL YEAR
8	NO.		2020-2021
9	(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	\$567,357
10	(02)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	169,295
11	(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
12		(A) OPER. EXPENSE	875,000
13		(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	25,000
14		(C) PROF. FEES	100,000
15		(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
16		(E) DATA PROC.	0
17		TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$1,736,652

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SECTION 5. REGULAR SALARIES - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES. There is hereby established for the Department of Transformation and Shared Services for the 2020-2021 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

24				Maximum Annual
25			Maximum	Salary Rate
26	Item	Class	No. of	Fiscal Year
27	No.	Code Title	Employees	2020-2021
28	(1)	NO31N DFA STATE PROCUREMENT ADMINIS	STRATOR 1	GRADE SE02
29	(2)	NO32N DFA STATE PERSONNEL ADMINISTR	RATOR 1	GRADE SE02
30	(3)	NO36N DFA EBD ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE SE02
31	(4)	D012N DFA DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE SE01
32	(5)	L038C REGISTERED NURSE	1	GRADE MP01
33	(6)	DO11C DFA ERP SYSTEM MANAGER	1	GRADE IT09
34	(7)	D033C DFA ERP ANALYST	1	GRADE IT06
35	(8)	ROO1C DFA ASST PERSONNEL ADMINISTRA	ATOR 3	GRADE GS15
36	(9)	R003C DFA ASST EBD ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE GS15

1	(10)	V001C DFA ASST PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATOR	2	GRADE GS15
2	(11)	A010C AGENCY CONTROLLER II	1	GRADE GS13
3	(12)	RO40C DFA STATEWIDE PROGRAM MANAGER	2	GRADE GS13
4	(13)	V003C DFA PROCUREMENT DIVISION MANAGER	2	GRADE GS12
5	(14)	G047C ATTORNEY SPECIALIST	3	GRADE GS11
6	(15)	RO41C DFA STATEWIDE PROGRAM COORDINATOR	13	GRADE GS11
7	(16)	RO43C DFA STATEWIDE PROGRAM SPECIALIST	8	GRADE GS09
8	(17)	V034C DFA STATEWIDE PROCUREMENT COORD.	7	GRADE GS09
9	(18)	X038C QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
10	(19)	G093C OPERATIONS MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08
11	(20)	R028C DFA STATEWIDE PAYROLL SYS SPECIALIST	4	GRADE GS08
12	(21)	V035C DFA STATEWIDE PROCUREMENT SPECIALIST	20	GRADE GS08
13	(22)	A065C PAYROLL SERVICES COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS07
14	(23)	P013C PUBLIC INFORMATION COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS07
15	(24)	R018C DFA EBD PROGRAM SUPERVISOR	5	GRADE GS07
16	(25)	A074C FISCAL SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
17	(26)	B076C RESEARCH PROJECT ANALYST	2	GRADE GS06
18	(27)	CO37C ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	3	GRADE GS06
19	(28)	M066C PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS06
20	(29)	R022C BENEFITS COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS06
21	(30)	R034C DFA EBD BENEFITS SPECIALIST	21	GRADE GS06
22	(31)	VO10C DFA BUYER	2	GRADE GS06
23	(32)	V033C DFA OSP SURPLUS PROPERTY SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE GS06
24	(33)	A091C FISCAL SUPPORT ANALYST	1	GRADE GS05
25	(34)	RO33C BENEFITS ANALYST	15	GRADE GS05
26	(35)	A098C FISCAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST	2	GRADE GS04
27	(36)	CO56C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	7	GRADE GS04
28	(37)	C057C ADMINISTRATION SUPPORT SPECIALIST	2	GRADE GS04
29	(38)	VO21C SURPLUS PROPERTY AGENT	9	GRADE GS04
30	(39)	CO59C DFA SERVICE REPRESENTATIVE	4	GRADE GS03
31	(39)	CO73C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	4	GRADE GS03
32		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	159	

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SECTION 6. EXTRA HELP - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Transformation and Shared Services for the 2020-2021 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary

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    employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated
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    herein for such purposes: ten (10) temporary or part-time employees, when
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    needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform
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    Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the
 5
     appropriate classification.
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           SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - OFFICES OF
8
     PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT AND STATE PROCUREMENT OPERATIONS. There is hereby
9
     appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be
10
    payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal services and
11
     operating expenses of the Department of Transformation and Shared Services -
12
    Statewide Shared Services - Office of Personnel Management and Office of
13
    State Procurement for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021, the following:
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    ITEM
                                                                     FISCAL YEAR
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     NO.
                                                                       2020-2021
17
     (01)
          REGULAR SALARIES
                                                                      $4,879,074
18
     (02)
          EXTRA HELP
                                                                          11,512
19
          PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING
                                                                       1,556,540
     (03)
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     (04)
          MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION
21
           (A) OPER. EXPENSE
                                                                         426,500
22
           (B) CONF. & TRAVEL
                                                                          17,600
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           (C) PROF. FEES
                                                                           8,500
                                                                               0
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           (D) CAP. OUTLAY
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           (E) DATA PROC.
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           TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED
                                                                      $6,899,726
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           SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - EMPLOYEE
29
    BENEFITS DIVISION OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
30
    Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the
31
    State Central Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of
32
     the Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Statewide Shared
33
     Services - Employee Benefits Division for the fiscal year ending June 30,
34
     2021, the following:
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FISCAL YEAR

1 <u>NO.</u>		2020-2021		
2 (01)	REGULAR SALARIES	\$1,491,229		
3 (02)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	501,271		
4 (03)	OVERTIME	5,000		
5 (04)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION			
6	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	1,130,172		
7	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	4,000		
8	(C) PROF. FEES	54,089		
9	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0		
0	(E) DATA PROC.	0		
1	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$3,185,761</u>		
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3	SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERV	/ICES - MISCELLANEOUS		
4 CASH	. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department	t of Transformation and		
5 Shar	ed Services, to be payable from the cash fund depo	osited in the State		
6 Trea	sury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of	the State, for personal		
7 serv	ices and operating expenses of the Department of I	Transformation and		
, serv	Shared Services - Statewide Shared Services - Miscellaneous Cash for the			
	ed Services - Statewide Shared Services - Miscella	aneous Cash for the		
8 Shar	ed Services - Statewide Shared Services - Miscella al year ending June 30, 2021, the following:	aneous Cash for the		
8 Shar		aneous Cash for the		
8 Shar 9 fisc	al year ending June 30, 2021, the following:	aneous Cash for the FISCAL YEAR		
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8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 <u>NO.</u>	al year ending June 30, 2021, the following: REGULAR SALARIES	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 <u>NO.</u> 3 (01)	al year ending June 30, 2021, the following: REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 <u>NO.</u> 3 (01) 4 (02)	al year ending June 30, 2021, the following: REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 <u>NO.</u> 3 (01) 4 (02) 5 (03)	al year ending June 30, 2021, the following: REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790 313,958		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 <u>NO.</u> 3 (01) 4 (02) 5 (03)	REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790 313,958		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 <u>NO.</u> 3 (01) 4 (02) 5 (03) 6	REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790 313,958 853,222 71,800		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 NO. 3 (01) 4 (02) 5 (03) 6 7	REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE (B) CONF. & TRAVEL (C) PROF. FEES	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790 313,958 853,222 71,800 20,000		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 NO. 3 (01) 4 (02) 5 (03) 6 7 8	REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE (B) CONF. & TRAVEL (C) PROF. FEES (D) CAP. OUTLAY (E) DATA PROC.	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790 313,958 853,222 71,800 20,000 0		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 NO. 3 (01) 4 (02) 5 (03) 6 7 8 9	REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE (B) CONF. & TRAVEL (C) PROF. FEES (D) CAP. OUTLAY (E) DATA PROC. REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790 313,958 853,222 71,800 20,000 0 0		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 <u>NO.</u> 3 (01) 4 (02) 5 (03) 6 7 8 9 0 1 (04)	REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE (B) CONF. & TRAVEL (C) PROF. FEES (D) CAP. OUTLAY (E) DATA PROC. REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790 313,958 853,222 71,800 20,000 0 0 717,700		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 NO. 3 (01) 4 (02) 5 (03) 6 7 8 9 0 1 (04) 2 (05)	REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE (B) CONF. & TRAVEL (C) PROF. FEES (D) CAP. OUTLAY (E) DATA PROC. REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS EXTERNAL CONSULTANT CONTRACTS	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790 313,958 853,222 71,800 20,000 0 717,700 1,500,000		
8 Shar 9 fisc 0 1 ITEM 2 NO. 3 (01) 4 (02) 5 (03) 6 7 8 9 0 1 (04) 2 (05) 3	REGULAR SALARIES PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION (A) OPER. EXPENSE (B) CONF. & TRAVEL (C) PROF. FEES (D) CAP. OUTLAY (E) DATA PROC. REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS EXTERNAL CONSULTANT CONTRACTS	FISCAL YEAR 2020-2021 \$858,790 313,958 853,222 71,800 20,000 0 717,700 1,500,000 \$4,335,470		

1	Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Property Sales		
2	Holding Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department		
3	of Transformation and Shared Services - Statewide Shared Services - Marketing		
4	and Redistribution for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021, t	he following:	
5			
6	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR	
7	NO.	2020-2021	
8	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$516,503	
9	(02) EXTRA HELP	5,000	
10	(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	200,130	
11	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
12	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	358,605	
13	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	1,000	
14	(C) PROF. FEES	24,000	
15	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	120,000	
16	(E) DATA PROC.	0	
17	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$1,225,238	
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19	SECTION 11. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - 1	PURCHASE AND	
20	CORPORATE TRAVEL CARD PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated,	to the	
21	Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable	e from the	
22	Purchase and Corporate Travel Card Program Fund, for providing	appropriation	
23	to allow for rebates coming into the State from vendor banks as	nd for	
24	distribution to participating agencies and for operating expens	ses connected	
25	with the administration of the program by the Department of Tra	ansformation	
26	and Shared Services - Statewide Shared Services - Purchase and	Corporate	
27	Travel Card Program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2021,	the following:	
28			
29	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR	
30	NO.	2020-2021	
31	(01) REGUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	\$4,000,000	
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33	SECTION 12. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - 1	INFORMATION	
33 34	SECTION 12. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - TECHNOLOGY. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of		
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Т	of fransformation and Shared Services for the fiscal year ending June 30,
2	2021, the following:
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4	ITEM FISCAL YEAR
5	NO. 2020-2021
6	(01) INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES \$600,000
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8	SECTION 13. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
9	CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SHARED
10	SERVICES.
11	(a)(1)(A) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may create paying
12	accounts on his or her books and on the books of the Treasurer of State and
13	the Auditor of State for the payment of personal services and operating
14	expenses by the Department of Transformation and Shared Services.
15	(B) Upon prior approval of the Arkansas Legislative Council, or
16	if meeting in Legislative Session the Joint Budget Committee, the Chief
17	Fiscal Officer of the State shall direct the transfer of funds and
18	appropriations to the Shared Services Paying Account appropriation section of
19	this act and the transfer of positions to the Regular Salaries — Shared
20	Services appropriation section of this act on the books of the Treasurer of
21	State, the Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.
22	(2) The transfer authority provided in subdivision (a)(1) of
23	this section for efficiencies and to eliminate duplication of services are
24	limited only to those services that are provided for multiple divisions of \underline{a}
25	department, including without limitation to administration, human resources,
26	procurement, communications, fleet operations, and information services.
27	(3) The transfer authority provided to the department in
28	subdivision (a)(1) of this section may be used to make transfers only within
29	the department's appropriation act or between other appropriation acts
30	authorized for the department.
31	(b)(1) Each department utilizing the Shared Services Paying Account
32	section or Regular Salaries — Shared Services section of this act shall
33	submit a report to be included in the Budget Manuals for hearings, conducted
34	by the General Assembly, listing all shared services transfers of positions,
35	funds, and appropriation under this section, which shall be submitted as
36	instructed by the Department of Finance and Administration - Office of Budget

- 1 for uniformity.
 2 (2) A report submitted under subdivision (b)(1) of this section
 3 shall include the following:
 4 (A) The position number, authorized position title, class
 5 code, grade, business area, and name of the division, section, or unit for
 6 the position being transferred to the Regular Salaries Shared Services
- 6 the position being transferred to the Regular Salaries Shared Services
 7 section of this act; and

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- 8 (B) The fund center, appropriation, appropriation amount,
 9 commitment item or items, business area, and name of the division, section,
 10 or unit for the fund or appropriation being transferred to the Shared
 11 Services Paying Account.
 - (c)(1) It is the intent of the Ninety-Second General Assembly that the authority under this section to transfer positions is intended for use for the time period prior to Fiscal Year 2022 to allow cabinet-level departments to establish a centralized Regular Salaries Shared Services section, with the recommendation that the position transfer authority granted under this section be discontinued after that time.
 - (2) The Bureau of Legislative Research shall bring the recommendation in subdivision (c)(1) of this section to the attention of the chairs conducting the 2021 Regular Session pre-session budget hearings, the chairs of the Special Language Subcommittee, and the members of the Special Language Subcommittee during pre-session budget hearings.
- 23 (d) Determining the maximum number of employees and the maximum amount 24 of appropriation and general revenue funding for a cabinet-level department 25 each fiscal year is the prerogative of the General Assembly and is usually 26 accomplished by delineating the maximums in the appropriation act or acts and 27 establishing authorized positions and the general revenue allocations 28 authorized for each fund and fund account by amendment to the Revenue Stabilization Law. Further, the General Assembly has determined that the 29 30 cabinet-level departments created under Acts 2019, No. 910, may operate more 31 efficiently if some flexibility is provided as authorized under this section. 32 Therefore, it is both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight by requiring prior approval of the Legislative Council or, 33
- if the General Assembly is in session, the Joint Budget Committee, as
- 35 provided by this section. The requirement of approval by the Legislative
- 36 <u>Council or Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of this section.</u>

- 1 If the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget 2 Committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, 3 this entire section is void. 4 (e) The provisions of this section shall be in effect from the date of 5 passage through June 30, 2021. 6 7 SECTION 14. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds 8 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency 9 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and 10 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and 11 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary 12 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal 13 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by 14 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be 15 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds. 16 17 SECTION 15. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General 18 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations 19 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for 20 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive 21 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget 22 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or 23 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative 24 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption. 25 26 SECTION 16. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the 27 General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits 28 the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2020 is essential to the operation of 29
- the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2020 could work irreparable harm

the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in

 $\underline{\text{upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental}}$

- 34 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
- 35 <u>being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health</u>
- 36 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2020.