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SENATE BILL 195

5 By: Joint Budget Committee
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL
9 SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUDITOR
10 OF STATE OPERATIONS AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY
11 PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2012;
12 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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15 AN ACT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE -
16 OPERATIONS AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM
17 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2011-2012 FISCAL
18 YEAR.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established
25 for the Auditor of State for the 2011-2012 fiscal year, the following maximum
26 number of regular employees.
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Item No.	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2011-2012
32 (1)	DEPUTY AUDITOR	1	\$106,226
33 (2)	CHIEF DEPUTY	1	\$106,226
34 (3)	DP PROGRAMMER	1	\$88,281
35 (4)	DP MANAGER / ANALYST	1	\$88,281
36 (5)	ACCOUNTING MANAGER	1	\$88,281



1	(6)	DP SPECIALIST	2	\$70,671
2	(7)	ACCOUNTING TECH II	2	\$70,671
3	(8)	DIVISION MANAGER	1	\$62,255
4	(9)	TECH SPECIALIST III	1	\$59,403
5	(10)	EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	1	\$59,403
6	(11)	CLERICAL TECH III	4	\$57,959
7	(12)	CLERICAL TECH II	2	\$51,798
8	(13)	TECHNICAL SPECIALIST	1	\$44,098
9	(14)	WARRANT CLERK	5	\$42,804
10	(15)	CLERICAL TECH I	<u>2</u>	\$38,264
11		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	26	

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13 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for
 14 the Auditor of State for the 2011-2012 fiscal year, the following maximum
 15 number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help",
 16 payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: fifteen (15)
 17 temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed
 18 those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its
 19 successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

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21 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated,
 22 to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund,
 23 for personal services and operating expenses of the Auditor of State for the
 24 fiscal year ending June 30, 2012, the following:

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26	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
27	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>
28	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$1,611,118
29	(02) EXTRA HELP	12,713
30	(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	447,622
31	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
32	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	534,187
33	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	30,000
34	(C) PROF. FEES	2,500
35	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	25,000
36	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>

1 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$2,663,140

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 3 SECTION 4. REGULAR SALARIES - UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM. There is
 4 hereby established for the Auditor of State - Unclaimed Property Program for
 5 the 2011-2012 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.
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7			Maximum Annual
8		Maximum	Salary Rate
9	Item	No. of	Fiscal Year
10	<u>No.</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Employees</u>
11	(1)	UCP MANAGER	1 \$77,830
12	(2)	UCP ADMIN. ASSISTANT	1 \$67,869
13	(3)	UCP TECH III	1 \$64,081
14	(4)	UCP TECH III	1 \$63,387
15	(5)	UCP TECH II	1 \$55,200
16	(6)	UCP TECH I	2 \$49,466
17	(7)	UCP TECH	<u>2</u> \$46,963
18	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES		9

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 20 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM. There is hereby
 21 appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the State Central
 22 Services Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Auditor of
 23 State - Unclaimed Property Program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012,
 24 the following:
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26	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
27	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>
28	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$521,225
29	(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	147,251
30	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
31	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	431,146
32	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	11,500
33	(C) PROF. FEES	20,000
34	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	25,000
35	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
36	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$1,156,122</u>

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 2 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - PAYMENT OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY CLAIMS - CASH.
 3 There is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from
 4 cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Auditor of State, for
 5 operating expenses and the payment of claims by the Auditor of State -
 6 Unclaimed Property Program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012, the
 7 following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>
(01) OPERATING EXPENSES	\$2,500
(02) PAYMENT OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY CLAIMS	<u>15,000,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$15,002,500</u>

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 15 SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - PAYMENT OF UNCLAIMED MINERAL PROCEEDS -
 16 CASH. There is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable
 17 from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Auditor of State,
 18 for operating expenses and the payment of claims for abandoned mineral
 19 proceeds by the Auditor of State for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012,
 20 the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>
(01) OPERATING EXPENSES	\$500
(02) PAYMENT OF CLAIMS FOR ABANDONED MINERAL PROCEEDS	<u>2,500,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$2,500,500</u>

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 29 SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION - PAYMENT OF CLAIMS - MISCELLANEOUS REVOLVING
 30 FUND. There is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable
 31 from the Miscellaneous Revolving Fund, for the payment of unclaimed property
 32 claims by the Auditor of State for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2012, the
 33 following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2011-2012</u>

1 (01) PAYMENT OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY CLAIMS \$775,000

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

SECTION 10. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

SECTION 11. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2011 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2011 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2011.