

1 State of Arkansas  
2 88th General Assembly  
3 Fiscal Session, 2012

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 55

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAINTAINING  
10 AND OPERATING A CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR  
11 THE COUNTY CLERKS, CIRCUIT CLERKS, COUNTY  
12 TREASURERS, AND COUNTY COLLECTORS FOR THE FISCAL  
13 YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013; AND FOR OTHER  
14 PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

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17 AN ACT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE -  
18 CONTINUING EDUCATION OF LOCAL OFFICIALS  
19 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2012-2013 FISCAL  
20 YEAR.  
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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26 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - CONTINUING EDUCATION - COUNTY CLERKS. There  
27 is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the  
28 County and Circuit Clerks Continuing Education Fund, for the County Clerks'  
29 Continuing Education Board in carrying out the responsibilities for  
30 maintaining and operating a continuing education program and certification  
31 program for county clerks by the County Clerks' Continuing Education Board  
32 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2013, the following:  
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ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2012-2013
(01) EXPENSES FOR COUNTY CLERKS CONTINUING	



1 EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATION  
2 PROGRAMS

\$60,000

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4 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - CONTINUING EDUCATION - CIRCUIT CLERKS.

5 There is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the  
6 County and Circuit Clerks Continuing Education Fund, for the Circuit Clerks'  
7 Continuing Education Board in carrying out the responsibilities for  
8 maintaining and operating a continuing education program and certification  
9 program for circuit clerks by the Circuit Clerks' Continuing Education Board  
10 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2013, the following:

11	12 ITEM	13 FISCAL YEAR
	NO.	2012-2013
14	(01) EXPENSES FOR CIRCUIT CLERKS	
15	CONTINUING EDUCATION AND	
16	CERTIFICATION PROGRAMS	<u>\$60,000</u>

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18 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - CONTINUING EDUCATION - COUNTY TREASURERS.

19 There is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the  
20 County Treasurer's Continuing Education Fund, for the County Treasurers'  
21 Continuing Education Board in carrying out their responsibilities for  
22 maintaining and operating a continuing education program for county  
23 treasurers by the County Treasurers' Continuing Education Board for the  
24 fiscal year ending June 30, 2013, the following:

25	26 ITEM	27 FISCAL YEAR
	NO.	2012-2013
28	(01) MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF	
29	CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAMS	<u>\$60,000</u>

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31 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - CONTINUING EDUCATION - COUNTY COLLECTORS.

32 There is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the  
33 County Collector's Continuing Education Trust Fund, for the County  
34 Collectors' Continuing Education Board in carrying out their responsibilities  
35 for maintaining and operating a continuing education program and  
36 certification program for county collectors by the County Collectors'

1 Continuing Education Board for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2013, the  
 2 following:

3	4 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
5	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2012-2013</u>
6	(01) MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF	
7	CONTINUING EDUCATION AND CERTIFICATION	
8	PROGRAM	<u>\$60,000</u>

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10 SECTION 5. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
 11 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
 12 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
 13 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
 14 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
 15 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
 16 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
 17 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
 18 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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20 SECTION 6. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
 21 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
 22 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
 23 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
 24 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
 25 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
 26 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
 27 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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29 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
 30 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
 31 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the  
 32 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2012 is essential to the operation of  
 33 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
 34 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the  
 35 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2012 could work irreparable harm  
 36 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental

1 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
2 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health  
3 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2012.

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