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Regular Session, 2021

HOUSE BILL 1219

By: Joint Budget Committee

**For An Act To Be Entitled**

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES  
AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR  
AND LICENSING - BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS FOR THE FISCAL  
YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2022; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

**Subtitle**

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND  
LICENSING - BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS  
APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2021-2022 FISCAL  
YEAR.

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

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS ABSTRACTERS' BOARD. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Abstracters' Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item	Class		Maximum	Maximum Annual
No.	Code	Title	No. of	Salary Rate
			Employees	Fiscal Year
				2021-2022
(1)	X185C	DLL ABSTRACTORS BOARD SEC GENERAL	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS02
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1	

SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS ABSTRACTERS' BOARD - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be



payable from the Arkansas Abstracters' Board Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Abstracters' Board - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$23,335
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	10,760
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	5,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	25,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$64,095</u></u>

SECTION 3. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas State Board of Public Accountancy for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item Class	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
(1) N117N DLL BD OF ACCT EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS12
(2) D057C INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY MANAGER	1	GRADE IT05
(3) X021C DLL BD OF ACCT INVESTIGATOR	2	GRADE GS10
(4) A086C BD OF ACCT FISCAL OFFICER/CPE COORD	1	GRADE GS06
(5) C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1	GRADE GS04
(6) X176C DLL BD-ACCT ADMIN ASST/LICENSING SPEC	1	GRADE GS03
(7) X175C DLL BD-ACCT CREDENTIALING COORD/EXAM	1	GRADE GS03
(8) C080C CREDENTIALING ASSISTANT	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS02
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	9	

SECTION 4. EXTRA HELP - ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas State Board of Public Accountancy - Operations for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: one (1) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas State Board of Public Accountancy - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$485,740
(02) EXTRA HELP	35,000
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	161,232
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	168,162
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	5,000
(C) PROF. FEES	23,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	14,520
(06) EXAM FEES	<u>270,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,162,654</u></u>

SECTION 6. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION BOARD. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
(1)	N146N	DLL BD OF APPRAISER EXECUTIVE DIR	1	GRADE GS12
(2)	X030C	REGULATORY BOARD CHIEF INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE GS08
(3)	C010C	EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS07
(4)	C056C	ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS04
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	4	

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION BOARD - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, 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 Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Appraiser Licensing and Certification Board - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$198,599
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	67,218
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	188,288
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	18,153
(C) PROF. FEES	1,727
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$473,985</u>

SECTION 8. REGULAR SALARIES - STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - State Athletic Commission for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item	Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual
			Salary Rate
No.	Code	Title	Fiscal Year
		Employees	2021-2022
(1)	C094C	ATHLETIC COMMISSION PROGRAM MANAGER	GRADE GS06
(2)	C037C	ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	GRADE GS06
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	

SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION - OPERATIONS.

There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Arkansas Athletic Commission Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - State Athletic Commission - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$88,700
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	30,512
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	41,880
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	10,917
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$172,009</u>

SECTION 10. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS AND INTERIOR DESIGNERS. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas State Board of Architects, Landscape Architects and Interior Designers for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item	Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual
		No. of	Salary Rate
		Fiscal Year	

No.	Code	Title	Employees	2021-2022
(1)	N116N	DLL BD OF ARCHITECTS EXECUTIVE DIR	1	GRADE GS12
(2)	C011C	DLL BD OF ARCH ADMIN ASST/OFFICE MGR	1	GRADE GS07
(3)	C037C	ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS06
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	3	

SECTION 11. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS AND INTERIOR DESIGNERS - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, 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 Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas State Board of Architects, Landscape Architects and Interior Designers - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$192,523
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	66,054
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	112,123
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	12,700
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$383,400</u></u>

SECTION 12. REGULAR SALARIES - AUCTIONEERS LICENSING BOARD. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Auctioneers Licensing Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item	Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual Salary Rate
No.	Code	Title	Fiscal Year
No.	Code	Title	2021-2022
		Employees	

(1) C111C DLL EXE DIRECTOR AUCTIONEER BOARD	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS09
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1	

SECTION 13. EXTRA HELP - AUCTIONEERS LICENSING BOARD. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Auctioneers Licensing Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: one (1) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 14. APPROPRIATION - AUCTIONEERS LICENSING BOARD - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Auctioneers Licensing Board - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2021-2022</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$66,456
(02) EXTRA HELP	15,780
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	21,254
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	31,250
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	2,640
(C) PROF. FEES	5,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	500
(06) CLAIMS	<u>1,375</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$144,255</u></u>

SECTION 15. REGULAR SALARIES - PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDS COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD. There is hereby established for

the Department of Labor and Licensing - Professional Bail Bonds Company and Professional Bail Bondsman Licensing Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item	Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual
No.	Code Title	No. of	Salary Rate
		Employees	Fiscal Year
			2021-2022
(1)	X022C DLL BAIL BONDSMAN BD EXECUTIVE DIR	1	GRADE GS09
(2)	C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1	GRADE GS04
(3)	X168C DLL BAIL BONDSMAN BD INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE GS04
(4)	A098C FISCAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS04
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES		4	

SECTION 16. APPROPRIATION - PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDS COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Bail Bondsman Board Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Professional Bail Bonds Company and Professional Bail Bondsman Licensing Board - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$179,538
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	61,381
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	102,171
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,000
(C) PROF. FEES	2,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$348,090</u>

SECTION 17. APPROPRIATION - PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDS COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD - TREASURY CASH REIMBURSEMENTS.

There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, to process security deposits and pay outstanding judgments of bail bonds companies that go out of business by the Department of Labor and Licensing - Professional Bail Bonds Company and Professional Bail Bondsman Licensing Board - Treasury Cash Reimbursements for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2021-2022</u>
(01) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	<u>\$220,000</u>

SECTION 18. APPROPRIATION - PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDS COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD - BAIL BOND RECOVERY. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Bail Bond Recovery Fund, for personal services and operating expenses for the recovery of forfeited professional bail bonds of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Professional Bail Bonds Company and Professional Bail Bondsman Licensing Board - Bail Bond Recovery for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2021-2022</u>
(01) RECOVERY OF FORFEITED PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDS	<u>\$1,169,459</u>

SECTION 19. REGULAR SALARIES - STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - State Board of Barber Examiners for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item	Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual
<u>No.</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Salary Rate</u>
<u>No.</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Fiscal Year</u>
<u>No.</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>2021-2022</u>
(1)	X028C	DLL BD OF BARBER EXAM SECRETARY	GRADE GS07

(2) C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1	GRADE GS04
(3) X159C DLL BD OF BARBER EXAM INSPECTOR	1	GRADE GS03
(4) C087C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST I	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS02
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	4	

SECTION 20. EXTRA HELP - STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Labor and Licensing - State Board of Barber Examiners for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: one (1) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 21. APPROPRIATION - STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, 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 Department of Labor and Licensing - State Board of Barber Examiners - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2021-2022</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$158,757
(02) EXTRA HELP	10,802
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	58,396
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	27,350
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,550
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$258,855</u></u>

SECTION 22. REGULAR SALARIES - CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD. There is

hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Contractors Licensing Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
(1)	N090N	DLL CONTRACTORS LICENSE ADMR/INVEST	1	GRADE GS13
(2)	G047C	ATTORNEY SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS11
(3)	X073C	DLL CONTRACTORS BOARD INVESTIGATOR	6	GRADE GS08
(4)	E031C	EDUCATION PROGRAM COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS08
(5)	X105C	DLL CONTRACTORS LICENSING COORDINATOR	6	GRADE GS06
(6)	C056C	ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	2	GRADE GS04
(7)	C073C	ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS03
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	18	

SECTION 23. APPROPRIATION - CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, 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 Department of Labor and Licensing - Contractors Licensing Board - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$920,787
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	307,591
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	325,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	9,400
(C) PROF. FEES	37,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(04) EDUCATION TRAINING GRANTS	150,000
(05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	60,000

(06) CONSTRUCTION INDUSTRY TRAINING GRANTS	<u>100,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,909,778</u></u>

SECTION 24. REGULAR SALARIES - STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION AGENCIES.

There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - State Board of Collection Agencies for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual
No. Code Title	No. of	Salary Rate
No. Code Title	Employees	Fiscal Year
No. Code Title	Employees	2021-2022
(1) X001N BD OF COLLECTION EXEC DIR	1	GRADE GS12
(2) X130C BD OF COLLECTION FIELD INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE GS05
(3) C022C BUSINESS OPERATIONS SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS05
(4) C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS04
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	4	

SECTION 25. EXTRA HELP - STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION AGENCIES. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Labor and Licensing - State Board of Collection Agencies for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: one (1) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 26. APPROPRIATION - STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION AGENCIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - State Board of Collection Agencies - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$202,421

(02)	EXTRA HELP	5,000
(03)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	68,249
(04)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	56,700
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	4,500
	(C) PROF. FEES	16,000
	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
	(E) DATA PROC.	0
(05)	DHS/UAMS/ASU MOUNTAIN HOME/UCA/SAU SYSTEM GRANTS/HSU/ATU/NWA COMMUNITY COLLEGE/ANC	<u>1,475,000</u>
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,827,870</u></u>

SECTION 27. REGULAR SALARIES - STATE BOARD OF LICENSURE FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
(1)	N132N	ENG & LAND SURVEYORS EXEC DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS12
(2)	X030C	REGULATORY BOARD CHIEF INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE GS08
(3)	C031C	ENG & LAND SURVEYORS ASST EXEC DIR	1	GRADE GS07
(4)	A091C	FISCAL SUPPORT ANALYST	1	GRADE GS05
(5)	C045C	LICENSING COORDINATOR	<u>2</u>	GRADE GS04
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	6	

SECTION 28. EXTRA HELP - STATE BOARD OF LICENSURE FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Labor and Licensing - State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: one

(1) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 29. APPROPRIATION - STATE BOARD OF LICENSURE FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, 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 Department of Labor and Licensing - State Board of Licensure for Professional Engineers and Professional Surveyors - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	\$298,775
(02)	EXTRA HELP	12,000
(03)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	101,162
(04)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	208,649
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	10,227
	(C) PROF. FEES	7,144
	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
	(E) DATA PROC.	0
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$637,957</u>

SECTION 30. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS FIRE PROTECTION LICENSING BOARD. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Fire Protection Licensing Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
(1)	X138C	FIRE PROTECTION LICENSING BOARD DIR	1	GRADE GS06

(2) X166C FIRE PROT LIC BRD INSPECTOR/INVESTIG	1	GRADE GS03
(3) C073C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS03
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	3	

SECTION 31. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS FIRE PROTECTION LICENSING BOARD - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Fire Protection Licensing Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Fire Protection Licensing Board - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$107,364
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	42,796
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	63,174
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,300
(C) PROF. FEES	1,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$217,634</u></u>

SECTION 32. REGULAR SALARIES - HVAC LICENSING BOARD. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - HVAC Licensing Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item Class	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
(1) X081C PLUMBING/HVACR INSPECTOR SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS08
(2) S018C HVACR MECHANICAL INSPECTOR	7	GRADE GS07
(3) C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1	GRADE GS04
(4) C073C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	<u>2</u>	GRADE GS03

MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES 11

SECTION 33. APPROPRIATION - HVAC LICENSING BOARD - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - HVAC Licensing Board - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	\$452,669
(02)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	166,922
(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	46,000
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	640
	(C) PROF. FEES	0
	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
	(E) DATA PROC.	0
(04)	REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	<u>4,000</u>
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$670,231</u></u>

SECTION 34. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Home Inspector Registration Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
(1)	X193C	AHIRB EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS06
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1	

SECTION 35. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and

Licensing, to be payable from the Arkansas Home Inspectors Registration Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Home Inspector Registration Board - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$40,891
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	14,793
(03) VARIOUS MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES	<u>13,100</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$68,784</u></u>

SECTION 36. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD - PUBLIC AWARENESS CAMPAIGN. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Arkansas Home Inspectors Registration Fund, for the research, procurement, and implementation of a public awareness campaign of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Home Inspector Registration Board - Public Awareness Campaign for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01) PUBLIC AWARENESS CAMPAIGN	<u>\$10,000</u>

SECTION 37. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS MANUFACTURED HOME COMMISSION. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item Class	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
No. Code Title		
(1) X016C DLL MANUFACTURED HOMES COMMISSION DIR	1	GRADE GS08
(2) X121C DLL MANUFACTURED HOUSING SPEC SUPV	1	GRADE GS05

(3) X155C DLL MANUFACTURED HOUSING SPEC	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS04
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	3	

SECTION 38. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS MANUFACTURED HOME COMMISSION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Manufactured Home Standards Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM <u>NO.</u>	FISCAL YEAR <u>2021-2022</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$132,379
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	46,607
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	42,238
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	1,263
(C) PROF. FEES	825
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$223,312</u></u>

SECTION 39. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS MANUFACTURED HOME COMMISSION - OPERATING EXPENSES, REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS AND CLAIMS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Manufactured Housing Recovery Fund, for operating expenses and payment of refunds/reimbursements and claims by the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission - Operating Expenses, Refunds/Reimbursements and Claims for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM <u>NO.</u>	FISCAL YEAR <u>2021-2022</u>
(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$5,573
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	20,000

(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(02) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	50,000
(03) CLAIMS	<u>135,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$210,573</u></u>

SECTION 40. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION.  
 There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item Class	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
<u>No. Code Title</u>		
(1) N169N MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS10
(2) A074C FISCAL SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
(3) X120C MOTOR VEHICLE INVESTIGATOR	2	GRADE GS06
(4) X099C MOTOR VEHICLE LICENSE SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
(5) C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1	GRADE GS04
(6) C045C LICENSING COORDINATOR	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS04
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	7	

SECTION 41. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Motor Vehicle Commission Fund, for personal services, *and operating expenses* for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM <u>NO.</u>	FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$294,251
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	104,317
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	

(A) OPER. EXPENSE	102,750
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	5,000
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$506,318</u></u>

*SECTION 42. APPROPRIATION - AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGIST EDUCATION GRANTS. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the Automotive Technologist Education Grant Fund, for grants for the Automotive Technologist Education Grant Program by the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:*

<i>ITEM</i>	<i>FISCAL YEAR</i>
<u><i>NO.</i></u>	<u><i>2021-2022</i></u>

*(01) AUTOMOTIVE TECHNOLOGIST EDUCATION GRANTS* \$250,000

SECTION 43. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS REAL ESTATE COMMISSION. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Real Estate Commission for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item	Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual
No.	Code Title	No. of	Salary Rate
		Employees	Fiscal Year
			2021-2022
(1)	U097U DLL AREC EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS15
(2)	D079C COMPUTER SUPPORT TECHNICIAN	1	GRADE IT02
(3)	G054C DLL AREC DEPUTY EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS11
(4)	A082C ACCOUNTANT II	1	GRADE GS08
(5)	C004C DLL AREC SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS08
(6)	X091C DLL AREC SR REAL ESTATE INVESTIGATOR	1	GRADE GS07
(7)	E048C EDUCATION & INSTRUCTION SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS07
(8)	C037C ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06

(9)	X110C DLL AREC INVESTIGATOR	2	GRADE GS06
(10)	C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	2	GRADE GS04
(11)	X169C DLL AREC EXAMINER	1	GRADE GS04
(12)	C073C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	<u>2</u>	GRADE GS03
	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	15	

SECTION 44. EXTRA HELP - ARKANSAS REAL ESTATE COMMISSION. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Real Estate Commission for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 45. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS REAL ESTATE COMMISSION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, 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 Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Real Estate Commission - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2021-2022</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$674,128
(02) EXTRA HELP	8,000
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	243,572
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	397,744
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	26,662
(C) PROF. FEES	22,929
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	<u>10,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$1,383,035</u>

SECTION 46. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS REAL ESTATE COMMISSION - REAL ESTATE RECOVERY. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, to be payable from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for paying claims for damage payments and for costs associated with education activities of the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Real Estate Commission - Real Estate Recovery for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2021-2022
(01)	DAMAGE PAYMENT	\$250,000
(02)	EDUCATION	<u>102,500</u>
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$352,500</u></u>

SECTION 47. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Board of Registration for Professional Geologists for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2021-2022
(1)	C022C	BUSINESS OPERATIONS SPECIALIST	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS05
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1	

SECTION 48. EXTRA HELP - ARKANSAS BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Board of Registration for Professional Geologists for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act

for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 49. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, 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 Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Board of Registration for Professional Geologists - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2021-2022</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$33,118
(02) EXTRA HELP	3,000
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	13,269
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	8,275
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	2,000
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$59,662</u></u>

SECTION 50. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS TOWING AND RECOVERY BOARD. There is hereby established for the Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board for the 2021-2022 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item	Class	Maximum	Maximum Annual
<u>No.</u>	<u>Code Title</u>	<u>No. of</u>	<u>Salary Rate</u>
		<u>Employees</u>	<u>Fiscal Year</u>
			<u>2021-2022</u>
(1)	X147C AR TOWING & RECOVERY BOARD DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS07
(2)	X170C AR TOWING & RECOVERY BD INVESTIGATOR	3	GRADE GS03
(3)	C087C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST I	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS02
	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	5	

SECTION 51. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS TOWING AND RECOVERY BOARD - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Labor and Licensing, 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 Department of Labor and Licensing - Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2021-2022</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$179,179
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	72,345
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	73,228
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$324,752</u></u>

SECTION 52. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. ARKANSAS ABSTRACTERS' BOARD - PROFESSIONAL FEES. The appropriation made available in the Professional Fees line item of the Abstracters' Board Operations Appropriation of this Act shall be made available to the board for the purpose of contracting an independent or private investigator to perform any investigative task as needed or may be required by law. Abstracter Board members may not act as investigators nor do investigative work required by the board.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2020~~ 2021 through June 30, ~~2021~~ 2022.

SECTION 53. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY - PROMOTIONAL ITEMS. Upon approval of the

Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, the Arkansas State Board of Public Accountancy is hereby authorized to transfer appropriation from Operating Expenses to Promotional Items in the appropriation authorized by the Arkansas State Board of Public Accountancy - Operations Appropriation in this Act in an amount not to exceed five hundred dollars (\$500) each fiscal year to meet the Board's educational needs.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2020~~ 2021 through June 30, ~~2021~~ 2022.

SECTION 54. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDS COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD - FUND TRANSFER. The Professional Bail Bonds Company and Professional Bail Bondsman Licensing Board shall deposit as special revenues sufficient fees and penalties directly into the Bail Bondsman Board fund to provide for personal services and operating expenses for the board. At the end of each fiscal year, the Professional Bail Bondsman Licensing Board shall be allowed to retain a fund balance sufficient to cover the personal services and operating expenses of the board for the following fiscal year. Seventy-five percent (75%) of any funds remaining in excess of this balance shall be transferred to the General Revenue Fund Account in the State Treasury.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2020~~ 2021 through June 30, ~~2021~~ 2022.

SECTION 55. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS - APPLICANT PROXIMITY TO EXISTING BARBER COLLEGES. Notwithstanding any other provisions under Arkansas Law, the State Board of Barber Examiners shall not deny any application for the establishment of a new barber college on the basis of geographic proximity to an existing barber college.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2020~~ 2021 through June 30, ~~2021~~ 2022.

SECTION 56. SPECIAL LANGUAGE - CODE AMENDMENT. *Arkansas Code § 17-24-305(b), concerning licensing fees and the disposition of licensing fees by*

the State Board of Collection Agencies, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) All income from fees imposed under this section shall be distributed in the form of one (1) annual payment that is a percentage of the total funds available up to the maximum authorized under this subsection.

(2) However, if less than one hundred percent (100%) of the total allocation is available for distribution, all allocations listed in subdivisions (b)(3)(A)-~~(H)~~ (I) of this section shall be funded at a prorated percentage consistent with the available funds, not to exceed the maximum amounts listed in subdivisions (b)(3)(A)-~~(H)~~ (I) of this section.

(3) Beginning July 1, 2013, and each fiscal year thereafter, the board shall remit to:

(A) The Treasurer of State for the Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services, an amount not to exceed one hundred fifteen thousand dollars (\$115,000) for deposit into a paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to be used in accordance with § 20-10-705;

(B) The University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, an amount not to exceed six hundred thousand dollars (\$600,000) for deposit into a financial institution in accordance with the policies of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences to be expended for the College of Pharmacy of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and the College of Nursing of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in accordance with § 6-64-417;

(C) Arkansas State University-Mountain Home, an amount not to exceed two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000) for deposit into the Arkansas State University-Mountain Home Fund to be expended exclusively for the Arkansas State University-Mountain Home Practical Nursing Program;

(D) The University of Central Arkansas, an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for deposit into the University of Central Arkansas Fund to be expended exclusively for the University of Central Arkansas School of Nursing;

(E) Southern Arkansas University, an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for deposit into the Southern Arkansas University Fund to be expended exclusively for personal services and operating expenses of the Southern Arkansas University system;

(F) Henderson State University, an amount not to exceed one

*hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for deposit into the Henderson State University Fund;*

*(G) Arkansas Tech University, an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for deposit into the Arkansas Tech University Fund exclusively for nursing programs;—and*

*(H) Northwest Arkansas Community College, an amount not to exceed fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) for deposit into the Northwest Arkansas Community College Fund exclusively for nursing programs; and*

*(I) Arkansas Northeastern College, an amount not to exceed twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) for deposit into the Arkansas Northeastern College Fund to be expended exclusively for nursing programs.*

*(4) Funds remaining after the distributions listed in subdivisions (b)(3)(A)—~~(H)~~ (I) of this section shall be deposited into a bank authorized to do business within this state and placed into the account of the board.*

SECTION 57. 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 58. 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 59. 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, 2021 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, 2021 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, 2021.

*/s/Joint Budget Committee*

**APPROVED: 4/21/21**