

ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION (0360)
FISCAL YEARS 2018 & 2019
PER EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION

I) AGENCY SUMMARY & REVENUE SOURCES

MISSION

The Arkansas State Claims Commission is a quasi-judicial Commission, which has exclusive jurisdiction over all claims against the State of Arkansas, and its agencies, departments and institutions. The Commission is comprised of five (5) Commissioners who are appointed by the governor. In addition to hearing various claims against the State, the Commission also hears claims for awarding valid death benefits to widows and/or dependents of policemen, firemen and certain other state employees killed in the official line of duty. A Special Claims bill outlining Commission awards exceeding \$15,000 are presented to the General Assembly each year.

TOTAL APPROPRIATION

The total appropriation for FY2018 is \$2,292,960 and \$2,293,697 for FY2019.

FUNDING SOURCES

The Commissions Operations appropriation is funded through the State Central Services Fund. The Various Claims appropriation is funded through the Miscellaneous Revolving Fund.

II) CHANGE LEVEL REQUESTS

No Change Level Requests.

III) ADDITIONAL POSITIONS (Total FY2017 Authorized Positions:10)

Total Positions for FY2018: 10
Total Positions for FY2018: 10
Total Base Level Positions FY2017: 10
Increase/(Decrease): 0

Extra Help Positions FY2018 & FY2019:0 (Total FY2017 Authorized Extra Help:0)

IV) SPECIAL LANGUAGE

EMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS: Requires the Clerk of the State Claims Commission to notify affected state agencies and the DFA-Office of Personnel Management when employment compensation claims are due and payable, so that the claim may be processed through the State Mechanized Payroll System.