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State of Arkansas  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 113

By: Joint Budget Committee

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2013; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2012-2013 FISCAL YEAR.

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

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for the Arkansas State University for the 2012-2013 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2012-2013
<u>ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-SYSTEM</u>			
<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATION AND GENERAL</u>			
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS</u>			
(001)	President, Arkansas State University	1	\$296,228
(002)	Vice Pres. For System Operations	1	\$185,668
(003)	Vice Pres. For Academic Affairs	1	\$172,167
(004)	General Counsel	1	\$162,187



(005)	Vice Pres. For University Relations	1	\$158,907
(006)	Vice Pres. For University Advanc.	1	\$158,907
(007)	Assoc. Vice Pres.	2	\$141,094
(008)	Associate General Counsel	1	\$134,046
(009)	Exec. Asst. to President	1	\$111,189
(010)	Assistant Vice Pres. For Admin.	1	\$107,748
(011)	Dir of Corp & Foundation Relations	1	\$105,212
(012)	Dir. for Internal Audit	1	\$89,808
(013)	Sr. Internal Auditor	2	\$74,576
(014)	Project/Program Specialist	1	\$72,137
(015)	Associate for Administration	1	\$66,815
(016)	Research Assistant	2	\$59,619
(017)	Legislative Intern/Research Asst.	1	\$59,619

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL

CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

(018)	Fiscal Support Analyst	1	GRADE C115
(019)	Administrative Specialist III	1	GRADE C112
(020)	Administrative Specialist II	2	GRADE C109

ARKANSAS STATE UNIV-JONESBORO

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL

ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

(021)	Chancellor, ASU-Jonesboro	1	\$185,667
(022)	Executive Vice Chanc. and Provost	1	\$182,485
(023)	Sr. Assoc. Vice Chanc. AA/Resch Divrs.	1	\$157,749
(024)	Vice Chancellor for Finance & Admin	1	\$153,098
(025)	Vice Chancellor for Univ Advancement	1	\$150,773
(026)	Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs	1	\$150,773
(027)	Dean of Graduate School	1	\$146,123
(028)	Dean of Schools	12	\$146,123
(029)	Assoc. Dean of Schools	6	\$138,524
(030)	Assoc Vice Chanc. Academic Affairs	2	\$137,665
(031)	Associate Vice Chancellor	4	\$132,504
(032)	Executive Asst. to the Chancellor	1	\$132,504
(033)	Dir. of Delta Heritage Initiatives	1	\$130,225
(034)	Dean of Libraries	1	\$130,225
(035)	Asst Vice Chancellor for Info/Tech	1	\$128,328

(036)	Coord. of Organized Research	1	\$126,212
(037)	Director of Prof. Educ. Programs	1	\$126,212
(038)	Dir. of Interactive Teach & Tech Ctr.	1	\$126,212
(039)	Controller	1	\$118,201
(040)	Director of International Programs	1	\$117,896
(041)	Director of Development	1	\$115,887
(042)	Asst. Vice Chancellor for Facilities	1	\$111,259
(043)	Asst. Vice Chancellor for Business	1	\$107,748
(044)	Asst. Vice Chanc for Student Affairs	1	\$107,748
(045)	Registrar	1	\$106,340
(046)	Director of Planned Giving	1	\$105,211
(047)	Director of Counseling	1	\$105,211
(048)	Director of Museum & Ed. Ctr.	1	\$99,681
(049)	Archivist	2	\$99,681
(050)	Director of Museum	1	\$99,681
(051)	Dean of Student Affairs	1	\$99,681
(052)	Dean of Student Affs.-Enroll. Svcs.	1	\$99,681
(053)	Coord. Off-Campus Courses	1	\$99,681
(054)	Coord. of Non-Credit Activity	1	\$99,681
(055)	Director of First Years Studies	1	\$98,252
(056)	Assoc Director - Info & Tech Svcs	2	\$98,252
(057)	Exec. Director of Delta Economic Dev	1	\$98,252
(058)	Assoc. Dir. of Development	1	\$97,453
(059)	Director of Alumni	1	\$97,453
(060)	Director of Inst Research & Planning	1	\$96,568
(061)	Director of Student Aid	1	\$96,067
(062)	Director of Univ. Communications	1	\$92,865
(063)	Director of Student Health Services	1	\$92,431
(064)	Project/Program Administrator	51	
	Project/Program Director		\$92,260
	Project/Program Manager		\$83,610
	Project/Program Specialist		\$72,137
(065)	Business Manager	1	\$89,966
(066)	Treasurer	1	\$89,966
(067)	Associate Controller	1	\$89,966
(068)	Dir. Of Grants & Other Spon. Progs.	1	\$89,966

(069)	Annual Fund Coordinator	1	\$89,479
(070)	Director of Admissions	1	\$89,457
(071)	Assoc. Dean of Student Affairs	6	\$89,457
(072)	Associate Registrar	1	\$89,457
(073)	Computer Network Coordinator	1	\$87,525
(074)	Architect	1	\$87,357
(075)	Dir. of UPD,CS,Traffic & Parking	1	\$87,195
(076)	Asst. to VP Student Affairs	1	\$87,034
(077)	Asst. to the VP of Academic Affairs	1	\$87,034
(078)	Project Engineer	1	\$86,982
(079)	Counselor	4	\$86,660
(080)	Director of Budget	1	\$85,789
(081)	Development Officer	11	\$83,275
(082)	Director of University Relations	1	\$82,787
(083)	Communications Specialist	1	\$82,360
(084)	Director of Testing	1	\$81,351
(085)	Research Compliance Coordinator	1	\$80,269
(086)	Director of Career Services	1	\$78,358
(087)	Director of Upward Bound	1	\$77,101
(088)	Project Architect	1	\$77,059
(089)	Dir. of Pub. & Creative Svcs.	1	\$76,873
(090)	Art Gallery Director	1	\$76,873
(091)	Director of Printing	1	\$76,873
(092)	Director of Assessment	1	\$76,835
(093)	Dir. of Student Activities	1	\$74,384
(094)	Dir of Off of Int'l Student Svcs	1	\$73,315
(095)	Director of Distance Learning	1	\$72,547
(096)	Asst. Dean of Students	7	\$72,456
(097)	Director of Academic Advising	1	\$72,456
(098)	Director of Disability Services	1	\$72,456
(099)	Dir. of Environmental Health & Saf.	1	\$72,254
(100)	Asst. Dir. Records	1	\$72,254
(101)	Asst. Dir. of Admissions	2	\$72,254
(102)	Student Development Specialist	8	\$70,345
(103)	Registered Nurse Practitioner I	1	\$70,345
(104)	Dir. of Recreation & Intramurals	1	\$67,572

(105)	Assoc. Dir. of Student Aid	1	\$67,572
(106)	Coord. of ASU Comm. Coll. Deg. Cntrs	5	\$67,572
(107)	Research Analyst	3	\$67,542
(108)	Major Gifts Officer	1	\$66,815
(109)	Asst. Dir. Student Health Center	1	\$65,640
(110)	Assistant Director of Publications	1	\$64,527
(111)	Technical Director	1	\$59,763
(112)	Conservator	1	\$59,763
(113)	Academic Adviser	10	\$58,980
(114)	Assistant Director of Museum	1	\$58,598

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

(115)	Inst Information Tech Coord	3	GRADE C125
(116)	Computer Support Manager	1	GRADE C124
(117)	Information Systems Coord	1	GRADE C124
(118)	Systems Specialist	5	GRADE C124
(119)	Sr Software Support Analyst	1	GRADE C123
(120)	Network Support Specialist	2	GRADE C123
(121)	Systems Analyst	6	GRADE C122
(122)	Computer Support Coordinator	1	GRADE C121
(123)	Procurement Manager	1	GRADE C121
(124)	ASU Assoc Dir of Physical Plant	1	GRADE C120
(125)	ASU Construction Coordinator	1	GRADE C120
(126)	ASU Engineer Comm Facilities Dir	1	GRADE C120
(127)	HE Public Safety Commander I	1	GRADE C120
(128)	Information Technology Manager	5	GRADE C120
(129)	ASU Dir of Farming	1	GRADE C119
(130)	Computer Support Specialist	15	GRADE C119
(131)	Curator	2	GRADE C119
(132)	Data Base Analyst	2	GRADE C119
(133)	Development Specialist	1	GRADE C119
(134)	Education Counselor	2	GRADE C119
(135)	ASU Asst Dir of Physical Plant	3	GRADE C118
(136)	Career Plng & Plac Coordinator	1	GRADE C118
(137)	Fiscal Support Supervisor	10	GRADE C118
(138)	Network Support Analyst	3	GRADE C118

(139)	Website Developer	2	GRADE C118
(140)	Asst Dir of Financial Aid	1	GRADE C117
(141)	Budget Specialist	1	GRADE C117
(142)	HE Public Safety Supervisor	3	GRADE C117
(143)	Human Resources Analyst	4	GRADE C117
(144)	Information Systems Analyst	9	GRADE C117
(145)	Information Systems Security Analyst	1	GRADE C117
(146)	Maintenance Coordinator	1	GRADE C117
(147)	Skilled Trades Foreman	4	GRADE C117
(148)	ASU Asst Director of Farming	1	GRADE C116
(149)	ASU Dir of Housekeeping	1	GRADE C116
(150)	Buyer	2	GRADE C116
(151)	Construction Inspector	1	GRADE C116
(152)	Construction/Maint Coordinator	1	GRADE C116
(153)	Design Consultant	1	GRADE C116
(154)	HEI Program Coordinator	24	GRADE C116
(155)	Public Information Specialist	1	GRADE C116
(156)	Public Safety Officer	22	GRADE C116
(157)	Radio News Director	1	GRADE C116
(158)	Radio Program Director	1	GRADE C116
(159)	Skilled Trades Supervisor	18	GRADE C116
(160)	Administrative Analyst	11	GRADE C115
(161)	Assistant Registrar	9	GRADE C115
(162)	Computer Support Technician	11	GRADE C115
(163)	Financial Aid Analyst	11	GRADE C115
(164)	Fiscal Support Analyst	7	GRADE C115
(165)	Library Supervisor	1	GRADE C115
(166)	Payroll Services Specialist	1	GRADE C115
(167)	Skilled Tradesman	61	GRADE C115
(168)	Boiler Operator	5	GRADE C114
(169)	Broadcast Production Specialist	3	GRADE C114
(170)	Commercial Graphic Artist	3	GRADE C114
(171)	Computer Operator	11	GRADE C114
(172)	Safety Supervisor	1	GRADE C114
(173)	Warehouse Manager	2	GRADE C114
(174)	Administrative Support Supv	2	GRADE C113

(175)	Multi-Media Specialist	1	GRADE C113
(176)	Comm Artist I/Graphic Artist I	2	GRADE C113
(177)	Human Resources Specialist	1	GRADE C113
(178)	Landscape Supervisor	3	GRADE C113
(179)	LPN	1	GRADE C113
(180)	Museum Registrar	1	GRADE C113
(181)	Photographer	1	GRADE C113
(182)	Administrative Specialist III	50	GRADE C112
(183)	Director of Transit & Parking	1	GRADE C112
(184)	Farm Foreman - Institutional	1	GRADE C112
(185)	Fiscal Support Specialist	16	GRADE C112
(186)	Instrumentation Technician	2	GRADE C112
(187)	Maintenance Specialist	1	GRADE C112
(188)	Purchasing Technician	1	GRADE C112
(189)	Coordinator of Housekeeping	4	GRADE C111
(190)	Pest Control Tech	1	GRADE C111
(191)	Admissions Analyst Supervisor	1	GRADE C110
(192)	Farm Maint Mechanic	1	GRADE C110
(193)	Call Center Specialist	4	GRADE C110
(194)	Human Resources Assistant	1	GRADE C110
(195)	Landscape Specialist	3	GRADE C110
(196)	Payroll Officer	2	GRADE C110
(197)	Admissions Analyst II	8	GRADE C109
(198)	Administrative Specialist II	75	GRADE C109
(199)	Broadcast Announcer	2	GRADE C109
(200)	Library Technician	15	GRADE C109
(201)	Heavy Equipment Operator	17	GRADE C109
(202)	Cashier	3	GRADE C108
(203)	Fiscal Support Technician	3	GRADE C108
(204)	Inventory Control Technician	4	GRADE C108
(205)	Maintenance Assistant	4	GRADE C108
(206)	Library Support Assistant	4	GRADE C107
(207)	Registrars Assistant	2	GRADE C107
(208)	Administrative Specialist I	24	GRADE C106
(209)	Agricultural Lab Technician	2	GRADE C106
(210)	Apprentice Tradesman	15	GRADE C105

(211)	Shipping & Receiving Clerk	2	GRADE C105
(212)	Institutional Svcs Supervisor	13	GRADE C104
(213)	Institutional Svcs Assistant	68	GRADE C103
<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>			
(214)	Nurse Anesthesia Clinical Coord.	4	\$182,541
(215)	Department Chairperson	29	\$136,816
(216)	Faculty	77	
	Professor		\$134,489
	Assoc. Professor		\$125,181
	Asst. Professor		\$106,472
	Instructor		\$87,525
(217)	Research Associate	5	\$99,591
(218)	Asst. Library Director	2	\$76,268
(219)	Librarian	12	\$76,268
(220)	Research Assistant	18	\$59,619
<u>NINE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>			
(221)	College of Business Faculty	20	
	Distinguished Professor		\$185,400
	Professor		\$148,526
	Associate Professor		\$122,004
	Assistant Professor		\$116,699
	Instructor		\$95,481
(222)	Faculty	440	
	Distinguished Professor		\$150,647
	Professor		\$132,164
	Assoc. Professor		\$115,875
	Asst. Professor		\$96,999
	Instructor		\$75,686
(223)	Part-Time Faculty	150	\$38,092
(224)	Graduate Assistant	260	\$23,888
<u>TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES</u>			
<u>NON-CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>			
(225)	ASU Head Football Coach	1	\$160,896
(226)	Dir. of Athletics	1	\$139,671

(227)	Head Men's Basketball Coach	1	\$139,671
(228)	ASU Off. Coordinator-Football	1	\$128,069
(229)	ASU Def. Coordinator-Football	1	\$128,069
(230)	Assoc. Dir of Athletics	3	\$117,896
(231)	ASU Asst. Head Football Coach	1	\$113,133
(232)	Assistant Football Coach	6	\$113,133
(233)	Head Coach	9	\$99,261
(234)	ASU Dir. of Auxiliary Enterprises	1	\$95,352
(235)	Dir. of Convocation Center	1	\$92,431
(236)	Head Athletic Trainer	1	\$88,647
(237)	Asst. Dir. Athletics	6	\$88,647
(238)	Assistant Coach	13	\$75,321
(239)	Dir of Strength & Conditioning	2	\$75,321
(240)	Facilities and Equipment Manager	1	\$67,828
(241)	Asst. Dir. of Convocation Center	1	\$65,640
(242)	Asst Dir of Development	1	\$59,681
(243)	Asst Dir of Media Relations	2	\$59,681
(244)	Director of Marketing	1	\$57,197
(245)	Ticket Manager/Convocation Center	1	\$55,488
(246)	Intern Coach	5	\$22,103

TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES

CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

(247)	ASU Dir of Housing	1	GRADE C120
(248)	Director of Student Union	1	GRADE C118
(249)	Skilled Trades Foreman	1	GRADE C117
(250)	Print Shop Manager	1	GRADE C116
(251)	Skilled Trades Supervisor	1	GRADE C116
(252)	ASU Asst Dir of Housing	2	GRADE C115
(253)	Asst Dir of Student Union	2	GRADE C115
(254)	Fiscal Support Analyst	1	GRADE C115
(255)	Maintenance Supervisor	1	GRADE C115
(256)	Skilled Tradesman	11	GRADE C115
(257)	Special Events Manager	1	GRADE C115
(258)	Institutional Printer	6	GRADE C114
(259)	Student Union Night Manager	1	GRADE C114
(260)	Administrative Specialist III	2	GRADE C112

(261)	Special Events Coordinator	1	GRADE C112
(262)	Athletic Facility Supervisor	4	GRADE C111
(263)	Residential Advisor	1	GRADE C111
(264)	Administrative Specialist II	8	GRADE C109
(265)	Student Union Sec Mgr	2	GRADE C109
(266)	Cashier	1	GRADE C108
(267)	Administrative Specialist I	4	GRADE C106
(268)	Institutional Svcs Supervisor	5	GRADE C104
(269)	Institutional Svcs Assistant	<u>28</u>	GRADE C103
	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	2,069	

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for the Arkansas State University for the 2012-2013 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 thousand and sixty-four (2,064) 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 3. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State University, to be payable from the Arkansas State University Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas State University for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2013, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2012-2013</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$55,705,069
(02) EXTRA HELP	60,000
(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	8,843,927
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	6,699,076
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	200,000
(E) DATA PROC.	0

(05) FUNDED DEPRECIATION	500,000
(06) HEMINGWAY-PFEIFER HOUSE, TENANT FARMERS MUSEUM, LAKEPORT PLANTATION, AND THE HERITAGE CENTER EXPENSES	<u>1,632,623</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$73,640,695</u></u>

SECTION 4. ALLOCATIONS. There is hereby allocated, to the various programs of Arkansas State University, as set out herein, the following amounts of the funds appropriated in Section 3 hereof, to Arkansas State University, there to be used as provided by law, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2013, the following:

ITEM NO.	MAXIMUM ALLOCATION FISCAL YEAR 2012-2013
(1) JONESBORO CAMPUS	\$69,645,392
(2) ASU - SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION	2,362,680
(3) HERITAGE SITES	<u>1,632,623</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT ALLOCATED	<u><u>\$73,640,695</u></u>

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUNDS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State University, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Arkansas State University, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas State University for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2013, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2012-2013
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$22,032,300
(02) EXTRA HELP	13,551,373
(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	14,459,570
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	53,947,069
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	4,029,129
(C) PROF. FEES	10,947,230

(D) CAP. OUTLAY	11,710,654
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(05) CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	93,972,358
(06) DEBT SERVICE	8,000,000
(07) FUND TRANS/REFUND/INVESTMENTS	4,000,000
(08) OVERTIME	200,000
(09) RESALE	125,000
(10) PROMOTIONAL MATERIALS	<u>200,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$237,174,683</u></u>

SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. HERITAGE AND MUSEUM SITES FUNDING. Any additional funds received by ASU - Jonesboro may be utilized to fund the appropriation authorized for Hemingway-Pfeifer House, Tenant Farmers Museum, Lakeport Plantation, and the Heritage Center expenses.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2011~~ 2012 through June 30, ~~2012~~ 2013.

SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. REALLOCATION OF RESOURCES. Upon determination by the president or chancellor of an institution of higher education that a reallocation of resources for purposes of reorganization or consolidation of administrative functions within the institution is necessary for efficient and effective operations of the institution, the president or chancellor, with approval of the institution's board of trustees, may have the authority to transfer positions, appropriations and related funds between campuses, divisions, branches, and other budgetary units of the institution, after receiving prior approval of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee. The transfers of positions, programs, or activities shall be used for those purposes for which the appropriations were approved by the General Assembly. The transfers, consolidations, or reorganizations which involve academic programs shall be reviewed by the Department of Higher Education prior to submission to the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee. Provided, however, that the institution shall be limited to submitting no more than two (2)

individual transaction transfer requests during any fiscal year and shall be further limited to no more than five percent (5%) of the total General Revenue and Special Revenue appropriation, funding, positions specific to each institution and no Tobacco Settlement funds or appropriations may be reallocated pursuant to this section.

Determining the maximum number of employees and the maximum amount of appropriation and general revenue funding for institutions of higher education each fiscal year is the prerogative of the General Assembly. This is usually accomplished by delineating such maximums in the appropriation act(s) for institutions of higher education and the general revenue allocations authorized for each fund and fund account by amendment to the Revenue Stabilization law. Further, the General Assembly has determined that institutions of higher education may operate more efficiently if some flexibility is provided to institutions of higher education authorizing broad powers under this Section. Therefore, it is both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight by requiring prior approval of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee as provided by this section. The requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of this section. If the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, this entire section is void.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2011~~ 2012 through June 30, ~~2012~~ 2013.

SECTION 8. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. LEASES. Notwithstanding any law to the contrary, the Board of Trustees of Arkansas State University may hereafter lease facilities for operations for room and board purposes for students only in any manner and upon terms the board deems to be in the best interest of the university. Action taken under this act shall be by written resolution adopted by at least a majority of the members of the board.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2011~~ 2012 through June 30, ~~2012~~ 2013.

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, the Higher Education Expenditures 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, 2012 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, 2012 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, 2012.