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SENATE BILL 81

By: Joint Budget Committee

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF MEDICAID
INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30,
2018; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE OFFICE OF MEDICAID
INSPECTOR GENERAL APPROPRIATION FOR THE
2017-2018 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 Office of Medicaid Inspector General for the 2017-2018 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2017-2018
(1)	U124U	MEDICAID INSPECTOR GENERAL	1	\$153,015
(2)	U125U	INSPECTOR GENERAL CHIEF COUNSEL	1	\$122,412
(3)	N199N	OMIG DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE N911
(4)	G249C	OMIG PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR	2	GRADE C127
(5)	X200C	MEDICAID FRAUD INVESTIGATOR	2	GRADE C125
(6)	L009C	NURSE MANAGER	1	GRADE C125
(7)	A115C	OMIG CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER	1	GRADE C125



(8)	G250C	OMIG OPERATIONS MANAGER	2	GRADE C125
(9)	G251C	OMIG PROGRAM MANAGER	1	GRADE C122
(10)	L027C	REGISTERED NURSE SUPERVISOR	3	GRADE C122
(11)	M009C	LICENSED CERTIFIED SOCIAL WORKER	1	GRADE C121
(12)	L038C	REGISTERED NURSE	3	GRADE C120
(13)	D056C	SYSTEMS COORDINATION ANALYST	1	GRADE C120
(14)	A113C	OMIG SR. AUDITOR	10	GRADE C119
(15)	C010C	EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE C118
(16)	R025C	HUMAN RESOURCES ANALYST	1	GRADE C117
(17)	G179C	LEGAL SERVICES SPECIALIST	1	GRADE C117
(18)	A114C	OMIG AUDITOR	1	GRADE C117
(19)	B076C	RESEARCH PROJECT ANALYST	1	GRADE C117
(20)	C037C	ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	1	GRADE C115
(21)	C046C	LEGAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST	1	GRADE C113
(22)	A101C	ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN	1	GRADE C109
(23)	C073C	ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	<u>1</u>	GRADE C109
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	39	

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for the Office of Medicaid Inspector General for the 2017-2018 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 3. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Medicaid Inspector General, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of Medicaid Inspector General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$810,600
(02) EXTRA HELP	4,999

(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	269,734
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	130,400
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,300
(C) PROF. FEES	2,800
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	30,000
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,251,833</u></u>

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - FEDERAL OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Medicaid Inspector General, to be payable from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Office of Medicaid Inspector General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2017-2018
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$1,012,285
(02) EXTRA HELP	5,001
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	336,590
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	161,344
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	3,700
(C) PROF. FEES	2,800
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	30,000
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,551,720</u></u>

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - ENTERPRISE FRAUD PROGRAM - STATE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Medicaid Inspector General, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Enterprise Fraud Program of the Office of Medicaid Inspector General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
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<u>NO.</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>
(01) ENTERPRISE FRAUD PROGRAM	<u>\$900,000</u>

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - ENTERPRISE FRAUD PROGRAM - FEDERAL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Medicaid Inspector General, to be payable from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Enterprise Fraud Program of the Office of Medicaid Inspector General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>
(01) ENTERPRISE FRAUD PROGRAM	<u>\$3,600,000</u>

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - CASH OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Medicaid Inspector General, 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 Office of Medicaid Inspector General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2018, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>2017-2018</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$114,086
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	36,389
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	15,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	5,590
(C) PROF. FEES	1,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$172,065</u>

SECTION 8. 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 9. 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 10. 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, 2017 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, 2017 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, 2017.