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2 89th General Assembly
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4

A Bill

SENATE BILL 82

5 By: Senator Maloch
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL
9 SERVICES, SUBSTITUTE EXPENSES, AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE
10 OF THE TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS OF THE
11 CIRCUIT COURTS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN
12 ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 245 OF
13 2012; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

16 AN ACT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE - TRIAL
17 COURT ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS
18 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS. There
25 is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the Trial
26 Court Administrative Assistant Fund, for personal services, Trial Court Staff
27 Substitutes expenses, and Trial Court Administrative Assistant expenses by
28 the Trial Court Administrative Assistants of the Circuit Courts which shall
29 be supplemental and in addition to those funds appropriated in Section 2 of
30 Act 245 of 2012 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2013, the sum
31 of.....\$150,000.
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33 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
34 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUND
35 TRANSFER. Immediately upon the effective date of this Act, the Chief Fiscal
36 Officer of the State shall transfer on his or her books and those of the



1 State Treasurer and the Auditor of State the sum of one hundred thousand
2 dollars (\$100,000) from unobligated balances of the County Juror
3 Reimbursement Fund to the Trial Court Administrative Assistant Fund for
4 personal services, Trial Court Staff Substitutes expenses, and Trial Court
5 Administrative Assistant expenses.

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7 SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
8 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUND
9 TRANSFER. Immediately upon the effective date of this Act, the Chief Fiscal
10 Officer of the State shall transfer on his or her books and those of the
11 State Treasurer and the Auditor of State the sum of fifty thousand dollars
12 (\$50,000) from unobligated balances of the Municipal Court Judge and
13 Municipal Court Education Fund to the Trial Court Administrative Assistant
14 Fund for personal services, Trial Court Staff Substitutes expenses, and Trial
15 Court Administrative Assistant expenses.

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17 SECTION 4. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
18 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
19 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
20 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
21 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
22 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
23 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
24 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
25 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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27 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
28 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
29 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
30 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
31 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
32 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
33 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
34 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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36 SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General

1 Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of
2 the Trial Court Administrative Assistants of the Circuit Courts are, due to
3 unforeseen circumstances, insufficient for the Trial Court Administrative
4 Assistants of the Circuit Courts to continue to provide essential
5 governmental services; that the provisions of this act will provide the
6 necessary monies for the Trial Court Administrative Assistants of the Circuit
7 Courts to continue such services; and that a delay in the effective date of
8 this Act could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and
9 provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is
10 hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate
11 preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force
12 and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

13 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall
14 become effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the
15 Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the
16 veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house
17 overrides the veto.

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