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**STATE OF ARKANSAS
SARAH HUCKABEE SANDERS
GOVERNOR**

February 17, 2025

Senator Jonathan Dismang, Co-Chair
Representative Lane Jean, Co-Chair
Joint Budget Committee
Arkansas General Assembly
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Co-Chairs:

I respectfully request the following amendment to SB39, the 2025-2026 Operations Appropriation Bill for the Department of Commerce – Division of Workforce Services.

Please amend SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES as follows and renumber accordingly:

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2025-2026
(37)	A044C	AUDIT COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS10
(51)	A066C	INTERNAL AUDITOR	4	GRADE GS08
(55)	A060C	SENIOR AUDITOR	5 <u>2</u>	GRADE GS08
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES			627 <u>619</u>	

The above request is necessary to transfer positions to the Arkansas Department of Inspector General to provide optimal organizational placement of internal auditors.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sarah Sanders". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Sarah Huckabee Sanders
Governor of Arkansas

ARKANSAS SENATE
95th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2025
Amendment Form

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Subtitle of Senate Bill 39

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE - DIVISION OF WORKFORCE
SERVICES APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2025-2026 FISCAL YEAR.

Amendment No. ___ to Senate Bill 39

Amend Senate Bill 39 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 32 in its entirety and substitute

"(37) ~~A044C AUDIT COORDINATOR~~ ~~1~~ ~~GRADE GS10~~"

and

Page 3, delete line 10 in its entirety and substitute

"(51) ~~A066C INTERNAL AUDITOR~~ ~~4~~ ~~GRADE GS08~~"

and

Page 3, line 14, delete "5" and substitute "2"

and

Page 4, line 22, delete "627" and substitute "619".

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The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____
By: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
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Secretary

1 State of Arkansas
2 95th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2025

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SENATE BILL 39

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5 By: Joint Budget Committee
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
10 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
11 - DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR
12 ENDING JUNE 30, 2026; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE -
17 DIVISION OF WORKFORCE SERVICES
18 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2025-2026 FISCAL
19 YEAR.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the
25 Department of Commerce - Division of Workforce Services for the 2025-2026
26 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.
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Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2025-2026
32	(1) G323C	DIR OF ARKANSAS WORKFORCE CONNECTION	1	GRADE SE04
33	(2) U037U	ACOM DWS DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE03
34	(3) U065U	ACOM DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE01
35	(4) U070U	ACOM DWS DEPUTY DIRECTOR	2	GRADE SE01
36	(5) U036U	AR APPEALS TRIBUNAL CHAIRMAN	1	GRADE SE01



1	(6)	U076U DWS WORKFORCE INVESTMENT DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE01
2	(7)	D002N STATE DATABASE ADMINISTRATOR LEAD	2	GRADE IT11
3	(8)	D006N STATE SYSTEMS ARCHITECT	2	GRADE IT10
4	(9)	D001C STATE DATABASE ADMINISTRATOR	3	GRADE IT09
5	(10)	D007C INFORMATION SYSTEMS MANAGER	3	GRADE IT08
6	(11)	D017C INFORMATION SYSTEMS SECURITY SPEC	1	GRADE IT07
7	(12)	D038C SENIOR SOFTWARE SUPPORT ANALYST	12	GRADE IT06
8	(13)	D022C SYSTEMS SPECIALIST	1	GRADE IT06
9	(14)	D061C INFORMATION SYSTEMS COORDINATION SPEC	1	GRADE IT05
10	(15)	D052C SOFTWARE SUPPORT ANALYST	6	GRADE IT05
11	(16)	D071C COMPUTER SUPPORT ANALYST	2	GRADE IT03
12	(17)	G324C ASSISTANT DIRECTOR, REEMPLOYMENT	1	GRADE GS15
13	(18)	A139C CHIEF FISCAL OFFICER	1	GRADE GS15
14	(19)	G349C DWS CHIEF OF LEGAL SERVICES	1	GRADE GS15
15	(20)	G007N ACOM DWS GENERAL COUNSEL	1	GRADE GS14
16	(21)	N051N ACOM DWS ASST DIR, EMPLOYMENT ASSIST	1	GRADE GS13
17	(22)	N050N ACOM DWS ASST DIR, FINANCIAL MAN	1	GRADE GS13
18	(23)	N049N ACOM DWS ASST DIR, INFO AND TECH	1	GRADE GS13
19	(24)	N074N ACOM DWS ASST DIR, UNEMPLOYMENT INS	1	GRADE GS13
20	(25)	G004C MANAGING ATTORNEY	1	GRADE GS13
21	(26)	G010C ACOM DIVISION MANAGER	2	GRADE GS12
22	(27)	G016N ACOM DWS ASST DIR GRANTS RESOURCE ADM	1	GRADE GS12
23	(28)	P007N ACOM DWS DIRECTOR OF COMMUNICATIONS	1	GRADE GS12
24	(29)	G020C ACOM DWS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR	3	GRADE GS12
25	(30)	R006C HUMAN RESOURCES ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE GS12
26	(31)	A031C ASSISTANT CONTROLLER	3	GRADE GS11
27	(32)	G047C ATTORNEY SPECIALIST	4	GRADE GS11
28	(33)	G068C ACOM DWS AREA OPERATIONS CHIEF	6	GRADE GS10
29	(34)	E074C ACOM PROGRAM COORDINATOR	2	GRADE GS10
30	(35)	G076C ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES MANAGER	1	GRADE GS10
31	(36)	G073C ATTORNEY	11	GRADE GS10
32	(37)	A044C AUDIT COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS10
33	(38)	G288C ACOM DWS DIVISION MANAGER	2	GRADE GS09
34	(39)	R015C ACOM DWS EQUAL OPPORTUNITY MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
35	(40)	G243C ACOM DWS FIELD MANAGER III	2	GRADE GS09
36	(41)	G110C ACOM DWS PROGRAM MANAGER	12	GRADE GS09

1	(42)	E075C ACOM PROGRAM ADVISOR	9	GRADE GS09
2	(43)	R019C BUDGET MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
3	(44)	G109C GRANTS MANAGER	2	GRADE GS09
4	(45)	A082C ACCOUNTANT II	1	GRADE GS08
5	(46)	G128C ACOM DWS FIELD MANAGER II	14	GRADE GS08
6	(47)	G127C ACOM DWS PROGRAM OPERATIONS MANAGER	29	GRADE GS08
7	(48)	G114C ACOM DWS WORKFORCE INVEST REG ADVIS	2	GRADE GS08
8	(49)	R021C BUDGET ANALYST	2	GRADE GS08
9	(50)	A116C BUSINESS OPERATIONS MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08
10	(51)	A066C INTERNAL AUDITOR	4	GRADE GS08
11	(52)	R014C PERSONNEL MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08
12	(53)	V007C PROCUREMENT COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS08
13	(54)	A041C PROGRAM FISCAL MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08
14	(55)	A060C SENIOR AUDITOR	5 2	GRADE GS08
15	(56)	A089C ACCOUNTANT I	4	GRADE GS07
16	(57)	G149C ACOM DWS FIELD MANAGER I	10	GRADE GS07
17	(58)	G181C ACOM DWS PROGRAM MONITOR	52	GRADE GS07
18	(59)	G209C ACOM DWS PROGRAM SUPERVISOR	22	GRADE GS07
19	(60)	G196C ACOM DWS SATELLITE OFFICE SUPERVISOR	6	GRADE GS07
20	(61)	A085C ACOM DWS SR FIELD TAX REPRESENTATIVE	2	GRADE GS07
21	(62)	G138C AGENCY ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OFFICER	8	GRADE GS07
22	(63)	R024C ASSISTANT PERSONNEL MANAGER	1	GRADE GS07
23	(64)	A081C AUDITOR	3	GRADE GS07
24	(65)	C010C EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	3	GRADE GS07
25	(66)	A075C FINANCIAL ANALYST I	2	GRADE GS07
26	(67)	S017C MAINTENANCE COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS07
27	(68)	A065C PAYROLL SERVICES COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS07
28	(69)	A073C PROGRAM/FIELD AUDITOR SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE GS07
29	(70)	X047C REAL ESTATE MANAGER	1	GRADE GS07
30	(71)	E040C STAFF DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS07
31	(72)	A092C ACOM DWS FIELD TAX REP	14	GRADE GS06
32	(73)	C032C ACOM DWS UI CLAIM TECHNICIAN	9	GRADE GS06
33	(74)	X139C ACOM DWS UI INVESTIGATOR	10	GRADE GS06
34	(75)	G217C ACOM DWS WORKFORCE SPECIALIST	191	GRADE GS06
35	(76)	C037C ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	11	GRADE GS06
36	(77)	R027C BUDGET SPECIALIST	3	GRADE GS06

1	(78)	A074C FISCAL SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	5	GRADE GS06
2	(79)	R025C HUMAN RESOURCES ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
3	(80)	G179C LEGAL SERVICES SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS06
4	(81)	S033C MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR	3	GRADE GS06
5	(82)	A084C PROGRAM/FIELD AUDIT SPECIALIST	2	GRADE GS06
6	(83)	B076C RESEARCH PROJECT ANALYST	9	GRADE GS06
7	(84)	E046C TRAINING INSTRUCTOR	11	GRADE GS06
8	(85)	C050C ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS05
9	(86)	V014C BUYER	1	GRADE GS05
10	(87)	G220C DWS UNIT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS05
11	(88)	A091C FISCAL SUPPORT ANALYST	9	GRADE GS05
12	(89)	S032C PRINT SHOP SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS05
13	(90)	S031C SKILLED TRADESMAN	1	GRADE GS05
14	(91)	C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	10	GRADE GS04
15	(92)	A098C FISCAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST	13	GRADE GS04
16	(93)	R036C HUMAN RESOURCES SPECIALIST	2	GRADE GS04
17	(94)	C046C LEGAL SUPPORT SPECIALIST	9	GRADE GS04
18	(95)	S046C MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN	1	GRADE GS04
19	(96)	X183C ACOM DWS CLAIMS ADJUDICATOR	4	GRADE GS03
20	(97)	C073C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	8	GRADE GS03
21	(98)	C087C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST I	<u>2</u>	GRADE GS02
22		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	627 619	

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24 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated,

25 to the Department of Commerce, to be payable from the Division of Workforce

26 Services Trust Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the

27 Department of Commerce - Division of Workforce Services - Operations for the

28 fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

30	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
31	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
32	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$29,170,849
33	(02) EXTRA HELP	1,000,000
34	(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	11,642,535
35	(04) OVERTIME	360,000
36	(05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	