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June 12, 2018

Senator John Cooper, Co-Chairperson Representative Les Eaves, Co-Chairperson Uniform Personnel Classification and Compensation Plan Subcommittee

Arkansas Legislative Council State Capitol Building, Room 315 Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Co-Chairs:

The Office of Personnel Management (OPM) submits a request for the continuation of previously approved pool positions for the 2019 fiscal year. The requested positions for continuation are attached.

Currently there are fifteen (15) Growth Pools and fifty-two (52) Surrender Pool positions from twenty (20) state agencies that are not included in the FY19 appropriation acts.

After review of the request, the Office of Personnel Management **recommends** the approval of the continuation of these previously approved pool positions for FY19. Your consideration of this request is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

Kay Bunhill

Kay Barnhill State Personnel Administrator

Chief Fiscal Officer of the State

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AGENCY	POSITION	CLASS CODE	TITLE	GRADE	PAY RANGE	TYPE
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22165371	N204N	ADEQ Director of Special Projects	GS13	\$77,862,- \$112,899	Growth
Arkansas Department of			ADEQ Director of		\$77,862,- \$112,899	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Environmental Quanty Department of Agriculture	221000122	T110C	Agri Law Enforcement Chief	GS10	\$56,039- \$81,256	Growth
Department of Education	NEW*	NEW*	Director of Computer Science/Chief STEM Officer	GS15	\$96,960- \$140,592	Growth
Department of Emergency Management	22169415	C056C	Administrative Specialist III	GS04	\$29,046- \$42,116	Growth
Department of Human Services	22165525	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Growth
Department of Human Services	22165526	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Growth
Department of Human Services	22165527	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Growth
Department of Human Services	22165528	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Growth
Department of Human Services	22165529	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Growth
Department of Human Services	22165530	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Growth
Department of Human Services	22165531	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Growth
Department of Human Services	22165532	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Growth

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Department of Human Services	22165533	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Growth
Health Services Permit	22169347	G272C	HSPA Deputy Administrator	GS11	\$62,531- \$90,669	Growth
AETN	22170661	E071C	AETN Senior Director of Content	GS13	\$77,862- \$112,899	Surrender
Rank Denartment	77160704	A039C	Certified Bank Sr. Examiner	GS13	\$77,862,- \$112,899	Surrender
Crime Lab	22175598	B053C	Forensic Scientist	GS08	\$45,010-\$65,264	Surrender
Crime Lab	22175597	B053C	Forensic Scientist	GS08	\$45,010-\$65,264	Surrender
Department of Health	22175571	B143C	ADH Public Heath Veterinarian	MP05	\$99,991- \$145,987	Surrender
Department of Information Services	22174305	V038C	DIS IT Procurement Administrator	GS12	\$69,776- \$101,175	Surrender
Department of Information Services	22173011	D130C	DIS Disaster Recovery Manager	1T09	\$80,242- \$116,351	Surrender
Department of Information Services	22173012	G239C	DIS Chief General Counsel	SE01	\$108,110- \$147,200	Surrender
Department of Information Services	22173013	D123C	Database Administrator	IT08	\$71,704- \$103,970	Surrender
Department of Labor	22170376	A021C	Agency Controller I	GS12	\$69,776-\$101,175	Surrender
Disability Determination Social Security Administration	22169286	G292C	DDSSA Professional Relations Manager	GS12	\$69,776- \$101,175	Surrender
Military Department	22172782	N224N	Directorate of State Resources Director	GS14	\$86,887- \$125,986	Surrender
Northwest Tehcnical Institute	22172770	E071C	Ammonia & Industrial Trainer	GS10	\$56,039- \$81,256	Surrender
Northwest Tehcnical Institute	22172771	E071C	Ammonia & Industrial Trainer	GS10	\$56,039- \$81,256	Surrender
Public Service Commission	22173009	G073C	Attorney	GS10	\$56,039- \$81,256	Surrender
Public Service Commission	22173010	A046C	PSC Rate Case Analyst	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Surrender
Rehab Services	22170375	P078C	ARS Director of Communications	GS12	\$69,776- \$101,175	Surrender
School for the Deaf	22172141	M074C	Residential Advisor	GS03	\$26,034- \$37,749	Surrender

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School for the Deal State Police	221/2145	T007C	ASP Lieutenant	GS12	\$69.776	\$69.776- \$101.175
State Police	22172796	T007C	ASP Lieutenant	GS12	\$69,776-\$101,175	\$101,175
State Police	22172797	T007C	ASP Lieutenant	GS12	\$69,776-\$101,175	101,175
State Police	22172798	T003C	ASP Captain	GS13	\$77,862-\$112,899	12,899
State Police	22172799	T003C	ASP Captain	GS13	\$77,862-\$112,899	2,899
State Police	22172800	T003C	ASP Captain	GS13	\$77,862-\$112,899	2,899
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22169688	D129C	ADEQ Director of Information Technology	IT10	\$89,541- \$129,834	834
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22169690	B141C	ADEQ Used Tire Program Manager	GS13	\$77,862,- \$112,899	899
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22169692	B142C	ADEQ Used Tire Program Coordinator	GS12	\$69,776- \$101,175	175
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22169693	B142C	ADEQ Used Tire Program Coordinator	GS12	\$69,776- \$101,175	75
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22169694	B142C	ADEQ Used Tire Program Coordinator	GS12	\$69,776- \$101,175	75
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22169721	A137C	ADEQ Financial Manager	GS12	\$69,776- \$101,175	75
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22169723	A138C	ADEQ Tire Fund Coordinator	GS10	\$56,039- \$81,256	56
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22169724	C037C	Administrative Analyst	GS06	\$36,155- \$52,424	24
Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality	22169725	C037C	Administrative Analyst	GS06	\$36,155- \$52,424	24
Department of Human Services	22169672	M066C	Program Eligibility Specialist	GS06	\$36,155- \$52,424	24

Department of Human Services	22169673	M066C	Program Eligibility Specialist	GS06	\$36,155- \$52,424	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169674	M066C	Program Eligibility Specialist	GS06	\$36,155- \$52,424	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169675	M066C	Program Eligibility Specialist	GS06	\$36,155- \$52,424	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169676	M066C	Program Eligibility Specialist	GS06	\$36,155- \$52,424	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169677	G210C	DHS Program Specialist	GS06	\$36,155- \$52,424	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169678	G210C	DHS Program Specialist	GS06	\$36,155- \$52,424	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169679	G182C	DHS/DDS Program Coordinator	GS07	\$40,340- \$58,493	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169680	G183C	DHS Program Coordinator	GS07	\$40,340- \$58,493	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169681	G183C	DHS Program Coordinator	GS07	\$40,340- \$58,493	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169682	E025C	Educational Specialist	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169683	M009C	Licensed Certified Social Worker	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169684	G099C	DHS Program Administrator	GS09	\$50,222- \$72,821	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169685	G056C	DHS/DCC Asst Director Operations & Program Supervisor	GS13	\$77,862,- \$112,899	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169686	G290C	Asst Dep Dir Legislative Affairs	GS13	\$77,862,- \$112,899	Surrender
Department of Human Services	22169687	A136C	DHS Medicaid Chief Finance Officer	SE02	\$120,543- \$157,100	Surrender
Department of Parks and Tourism	22170373	N223N	ADPT Parks Division Deputy Director	GS14	\$86,887- \$125,986	Surrender

* received May 2018 PC

ARKANSAS STATE CRIME LABORATORY





Kermit B. Channell, II **Executive Director**

May 10, 2018

Ms. Kay Barnhill, State Personnel Administrator 1509 W 7th Street Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Barnhill,

We are requesting the current 2 pool positions obtained through Joint Budget Committee and your office be continued into fiscal year 2019. The two positions are Forensic Scientists, B053C and grade GS08.

Please let me know if you should need more information or have questions.

Sincerely,

John A Smith **Fiscal Officer**



Fax 501-221-1653 Phone 501-227-5936 Medical Examiner



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May 4, 2018

Ms. Kay K. Barnhill State Personnel Administrator 1509 W 7th Street, Room Ste. 201 Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

RE: Pool Positions for DCFS

Dear Ms. Barnhill:



DHS is requesting continuation of these 9 DCFS pool positions through the coming fiscal year.

22165525	G099C	GS09	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR
22165526	G099C	GS09	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR
22165527	G099C	GS09	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR
22165528	G099C	GS09	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR
22165529	G099C	GS09	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR
22165530	G099C	GS09	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR
22165531	G099C	GS09	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR
22165532	G099C	GS09	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR
22165533	G099C	GS09	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR

In 2015, the Governor commissioned a report on the foster care system. The report was completed by Paul Vincent and DCFS was tasked with complying with Mr. Vincent's recommendations which included strengthening DCFS practice in assessing safety assessment and engagement skills. To accomplish this recommendation and another recommendation of lowering caseloads, DCFS proposed a plan to the Governor to create a prevention and reunification unit. The unit included 10 program administrators, one administrator for each area, who would focus on consistent safety assessments, removal consults review, and permanency safety consults. Each position is assigned to the area to also support hiring caseworkers and supervising caseload management. The program administrators are the key staff in the regional area who are responsible for implementation of the goals and objections for each area related to safety, prevention, and reunification. As the divisions continues to make improvements to the foster care system, these positions are critical to the success of the organization. Thank you for your time and consideration on this matter. If there is anything else that you need, please let me know.

Sincerely

Jamin Hicks

Damian Hicks Deputy Chief Human Resource Officer

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May 17, 2018

Ms. Kay K. Barnhill State Personnel Administrator 1509 W 7th Street, Room Ste. 201 Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

RE: Pool Positions

Dear Ms. Barnhill:

DHS is requesting continuation of these 16 pool positions through the coming fiscal year.

Department of Human Services	22169672	M066C	PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST	GS06
Department of Human Services	22169673	M066C	PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST	GS06
Department of Human Services	22169674	M066C	PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST	GS06
Department of Human Services	22169675	M066C	PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST	GS06
Department of Human Services	22169676	M066C	PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY SPECIALIST	GS06
Department of Human Services	22169677	G210C	DHS PROGRAM SPECIALIST	GS06
Department of Human Services	22169678	G210C	DHS PROGRAM SPECIALIST	GS06
Department of Human Services	22169679	G182C	DHS/DDS PROGRAM COORDINATOR	GS07
Department of Human Services	22169680	G183C	DHS PROGRAM COORDINATOR	GS07
Department of Human Services	22169681	G183C	DHS PROGRAM COORDINATOR	GS07
Department of Human Services	22169682	E025C	EDUCATIONAL SPECIALIST	GS09
Department of Human Services	22169683	M009C	LICENSED CERTIFIED SOCIAL WORKER	GS09
Department of Human Services	22169684	G099C	DHS PROGRAM ADMINISTRATOR	GS09
Department of Human Services	22169685	G056C	DHS/DCC ASST DIR OPS & PROG SUPV	GS13
Department of Human Services	22169686	G290C	Asst Dep Dir Legislative Affairs	GS13
Department of Human Services	22169687	A136C	DHS Medicaid Chief Finance Officer	SE02

Thank you for your time and consideration on this matter. If there is anything else that you need, please let me know.

Sincerely

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Damian Hicks Deputy Chief Human Resource Officer



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> ARKANSAS STATE POLICE COMMISSION

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William J. Bryant Director

14 May 2018

Kay Barnhill State Personnel Administrator 1509 W 7th Street #201 Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: Request for Continuation of Pool Positions

Ms. Barnhill:

Arkansas State Police (ASP) would like to continue the Pool Positions authorized under ACA § 21-5-225. ASP is requesting the continuation of the following pool positions which were established during FY17 and FY18:

Position Number	Class Code	Title	Grade
22172795	T007C	ASP Lieutenant	GS12
22172796	T007C	ASP Lieutenant	GS12
22172797	T007C	ASP Lieutenant	GS12
22172798	T003C	ASP Captain	GS13
22172799	T003C	ASP Captain	GS13
22172800	T003C	ASP Captain	GS13

These positions were created using the swap pool. A total of seven (7) positions were surrendered to establish these seven (7) positions.

I appreciate your consideration on this matter and if you have any questions, please feel free to call Phillip Warriner at 501/618-8193.

Sincerely,

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Colonel William J. Bryant Director Arkansas State Police



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May 14, 2018



Ms. Kay Barnhill, Administrator Office of Personnel Management P. O. Box 3278 Little Rock, Arkansas 72203

Re: continuation of pool position for FY19

Dear Kay:

The Arkansas Agriculture Department respectfully requests the continuation of the below listed position for Fiscal Year 2019.

Agri Law Enforcement Chief Position – 22172774 Grade - GS10 Class Code – T110C

Sincerely,

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Wesley W. Ward Secretary of Agriculture State of Arkansas







STATE OF ARKANSAS



Disability Determination for Social Security Administration

701 SOUTH PULASKI STREET LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201 TELEPHONE 501-682-3030

ARTHUR BOUTIETTE Director

ASA HUTCHINSON Governor May 17, 2018

Ms. Kay Barnhill State Personnel Administrator Office of Personnel Management 1509 West Seventh Street, Suite 201 Little Rock, AR 72203

Dear Ms. Barnhill:

Disability Determination for Social Security Administration (DDSSA) is requesting a continuation of usage regarding pool position 22170659.

Following review by the Joint Budget Committee, the Office of Personnel Management approved DDSSA's request to obtain one pool position for use with a new classification of DDSSA Professional Relations Manager, effective 11/17/2017. In exchange for the pool position, DDSSA surrendered a position. Displayed below are the details of both positions.

	Surre	endered Positions			No	ew Positions	
Position Number	Class Code	Position Title	Grade	Position Number	Class Code	Position Title	Grade
22169286	G271C	DDSSA Medical Relations Manager	G511	22170659	G292C	DDSSA Professional Relations Manager	GS12

By surrendering a position, DDSSA did not sustain growth; therefore, I am hopeful that the request to continue using pool position 22170659 is approved.

Thank you for your consideration and if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

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Arthur Boutiette Agency Director

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Directorate of State Resources Bldg. 4201, Camp Robinson North Little Rock, Arkansas 72199-9600

ASA HUTCHINSON Governor Abbi Bruno Human Resources Administrator

May 9, 2018

Kay Barnhill, State Personnel Administrator Office of Personnel Management Department of Finance and Administration P. O. Box 3278 Little Rock, AR 72203

Dear Ms. Barnhill,

The Arkansas Military Department (AMD) respectfully requests to continue the following Pool position awarded in in November of 2017:

Position	Class	
number		Classification title
22172782	N224N	Directorate of State Resources Director

The pool position has been filled and AMD continues to need this position on a permanent basis.

The agency surrendered the following positions to obtain the pool position:

Position	Class	
number	Code	Classification title
22089552	T019C	Director of Public Safety
22089350	T078C	Military Fire and Police Officer
22078147	T078C	Military Fire and Police Officer
22088958	T051C	Public Safety Supervisor

Your approval of the continuation of above pool positions would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely, bruno

Abbi Bruno HR Administrator





- TO: Jennifer Davis State Senior Personnel Analyst
- FROM: Lela B. Hodges AETN Personnel Manager
- DATE: May 16, 2018
- RE: Continuation of Pool Position
- AETN wishes to continue the following pool position:



AGENCY: AETN

CLASSIFICATION: AETN Senior Director of Content

POSITION: 22170661

COST: \$77,862 (ENTRY)

NUMBER OF POSITIONS: 1

Please let me know if you need additional information. I can be reached at 501-682-0316 or via email at lhodges@aetn.org



May 15, 2018

Ms. Kay Barnhill State Personnel Administrator Office of Personnel Management 1509 West Seventh Street Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Barnhill

The Department of Information Systems is requesting to continue the pool positions for the classifications listed below for FY18/19.

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Position	Class	Title	Entry
22174305	V038C	DIS IT Procurement Administrator	\$69,776
22173011	D130C	DIS Disaster Recovery Manager	\$80,242
22173012	G293C	DIS Chief General Counsel	\$120,543
22173013	D123C	Database Administrator	\$71,704

Thank you,

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DIS Human Resources Director



DEPARTMENT OF PARKS & TOURISM

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May 11, 2018

Larry Walther Chief Financial Officer, DFA 1509 West 7th Street Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: Pool Position Continuation 22170373 N223N ADPT Parks Division Deputy Director

Dear Mr. Walther:

We are requesting permission to continue our previously approved pool positon of ADPT Parks Division Deputy Director (see attached). The deputy director position continues to be needed to coordinate the critical interaction between section managers for construction, major maintenance, resource interpretation, park operations and emergency services. We are finding having this new position is a tremendous help in producing workflow and cost efficiencies in the Parks Division.

I would appreciate your timely review and approval of our continuation request. Please let me know if you need additional information on this matter.

> Sincerely, David Flake ADPT Administration Manager



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May 17, 2018

Kay Barnhill, State Personnel Administrator Office of Personnel Management Department of Finance and Administration P. O. Box 3278 Little Rock, AR 72203



Dear Ms. Barnhill:

As approved by the Joint Budget Committee, the Office of Personnel Management, we are requesting the continuation of the **one** position from the OPM surrender pool established by Arkansas Code 21-5-225 (a)(1) effective 8/23/2017:



CLASSIFICATION REQUESTEDCLASS CODEPAY GRADESex Offender Community Notification
Assessment AdministratorT109CGS12

If you have any questions concerning this request, please feel free to contact me at 870-850-8523.

Sincerely,

Stacia Lenderman

Stacia Lenderman Human Resources Administrator

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May 11, 2018

Ms. Kay Barnhill State Personnel Administrator, Office of Personnel Management Department of Finance and Administration 1509 West 7th Street Little Rock, Arkansas 72203

Dear Ms. Barnhill,

The Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality (ADEQ) is requesting continuation of existing pool positions into fiscal year 2019.

_	Position	Code	Title	Grade
C	22165371	N204N	ADEQ Director of Special Projects	GS13
G.	22165372	N205N	ADEQ Director of Compliance	GS13
0	22169688	D129C	ADEQ Director of Information Technology	IT10
2	22169690	B141C	ADEQ Used Tire Program Manager	GS13
	22169692	B142C	ADEQ Used Tire Program Coordinator	GS12
	22169693	B142C	ADEQ Used Tire Program Coordinator	GS12
	22169694	B142C	ADEQ Used Tire Program Coordinator	GS12
	22169721	A137C	ADEQ Financial Manager	GS12
	22169723	A138C	ADEQ Tire Fund Coordinator	GS10
	22169724	C037C	Administrative Analyst	GS06
	22169725	C037C	Administrative Analyst	GS06

The ADEQ Director of Special Projects addresses Department priorities related to program assessment and improvements in order to reduce waste.

The ADEQ Director of Compliance is responsible for promoting integrity, accountability, and efficiency by reviewing investigations within programs.

The remaining positions are needed in order to manage the regulatory demands introduced by the passage of Act 317 that created the Used Tire Recycling and Accountability Program.

Sincerely,

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Becky W. Keogh Director, ADEQ

Asa Hutchinson Governor

Leon Jones, Jr. Director



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May 16, 2018

Ms. Kay Barnhill, State Personnel Administrator Office of Personnel Management Department of Finance & Administration 1509 West Seventh Street, Suite 201 Little Rock, AR 72203

Dear Ms. Barnhill:

This letter is the Arkansas Department of Labor's formal request of continuation of a previously approved pool position into Fiscal Year 2019. Although the position does not appear in the agency appropriation Bill SB13 for FY 2019 the agency would like to request continuation of this position. It is needed to ensure that the Finance Division of the Agency is managed in compliance with federal and state laws, regulations and best financial practices. This position oversees the collection; receipting and deposits of fees collected by the Agency for services and manages federal grants. It is critical to the financial well-being of the Agency.

Position#22170376; Class Code: A021C; Title: Agency Controller; Grade: GS12 Eff. Date: 11/5/2017; Current Employee: Karen Fricke

The Agency requested the above position to replace Position #22120320 which had an approved classification of Attorney Specialist, Class Code G47C, and Grade C126 under the prior pay plan. Due to ongoing concerns with the finance division it was determined that the Agency needed to hire a controller and the position was crossgraded to hire an Agency Controller I, Class Code A021C, also Grade C126. The position was vacant when the new pay plan was implemented in July 2017 and it reverted to the original classification of Attorney Specialist, a Grade GS11 in the new plan, a lower Grade than Agency Controller I which is a GS12 in the new pay plan. The pool position was requested and approved to replace the GS11 position with a GS12 position. Ms. Fricke was hired into the Pool Position #22170376 as the Agency Controller I and Position #22120320 was surrendered to OPM.

Your consideration of this request is greatly appreciated. For additional information please contact Veronica Alexander at 682-2811.

Best Regards,

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Leon Jones, Jr. Director



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Ms. Kay Barnhill, State Personnel Administrator Department of Finance and Administration Office of Personnel Management 5907 West 7th St., Suite 201 Post Office Box 3278 Little Rock, AR 72203-3278



May 8, 2018

Re: Pool Positions

Dear Ms. Barnhill,

On November 17, 2017, following a review by the Joint Budget Committee, the Office of Personnel Management approved the request to obtain 2 positions from OPM surrender pool established by Arkansas Code 21-5-225 (a)(1), along with a new classification effective 11/17/2017. The new positions are in the new classification of Ammonia & Industrial Trainer. We are requesting authorization for the continuance of the new positions (2) and classification (Ammonia & Industrial Trainer) for fiscal year 2018/2019.

Thank you for your consideration of this request. Please feel free to contact me if you should have any questions or require additional information.

Respectfully,

Mike Hamley Vice President Finance and Operations Northwest Technical Institute

CC: File

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Kimberly A. O'Guinn Commissioner (501) 682-5809

May 11, 2018

Ms. Kay Barnhill State Personnel Administrator Office of Personnel Management 1509 W. 7th Street Little Rock, AR 72201

Re: Pool position retention

Dear Ms. Barnhill:

ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION 1000 Center Street P.O. Box 400 Little Rock, Arkansas 72203-0400 http://www.Arkansas.gov/psc





The Arkansas Public Service Commission obtained two pool positions in the 2018 fiscal year and requests to retain these two positions. They are as follows:

Attorney - position #22173009, grade GS10 class code G073C PSC Rate Case Analyst – position #22173010, grade GS09, class code A046C

The Attorney position is needed to support the General Staff Legal Section in addressing issues pertaining to jurisdictional utilities implementation of formula rate mechanisms. With the passage of Act 725 of 2015, the jurisdictional utilities are making annual filings under this new rate review process. The Agency staff will require additional legal support in these proceedings. There are several filings related to the utility energy efficiency programs annually that also require the development and presentation of testimony, reports, and legal pleadings before the Commission. Additionally these proceedings require the Commission to conduct public hearings and this Attorney position assists in those proceedings.

The PSC Rate Case Analyst position is needed to enable the Commission to meet the increased responsibilities of working with the Southwest Power Pool and Mid-Continent Independent System Operator Regional Transmission Organizations (RTOs). Both of these organizations have numerous committee and working group meetings that require more staffing to effectively perform the Commissions required responsibilities. The level of work with the RTOs alone has more than doubled in recent years. Additionally, there are increasing numbers of filings before the Commission with utility formula rate plan (FRP) filings.

It is critical that the Commissions' Staff retain both of these positions. I appreciate your consideration of this request. If you need additional information please contact Vikki Hearn or me.

Sincerely,

Ted J. Thomas



Arkansas Department of Health

4815 West Markham Street • Little Rock, Arkansas 72205-3867 • Telephone (501) 661-2000 Governor Asa Hutchinson Nathaniel Smith, MD, MPH, Director and State Health Officer

May 23, 2018

Ms. Kay Barnhill, State Personnel Administrator Department of Finance and Administration Office of Personnel Management 1509 W. 7th Street Little Rock, AR 72203

Re: Continuations of Pool Positions

Dear Ms. Barnhill,

The Arkansas Department of Health is requesting continuation of a recently approved Pool Position. In April of 2018 the Personnel Committee approved our agency's requests to receive the establishment of two new classifications and one surrender pool position. This position was not absorbed into our appropriation Act for the 2018-2019 fiscal years due to timing in the budget session. We are requesting approval of the following Pool Position to be continued:

22175571 B143C ADH PUBLIC HEALTH VETERINARIAN MP05

Your consideration of the request is greatly appreciated. Please contact me at (501) 661-2748 if you need additional information.

Sincerely,

Tracy D. Bradford, ADH Chief Human Resources Officer Arkansas Department of Health



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STATE OF ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT



A.J. Gary DIRECTOR

May 2, 2018

Kay Barnhill Terry, OPM Administrator DF&A Office of Personnel Mgmt. P.O. Box 3278 Little Rock, AR 72203

Dear Ms. Terry,

The Arkansas Department of Emergency Management is requesting a continuance of the following approved pool positions:

BA	Agency Name	Position #	Class Code	Position Title	Grade	Effective Date	Position Type	
995	ADEM	22169415		Administrative Specialist	GS04	7/2/2017	OPM-Gro	Mh

Thank you for your consideration on this request. Please let me know if there is anything else you need.

Sincerely,

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Tina Owens ADEM Deputy Director



State of Arkansas Arkansas Health Services Permit Agency

5800 West 10th Street, Ste. 805 Little Rock, AR 72204 Office phone: 501-661-2509; Fax: 501-661-2399 <u>http://www.arhspa.org</u>

Asa Hutchinson-Governor Tracy Steele-Director

Memorandum

May 10, 2018

To: Kay Barnhill, State Personnel Administrator DF&A Office of Personnel Management 1509 W 7th St # 201 Little Rock, AR 72201

RE: Continuation of Growth Pool Position for SFY 2019

Dear Ms.Barnhill:

Our Agency is requesting to continue the growth pool position that was awarded to the agency in SFY 2018 for SFY 2019. The HSPA Deputy Administrator position is a GS11 under the new pay plan. Position number: 22169347; and Class Code: G272C.

Justification:

The awarding of the growth pool position permanently placed an employee with our agency that was transferred to us from DHS. This position supervises and performs programmatic, fiscal, and personnel duties for the agency. If our agency is not able to continue with the position the employee will not have a position with the state for SFY 2019.

I ask that you would look favorably on our request for continuation of this growth pool position. If you have any questions, please feel free to call me at the above number.

Sincerely,

Tracy Steele HSPA Director



Arkansas State Bank Department

Candace A. Franks Commissioner Asa Hutchinson Governor

May 14, 2018

Kay Barnhill, Administrator Office of Personnel Management 1509 W. 7th Street, Suite 201 Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Kay:

The Arkansas State Bank Department is requesting continued authorization of our pool position for FY19. This position is currently filled by one of our Trust examiners.

Position	Title	Class Code	Grade
22169294	Certified Bank Sr. Examiner	A039C	GS13

As Commissioner, I certify that the Bank Department does have the funds to support this position.

If additional information is needed, please contact me or my Fiscal Division Manager, Gail Green at 324-9019.

Sincerely,

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Candace A. Franks Commissioner



Asa Hutchinson Governor Department of Career Education Arkansas Rehabilitation Services D. Alan McClain, Commissioner

May 9, 2018

Kay Barnhill Terry, State Personnel Administrator Office of Personnel Management, Suite 201 Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration Post Office Box 3278 Little Rock, Arkansas 72203-3278



RE: Pool Request - Fiscal Year 2018 Director of Communications, P001N, Grade GS12

Dear Ms. Terry:

The purpose of this letter is to officially request continuation of the Director of Communications pool position. Career Education is an agency in transition facilitated by a collaborative partnership with Arkansas business and industry. The Director of Communications is responsible for managing the public relations aspect of the agency. The Director helps build and sustain the reputation of the agency by providing accurate, reliable, and substantive information. In addition, the Director is tasked with managing the agency brand through internal communications and external media relations. All written press releases and information relayed to the public are delivered through the Communication Office. The expected cost of the position is estimated at \$74,696.10 for the upcoming fiscal year.

Your assistance and support to continue the Director of Communications position for this agency is needed and appreciated. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

DeCarlia Smith, Human Resources Administrator Department of Career Education



Directorate of State Resources Bldg 4201, Camp Robinson North Little Rock, Arkansas 72199-9600

MARK H. BERRY Major General SCOTT STANGER Directorate of State Resources Director

May 9, 2018

Kay Barnhill, State Personnel Administrator Office of Personnel Management Department of Finance and Administration P.O. Box 3278 Little Rock, AR 7203

Dear Ms. Barnhill,

The Arkansas Military Department (AMD) respectfully request to continue the following Pool position awarded in November of 2017:

Position number:	Class Code:	Classification Title
2217-2782	N224N	Directorate of State Resources Director

The pool position has been filled and AMD continues to need this position on a permanent basis.

Than agency surrendered the following position to obtain the pool position:

Position number:	Class Code:	Classification Title
2208-9552	T019C	Director of Public Safety
2208-9350	T078C	Military Fire and Police Officer
2207-8147	T078C	Military Fire and Police Officer

Your approval of the continuation of above pool positions would be greatly appreciated.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely Jodi A. Porterfield Chief Fiscal Officer