

State of Arkansas  
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 By: Joint Budget Committee

HOUSE BILL 1842

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - DELTA CULTURAL CENTER FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1991; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Delta Cultural Center for the 1989-91 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act, or its successor.

| Item No. | Class Code | Title                      | Maximum No. of Employees | Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Years |         |
|----------|------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|---|---------|
|          |            |                            |                          | 1989-90                                 | 1990-91 |
| (01)     | 500Z       | DAH Delta Cul. Ctr. Dir.   | 1                        | Grade 23                                |         |
| (02)     | 540Z       | DAH Mgr. of Historic Prop. | 1                        | Grade 20                                |         |
| (03)     | R298       | Agency Prog. Coordinator   | 1                        | Grade 19                                |         |
| (04)     | N328       | Information Officer II     | 1                        | Grade 17                                |         |
| (05)     | R010       | Admin. Assistant II        | 1                        | Grade 16                                |         |
| (06)     | A002       | Accountant I               | 1                        | Grade 15                                |         |

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|------|------|--------------------------|----------|----------|
| (07) | K133 | Management Support Tech. | 1        | Grade 13 |
| (08) | T073 | Watchman II              | 2        | Grade 05 |
| (09) | G175 | Maintenance Worker II    | <u>1</u> | Grade 03 |
|      |      | Maximum No. of Employees | 10       |          |

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Delta Cultural Center for the 1989-91 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: Four (4) 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, for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Delta Cultural Center to be payable from the Department of Arkansas Heritage Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Delta Cultural Center, for the biennial period ending June 30, 1991, the following:

| Item                            | Fiscal Years   |               |
|---------------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| No. _____                       | 1989-90 _____  | 1990-91 _____ |
| (01) Regular Salaries           | \$ 99,320      | \$160,219     |
| (02) Extra Help                 | 15,000         | 15,000        |
| (02) Personal Services Matching | 41,312         | 59,068        |
| (03) Maint. & Gen. Operation    |                |               |
| (A) Operating Expenses          | \$139,368      | \$195,713     |
| (B) Conf. & Travel              | 5,000          | 5,000         |
| (C) Professional Fees           | 150,000        | 45,000        |
| (D) Capital Outlay              | <u>300,000</u> | <u>20,000</u> |
| Total Maint. & Gen. Oper.       | 594,368        | 265,713       |
| Total Amount Appropriated       | \$750,000      | \$500,000     |

SECTION 4. There is established on the books of the State Treasurer, State Auditor, and Chief Fiscal Office of the State a Cash Fund to known as the "Delta Cultural Center Cash Fund". This Cash Fund shall consist of gifts, grants, donations, and fees related to programs and services offered by the center, there to be used to provide support for the programs of the Department

of Arkansas Heritage - Delta Cultural Center.

SECTION 5. REGULAR SALARIES - CASH FUND. There is hereby established for the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Delta Cultural Center for the 1989-91 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act, or its successor.

| Item No.                 | Class Code | Title        | Maximum No. of Employees | Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Years |         |
|--------------------------|------------|--------------|--------------------------|---|---------|
|                          |            |              |                          | 1989-90                                 | 1990-91 |
| (01)                     | K153       | Secretary II | 1                        | Grade 11                                |         |
| Maximum No. of Employees |            |              | 1                        |   |         |

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS - CASH FUND. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Delta Cultural Center to be payable from the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Delta Cultural Center Cash Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Delta Cultural Center, for the biennial period ending June 30, 1991, the following:

| Item No. | Description                | Fiscal Years |           |
|----------|----------------------------|--------------|-----------|
|          |                            | 1989-90      | 1990-91   |
| (01)     | Regular Salaries           | \$ 11,934    | \$ 12,263 |
| (02)     | Personal Services Matching | 3,370        | 3,618     |
| (03)     | Maint. & Gen. Operation    |              |           |
|          | (A) Operating Expenses     | \$ 30,000    | \$ 30,000 |
|          | (B) Conf. & Travel         | 10,000       | 10,000    |
|          | (C) Purchase for Resale    | 5,000        | 5,000     |
|          | Total Maint. & Gen. Oper.  | \$ 45,000    | \$ 45,000 |
|          | Total Amount Appropriated  | \$ 60,304    | \$ 60,881 |

SECTION 7. 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 Purchasing 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 8. 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 9. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 10. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Seventh General Assembly, that Arkansas is blessed with a diverse set of cultures, and that the Mississippi Delta is one of the most depressed areas in Arkansas. In order to preserve the heritage of the Delta as well as to capitalize on an abundant opportunity for tourism development in Eastern Arkansas, Arkansas should proceed with plans to develop a multi-state historic, cultural, and performing arts center at Helena. Since the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; and the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1989 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 Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1989 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essen-

tial 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, 1989.