

1 State of Arkansas
2 84th General Assembly
3 Second Extraordinary Session, 2003
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Call Item 5

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1138

5 By: Representative C. Johnson
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL
10 SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE
11 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - OFFICE OF EDUCATION
12 RENEWAL ZONES FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE
13 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
17 - OFFICE OF EDUCATION RENEWAL ZONES
18 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2003-2005
19 BIENNIUM.
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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25 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OFFICE OF EDUCATION RENEWAL ZONES. There is
26 hereby established for the Department of Education - Office of Education
27 Renewal Zones for the 2003-2005 biennium, the following maximum number of
28 regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the
29 Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et
30 seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however,
31 that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein
32 in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform
33 Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions
34 authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular
35 Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its
36 successor.



Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate	
				2003-2004	2004-2005
1	(1)	OERZ DIRECTOR	1	GRADE 26	
2	(2)	TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE SPECIALIST	4	GRADE 21	
3	(3)	R010 ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	1	GRADE 17	
4	(4)	KI53 SECRETARY II	<u>1</u>	GRADE 13	
5	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES		7		

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11 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - OFFICE OF EDUCATION RENEWAL ZONES. There is
 12 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education, to be payable from the
 13 Department of Education Public School Fund Account, for Educational Renewal
 14 Zone Grants and personal services and operating expenses for the Department
 15 of Education - Office of Education Renewal Zones for the biennial period
 16 ending June 30, 2005, the following:

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ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2003-2004	2004-2005
18 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 0	\$ 283,938
19 (02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	0	79,503
20 (03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
21 (A) OPER. EXPENSE	0	60,800
22 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0	13,500
23 (C) PROF. FEES	0	2,430,000
24 (D) CAP. OUTLAY	0	0
25 (E) DATA PROC.	0	0
26 (04) EDUCATIONAL RENEWAL ZONE GRANTS	<u>0</u>	<u>1,890,000</u>
27 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 0</u>	<u>\$ 4,757,741</u>

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31 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized
 32 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds
 33 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the
 34 restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and
 35 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
 36 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal

1 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
2 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
3 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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5 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
6 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
7 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
8 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
9 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
10 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
11 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
12 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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14 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
15 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
16 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that due to the
17 November 2002 Arkansas Supreme Court decision regarding the inadequacy of
18 Arkansas public schools the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2004 is
19 essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this
20 Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Second
21 Extraordinary Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond
22 July 1, 2004 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and
23 provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is
24 hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate
25 preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force
26 and effect from and after July 1, 2004.