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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 92

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

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

16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF  
17 TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED 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 - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES. There is  
25 hereby established for the Department of Transformation and Shared Services  
26 for the 2025-2026 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular  
27 employees.  
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Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate
				Fiscal Year 2025-2026
33	(1) SC014	SEC OF TRANSFORMATION & SHARED SERVICES	1	GRADE SE05
34	(2) U061U	TSS CHIEF OF STAFF	1	GRADE SE03
35	(3) N036N	TSS EBD DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE02
36	(4) N032N	TSS OPM DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE02



1	(5)	N031N TSS OSP DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE02
2	(6)	G293C TSS CHIEF GENERAL COUNSEL	1	GRADE SE01
3	(7)	D012N TSS DEPUTY ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE SE01
4	(8)	L038C REGISTERED NURSE	1	GRADE MP01
5	(9)	D006N STATE SYSTEMS ARCHITECT	1	GRADE IT10
6	(10)	D136C TSS IT PROJECT MANAGER DIRECTOR	1	GRADE IT10
7	(11)	D141C TSS ERP SYSTEM MANAGER	1	GRADE IT09
8	(12)	D007C INFORMATION SYSTEMS MANAGER	1	GRADE IT08
9	(13)	D028C SENIOR SOFTWARE SUPPORT SPECIALIST	1	GRADE IT07
10	(14)	D033C DFA ERP ANALYST	5	GRADE IT06
11	(15)	D038C SENIOR SOFTWARE SUPPORT ANALYST	1	GRADE IT06
12	(16)	D027C SOFTWARE ENGINEER	2	GRADE IT06
13	(17)	D142C TSS ERP ANALYST	1	GRADE IT06
14	(18)	D023C TSS STATE SYSTEMS SPECIALIST	1	GRADE IT06
15	(19)	D052C SOFTWARE SUPPORT ANALYST	1	GRADE IT05
16	(20)	R003C TSS ASST EBD ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE GS15
17	(21)	R001C TSS ASST PERSONNEL ADMINISTRATOR	2	GRADE GS15
18	(22)	V001C TSS ASST PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATOR	2	GRADE GS15
19	(23)	A132C TSS BUSINESS SERVICES ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE GS15
20	(24)	G306C TSS CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER	1	GRADE GS15
21	(25)	N207N TSS CHIEF PRIVACY OFFICER	1	GRADE GS15
22	(26)	G307C TSS LEGAL COUNSEL	1	GRADE GS15
23	(27)	A010C AGENCY CONTROLLER II	1	GRADE GS13
24	(28)	R051C TSS STATEWIDE PROGRAM MANAGER	5	GRADE GS13
25	(29)	V038C TSS IT PROCUREMENT ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE GS12
26	(30)	V003C TSS PROCUREMENT DIVISION MANAGER	2	GRADE GS12
27	(31)	A031C ASSISTANT CONTROLLER	1	GRADE GS11
28	(32)	G047C ATTORNEY SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS11
29	(33)	R052C TSS STATEWIDE PROGRAM COORDINATOR	18	GRADE GS11
30	(34)	G036C TSS DIVISION MANAGER	1	GRADE GS10
31	(35)	A052C ACCOUNTING COORDINATOR	2	GRADE GS09
32	(36)	P004C PUBLIC INFORMATION MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
33	(37)	X038C QUALITY ASSURANCE MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
34	(38)	V034C TSS STATEWIDE PROCUREMENT COORDINATOR	7	GRADE GS09
35	(39)	R053C TSS STATEWIDE PROGRAM SPECIALIST	8	GRADE GS09
36	(40)	A082C ACCOUNTANT II	1	GRADE GS08

1	(41)	X062C QUALITY ASSURANCE COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS08
2	(42)	R028C TSS STATEWIDE PAYROLL SYS SPECIALIST	3	GRADE GS08
3	(43)	V035C TSS STATEWIDE PROCUREMENT SPECIALIST	16	GRADE GS08
4	(44)	V042C TSS SURPLUS PROPERTY SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS08
5	(45)	C010C EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	2	GRADE GS07
6	(46)	P013C PUBLIC INFORMATION COORDINATOR	2	GRADE GS07
7	(47)	R018C TSS EBD PROGRAM SUPERVISOR	3	GRADE GS07
8	(48)	C037C ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	4	GRADE GS06
9	(49)	R022C BENEFITS COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS06
10	(50)	A074C FISCAL SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
11	(51)	R025C HUMAN RESOURCES ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
12	(52)	B076C RESEARCH PROJECT ANALYST	7	GRADE GS06
13	(53)	D070C TSS ACCOUNTS SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS06
14	(54)	V040C TSS BUYER	1	GRADE GS06
15	(55)	R034C TSS EBD BENEFITS SPECIALIST	9	GRADE GS06
16	(56)	V041C TSS SURPLUS PROPERTY AGENT	8	GRADE GS06
17	(57)	R033C BENEFITS ANALYST	14	GRADE GS05
18	(58)	A091C FISCAL SUPPORT ANALYST	1	GRADE GS05
19	(59)	C057C ADMINISTRATION SUPPORT SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS04
20	(60)	C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	5	GRADE GS04
21	(61)	V021C SURPLUS PROPERTY AGENT	2	GRADE GS04
22	(62)	C073C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS03
23		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	168	

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25 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES. There is hereby  
 26 authorized, for the Department of Transformation and Shared Services for the  
 27 2025-2026 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary  
 28 employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated  
 29 herein for such purposes: thirty (30) temporary or part-time employees, when  
 30 needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform  
 31 Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the  
 32 appropriate classification.

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34 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - OPERATIONS.  
 35 There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared  
 36 Services, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal

1 services and operating expenses of the Department of Transformation and  
 2 Shared Services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

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4 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
5 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
6 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$9,055,074
7 (02) EXTRA HELP	91,512
8 (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	3,093,407
9 (04) OVERTIME	5,000
10 (05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
11 (A) OPER. EXPENSE	2,431,672
12 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	46,600
13 (C) PROF. FEES	162,589
14 (D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
15 (E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
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17 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$14,885,854</u></u>

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19 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - MARKETING AND  
 20 REDISTRIBUTION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of  
 21 Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Property Sales  
 22 Holding Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department  
 23 of Transformation and Shared Services - Statewide Shared Services - Marketing  
 24 and Redistribution for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

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26 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
27 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
28 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$619,090
29 (02) EXTRA HELP	5,000
30 (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	263,698
31 (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
32 (A) OPER. EXPENSE	358,605
33 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	1,000
34 (C) PROF. FEES	24,000
35 (D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
36 (E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>

1 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$1,271,393

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3 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - PURCHASE AND  
4 CORPORATE TRAVEL CARD PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
5 Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the  
6 Purchase and Corporate Travel Card Program Fund, for providing appropriation  
7 to allow for rebates coming into the State from vendor banks and for  
8 distribution to participating agencies and for operating expenses connected  
9 with the administration of the program by the Department of Transformation  
10 and Shared Services - Statewide Shared Services - Purchase and Corporate  
11 Travel Card Program for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:  
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13 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
14 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
15 (01) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	<u>\$4,000,000</u>

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17 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - INFORMATION  
18 TECHNOLOGY. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of  
19 Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the State Central  
20 Services Fund, for information technology services expenses of the Department  
21 of Transformation and Shared Services - Statewide Shared Services for the  
22 fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:  
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24 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
25 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
26 (01) INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	<u>\$600,000</u>

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28 SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - COMMISSION  
29 STIPEND AND MILEAGE PAYMENTS. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
30 Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Employee Benefits  
31 Division, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund, for payment of  
32 stipends and mileage to commission members for the fiscal year ending June  
33 30, 2026, the following:  
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35 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
36 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>

1	(01) PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFIT	
2	ADVISORY COMMISSION MILEAGE & STIPEND	
3	PAYMENTS	\$50,000
4	(02) STATE EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFIT	
5	ADVISORY COMMISSION MILEAGE & STIPEND	
6	PAYMENTS	<u>50,000</u>
7	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$100,000</u></u>

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9 SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE SHARED SERVICES - EMPLOYEE

10 BENEFITS DIVISION - MISCELLANEOUS CASH. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
 11 Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the cash  
 12 fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal  
 13 Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the  
 14 Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Statewide Shared Services  
 15 - Employee Benefits Division - Miscellaneous Cash for the fiscal year ending  
 16 June 30, 2026, the following:

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18	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
19	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
20	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$927,650
21	(02) EXTRA HELP	100,000
22	(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	367,404
23	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
24	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	953,222
25	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	71,800
26	(C) PROF. FEES	24,000
27	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
28	(E) DATA PROC.	0
29	(05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	<u>717,700</u>
30	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$3,161,776</u></u>

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32 SECTION 9. REGULAR SALARIES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - STATE  
 33 OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for the Department of Transformation  
 34 and Shared Services - Building Authority Division for the 2025-2026 fiscal  
 35 year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

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Item	Class		Maximum	Maximum Annual
No.	Code	Title	No. of	Salary Rate
			Employees	Fiscal Year
				2025-2026
(1)	U052U	TSS ABA DIRECTOR	1	GRADE SE02
(2)	B003N	TSS STATE ARCHITECT	1	GRADE GS14
(3)	B002N	TSS STATE ENGINEER	1	GRADE GS14
(4)	U080U	TSS ABA DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS13
(5)	B023C	ENGINEER, P.E.	1	GRADE GS11
(6)	G036C	TSS DIVISION MANAGER	2	GRADE GS10
(7)	R019C	BUDGET MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
(8)	B042C	ENGINEER	1	GRADE GS09
(9)	B021C	LICENSED ARCHITECT	2	GRADE GS09
(10)	S004C	MAINTENANCE MANAGER	2	GRADE GS08
(11)	C010C	EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS07
(12)	B076C	RESEARCH PROJECT ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
(13)	S022C	SKILLED TRADES SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
(14)	S013C	TSS BUILDING/PROGRAM SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
(15)	A088C	ASSETS COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS05
(16)	X129C	CONSTRUCTION INSPECTOR	3	GRADE GS05
(17)	B090C	ENGINEER TECHNICIAN	1	GRADE GS05
(18)	C056C	ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1	GRADE GS04
(19)	X153C	REAL ESTATE ANALYST	<u>3</u>	GRADE GS04
MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES			26	

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority Division for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2025-2026
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES \$1,591,448
(02)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING 569,156

1	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
2	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	45,955
3	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	6,200
4	(C) PROF. FEES	0
5	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
6	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
7	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$2,212,759</u>

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9 SECTION 11. REGULAR SALARIES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - BUILDING

10 MAINTENANCE. There is hereby established for the Department of

11 Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority Division for the

12 2025-2026 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

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			Maximum Annual
			Salary Rate
			Fiscal Year
Item	Class	Maximum	2025-2026
No.	Code Title	No. of	Employees
		Employees	Grade
18	(1) B042C ENGINEER	1	GRADE GS09
19	(2) S107C TSS BUILDING OPERATIONS ASST MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
20	(3) S094C ADC CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE COORD	1	GRADE GS08
21	(4) S004C MAINTENANCE MANAGER	2	GRADE GS08
22	(5) S106C LICENSED TRADESMAN	3	GRADE GS07
23	(6) S017C MAINTENANCE COORDINATOR	6	GRADE GS07
24	(7) C037C ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
25	(8) S022C SKILLED TRADES SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE GS06
26	(9) S013C TSS BUILDING/PROGRAM SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE GS06
27	(10) V014C BUYER	1	GRADE GS05
28	(11) S031C SKILLED TRADESMAN	4	GRADE GS05
29	(12) S037C TSS BUILDING MAINTENANCE SPECIALIST	8	GRADE GS05
30	(13) S046C MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN	1	GRADE GS04
31	(14) S065C MAINTENANCE ASSISTANT	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS01
32	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	33	

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34 SECTION 12. EXTRA HELP - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - BUILDING

35 MAINTENANCE. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of

36 Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority Division for the



1 2025-2026 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary  
 2 employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated  
 3 herein for such purposes: nine (9) temporary or part-time employees, when  
 4 needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform  
 5 Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the  
 6 appropriate classification.

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8 SECTION 13. APPROPRIATION - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - BUILDING  
 9 MAINTENANCE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of  
 10 Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Building Authority  
 11 Division Maintenance Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of  
 12 the Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority  
 13 Division for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

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15 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
16 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
17 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$1,510,442
18 (02) EXTRA HELP	15,000
19 (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	617,095
20 (04) OVERTIME	40,000
21 (05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
22 (A) OPER. EXPENSE	13,659,015
23 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	15,000
24 (C) PROF. FEES	50,000
25 (D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
26 (E) DATA PROC.	0
27 (06) DEBT SERVICE	5,002,186
28 (07) CRITICAL MAINTENANCE	6,500,000
29 (08) FACILITIES MANAGEMENT CONTINGENCY	125,000
30 (09) RENT OF SPACE	<u>121,000</u>
31 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$27,654,738</u>

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33 SECTION 14. REGULAR SALARIES - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - JUSTICE  
 34 BUILDING OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for the Department of  
 35 Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority Division for the  
 36 2025-2026 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
(1)	S017C	MAINTENANCE COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS07
(2)	S037C	TSS BUILDING MAINTENANCE SPECIALIST	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS05
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	2	

SECTION 15. APPROPRIATION - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - JUSTICE BUILDING OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Building Authority Division Maintenance Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority Division for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$91,441
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	37,182
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	569,453
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	15,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$713,076</u></u>

SECTION 16. APPROPRIATION - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - JUSTICE BUILDING MAINTENANCE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Justice Building Fund, for maintenance of the Justice Building by the Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority Division for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
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1	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
2	(01) SPECIAL MAINTENANCE	<u>\$404,293</u>

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4 SECTION 17. APPROPRIATION - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - ACQUISITION  
 5 AND MAINTENANCE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of  
 6 Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Building Authority  
 7 Division Real Estate Fund, for the acquisition and maintenance of facilities  
 8 and land by the Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Building  
 9 Authority Division for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

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11	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
12	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
13	(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
14	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$300,000
15	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
16	(C) PROF. FEES	1,506,650
17	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
18	(E) DATA PROC.	0
19	(02) CONSTRUCTION/ACQUISITION/MAINTENANCE	<u>2,500,000</u>
20	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$4,306,650</u>

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22 SECTION 18. APPROPRIATION - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - JUSTICE  
 23 BUILDING CONSTRUCTION - CASH. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
 24 Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the cash  
 25 funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801, for operating expenses of the  
 26 Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority  
 27 Division for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

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29	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
30	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
31	(01) CONSTRUCTION	<u>\$2,000,000</u>

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33 SECTION 19. APPROPRIATION - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - SUSTAINABLE  
 34 BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of  
 35 Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Sustainable  
 36 Building Design Revolving Loan Fund, for transfers or loans to state

1 agencies, boards or commissions for construction, renovation, maintenance and  
 2 operating expenses of the Department of Transformation and Shared Services -  
 3 Building Authority Division - Sustainable Building Design Program for the  
 4 fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the following:

6	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
7	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
8	(01) LOANS	<u>\$10,739,371</u>

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 10 SECTION 20. APPROPRIATION - BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - CASH. There  
 11 is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared  
 12 Services, to be payable from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as  
 13 determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for building  
 14 improvements by the Department of Transformation and Shared Services -  
 15 Building Authority Division for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the  
 16 following:

18	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
19	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
20	(01) BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS	<u>\$2,865,890</u>

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 22 SECTION 21. REGULAR SALARIES - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS. There  
 23 is hereby established for the Department of Transformation and Shared  
 24 Services - Division of Information Systems for the 2025-2026 fiscal year, the  
 25 following maximum number of regular employees.

27				Maximum Annual
28				Salary Rate
29	Item	Class	Maximum	Fiscal Year
30	<u>No.</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>No. of</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
	<u>No.</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Employees</u>	
31	(1)	U060U	TSS DIS DIRECTOR	1 GRADE SE04
32	(2)	U073U	TSS DIS DEPUTY DIRECTOR	1 GRADE SE03
33	(3)	N013N	TSS CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	1 GRADE SE02
34	(4)	D003N	TSS STATE CHIEF SECURITY OFFICER	1 GRADE SE02
35	(5)	N206N	TSS CHIEF DATA OFFICER	1 GRADE IT12
36	(6)	D002N	STATE DATABASE ADMINISTRATOR LEAD	1 GRADE IT11

1	(7)	D127C	TSS CHIEF OF TECHNOLOGY	1	GRADE	IT11
2	(8)	D135C	TSS DATA SCIENTIST	1	GRADE	IT11
3	(9)	D128C	TSS DIVISION ADMINISTRATOR	5	GRADE	IT11
4	(10)	D134C	TSS ENTERPRISE ARCHITECT	1	GRADE	IT11
5	(11)	D132C	TSS ENTERPRISE CLOUD ARCHITECT	1	GRADE	IT11
6	(12)	D133C	TSS ENTERPRISE CLOUD ENGINEER	1	GRADE	IT11
7	(13)	D131C	TSS ENTERPRISE CLOUD STRATEGIST	1	GRADE	IT11
8	(14)	D006N	STATE SYSTEMS ARCHITECT	3	GRADE	IT10
9	(15)	D138C	TSS DATA CENTER MANAGER	1	GRADE	IT10
10	(16)	D010C	TSS DATA WAREHOUSE LEAD	1	GRADE	IT10
11	(17)	D137C	TSS NETWORK ARCHITECT	1	GRADE	IT10
12	(18)	D009C	TSS OPERATIONS CENTER MANAGER	1	GRADE	IT10
13	(19)	D001C	STATE DATABASE ADMINISTRATOR	3	GRADE	IT09
14	(20)	D003C	STATE SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR LEAD	2	GRADE	IT09
15	(21)	D139C	TSS DATA ENGINEER	1	GRADE	IT09
16	(22)	D130C	TSS DISASTER RECOVERY MANAGER	1	GRADE	IT09
17	(23)	D125C	TSS SR. STATE SERVER ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE	IT09
18	(24)	D005C	TSS STATE IT SECURITY ANALYST	3	GRADE	IT09
19	(25)	D123C	DB ADMINISTRATOR	6	GRADE	IT08
20	(26)	D007C	INFORMATION SYSTEMS MANAGER	2	GRADE	IT08
21	(27)	D006C	SOFTWARE ENGINEER LEAD	3	GRADE	IT08
22	(28)	D014C	STATE SYSTEMS ADMINISTRATOR	3	GRADE	IT08
23	(29)	V039C	TSS IT SOURCING PROJECT MANAGER	2	GRADE	IT08
24	(30)	D004C	TSS STATE NETWORK SUPPORT LEAD	3	GRADE	IT08
25	(31)	D122C	IT PROJECT MANAGER	1	GRADE	IT07
26	(32)	D029C	SENIOR GIS ANALYST	1	GRADE	IT07
27	(33)	D028C	SENIOR SOFTWARE SUPPORT SPECIALIST	1	GRADE	IT07
28	(34)	D015C	STATE NETWORK ENGINEER	4	GRADE	IT07
29	(35)	D042C	DATA WAREHOUSE SPECIALIST	5	GRADE	IT06
30	(36)	D038C	SENIOR SOFTWARE SUPPORT ANALYST	2	GRADE	IT06
31	(37)	D027C	SOFTWARE ENGINEER	6	GRADE	IT06
32	(38)	D025C	STATE IT SECURITY SPECIALIST	8	GRADE	IT06
33	(39)	D022C	SYSTEMS SPECIALIST	1	GRADE	IT06
34	(40)	D049C	TSS PROJECT MANAGER	3	GRADE	IT06
35	(41)	D026C	TSS STATE HELP DESK LEAD	1	GRADE	IT06
36	(42)	D024C	TSS STATE NETWORK SPECIALIST	19	GRADE	IT06

1	(43)	D023C TSS STATE SYSTEMS SPECIALIST	12	GRADE IT06
2	(44)	D063C COMPUTER SUPPORT SPECIALIST	14	GRADE IT05
3	(45)	D045C TSS STATE SYSTEMS ANALYST	11	GRADE IT05
4	(46)	D058C COMPUTER OPERATIONS COORDINATOR	1	GRADE IT04
5	(47)	D032C TSS IT ASSET MANAGER	1	GRADE IT04
6	(48)	D071C COMPUTER SUPPORT ANALYST	5	GRADE IT03
7	(49)	D069C TSS SCHEDULER	1	GRADE IT03
8	(50)	D046C TSS STATE PRODUCTION CONTROL SUPVR	2	GRADE IT03
9	(51)	D084C COMPUTER OPERATOR	6	GRADE IT02
10	(52)	A132C TSS BUSINESS SERVICES ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE GS15
11	(53)	A010C AGENCY CONTROLLER II	1	GRADE GS13
12	(54)	A014C FISCAL DIVISION MANAGER	1	GRADE GS12
13	(55)	D096C TSS EEF SR SYSTEM ADMINISTRATOR	1	GRADE GS12
14	(56)	G076C ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES MANAGER	1	GRADE GS10
15	(57)	D031C TSS DISASTER RECOVERY ANALYST	1	GRADE GS10
16	(58)	G069C TSS QUALITY ASSURANCE LEAD	1	GRADE GS10
17	(59)	A052C ACCOUNTING COORDINATOR	2	GRADE GS09
18	(60)	P004C PUBLIC INFORMATION MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
19	(61)	A029C TSS FISCAL MANAGER	1	GRADE GS09
20	(62)	G098C TSS QUALITY ASSURANCE COORDINATOR	1	GRADE GS09
21	(63)	A068C TSS BILLING SERVICES MANAGER	1	GRADE GS08
22	(64)	D041C TSS TECHNICAL ACCOUNTS SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS08
23	(65)	C010C EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT TO THE DIRECTOR	1	GRADE GS07
24	(66)	D053C TSS ACCOUNT ANALYST	1	GRADE GS07
25	(67)	C037C ADMINISTRATIVE ANALYST	2	GRADE GS06
26	(68)	D070C TSS ACCOUNTS SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS06
27	(69)	A048C TSS RATE ANALYST	1	GRADE GS06
28	(70)	A091C FISCAL SUPPORT ANALYST	6	GRADE GS05
29	(71)	D077C HELP DESK SPECIALIST	4	GRADE GS05
30	(72)	C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1	GRADE GS04
31	(73)	V025C WAREHOUSE SPECIALIST	1	GRADE GS04
32	(74)	C073C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	<u>3</u>	GRADE GS03
33		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	194	

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35 SECTION 22. EXTRA HELP - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS. There is  
 36 hereby authorized, for the Department of Transformation and Shared Services -

1 Division of Information Systems for the 2025-2026 fiscal year, the following  
 2 maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra  
 3 Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: eighteen  
 4 (18) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to  
 5 exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or  
 6 its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

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 8 SECTION 23. APPROPRIATION - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS -  
 9 OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of  
 10 Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Division of  
 11 Information Systems Revolving Fund, for personal services and operating  
 12 expenses of the Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Division  
 13 of Information Systems for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the  
 14 following:

16 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
17 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
18 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$13,277,446
19 (02) EXTRA HELP	215,000
20 (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	4,442,905
21 (04) OVERTIME	66,000
22 (05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
23 (A) OPER. EXPENSE	11,224,996
24 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	75,001
25 (C) PROF. FEES	575,000
26 (D) CAP. OUTLAY	1,000,000
27 (E) DATA PROC.	0
28 (06) TELECOMMUNICATION/TECHNOLOGY DELIVERY	<u>59,702,882</u>
29 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$90,579,230</u>

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 31 SECTION 24. APPROPRIATION - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS - EQUIPMENT  
 32 ACQUISITIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY IMPROVEMENTS. There is hereby  
 33 appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be  
 34 payable from the Information Technology Reserve Fund, for major equipment  
 35 acquisitions and information technology improvements, as set out in Arkansas  
 36 Code §25-4-122 and §25-4-123 by the Department of Transformation and Shared

1 Services - Division of Information Systems for the fiscal year ending June  
 2 30, 2026, the following:

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4	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
5	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
6	(01) EQUIPMENT ACQUISITIONS AND	
7	INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY IMPROVEMENTS	<u>\$3,500,000</u>

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9 SECTION 25. REGULAR SALARIES - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS  
 10 OFFICE. There is hereby established for the Department of Transformation and  
 11 Shared Services - Arkansas Geographic Information Systems Office for the  
 12 2025-2026 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

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			Maximum	Annual
			No. of	Salary Rate
16	Item	Class	No. of	Fiscal Year
17	<u>No.</u>	<u>Code Title</u>	<u>Employees</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
18	(1)	D149C STATE GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYM OFF	1	GRADE IT12
19	(2)	D007N TSS STATE GEOGRAPHIC INFO OFFICER	1	GRADE IT10
20	(3)	D008C TSS GIS LEAD	1	GRADE IT08
21	(4)	D029C SENIOR GIS ANALYST	4	GRADE IT07
22	(5)	D040C GIS ANALYST	1	GRADE IT06
23	(6)	D023C TSS STATE SYSTEMS SPECIALIST	1	GRADE IT06
24	(7)	B016N TSS LAND SURVEY STATE SURVEYOR	1	GRADE GS12
25	(8)	B074C SURVEYOR	1	GRADE GS09
26	(9)	C056C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1	GRADE GS04
27	(10)	C073C ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	<u>1</u>	GRADE GS03
28		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	13	

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30 SECTION 26. EXTRA HELP - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS  
 31 OFFICE. There is hereby authorized, for the Department of Transformation and  
 32 Shared Services - Arkansas Geographic Information Systems Office for the  
 33 2025-2026 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary  
 34 employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated  
 35 herein for such purposes: one (1) temporary or part-time employees, when  
 36 needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform



1 Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the  
 2 appropriate classification.

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 4 SECTION 27. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS  
 5 OFFICE - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of  
 6 Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from the Miscellaneous  
 7 Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the  
 8 Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Arkansas Geographic  
 9 Information Systems Office for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, the  
 10 following:

12 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
13 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
14 (01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$937,797
15 (02) EXTRA HELP	6,463
16 (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	318,867
17 (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
18 (A) OPER. EXPENSE	470,742
19 (B) CONF. & TRAVEL	14,350
20 (C) PROF. FEES	107,000
21 (D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
22 (E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
23 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$1,855,219</u></u>

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 25 SECTION 28. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS  
 26 OFFICE - GEOSTOR & FRAMEWORK. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
 27 Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Arkansas Geographic  
 28 Information Systems Office, to be payable from the Geographic Information  
 29 Systems Fund, to carry out the duties, responsibilities, and authority of the  
 30 Arkansas State Land Information Board as described by Arkansas Code 15-21-  
 31 504; to create, operate, and maintain Geostor, the Arkansas Spatial Data  
 32 Infrastructure; and to create, update, maintain, and disseminate framework  
 33 spatial data as defined by Arkansas Code 15-21-502 for the fiscal year ending  
 34 June 30, 2026, the following:

36 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
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1	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2025-2026</u>
2	(01) GEOSTOR & FRAMEWORK	<u>\$1,200,000</u>

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4 SECTION 29. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
5 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. BUILDING  
6 AUTHORITY DIVISION - TRANSFER OF FUNDS - JUSTICE BUILDING OPERATIONS ACTUAL  
7 EXPENDITURES. Building Authority Division may from time to time as may be  
8 necessary and in such amounts as may be necessary and with the approval of  
9 the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, request a transfer of funds from the  
10 State Central Services Fund to the Arkansas Building Authority Maintenance  
11 Fund for operation of the Justice Building for actual expenditures, in an  
12 amount not to exceed the dollar amount appropriated in the Justice Building  
13 Operation Section. Upon his or her approval, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the  
14 State shall then initiate the necessary transfer documents to reflect the  
15 transfer upon the fiscal records of the State Auditor, the State Treasurer,  
16 the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and Building Authority Division.

17 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2024~~  
18 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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20 SECTION 30. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
21 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. BUILDING  
22 AUTHORITY DIVISION - TRANSFER OF FUNDS. Building Authority Division is  
23 hereby authorized, after seeking the approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of  
24 the State and the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee to  
25 request transfer from the appropriation made in the Building Maintenance  
26 Section for Building Maintenance to the Acquisition and Maintenance  
27 appropriation in the Acquisition and Maintenance Section and to receive from  
28 another state agency that seeks like approvals its authority, appropriation  
29 and the transfer of funds to be deposited into the Building Authority  
30 Division Real Estate Fund to become part of the Acquisition and Maintenance  
31 appropriation, and to be used for any purposes as set forth by law for said  
32 Real Estate Fund.

33 Determining the maximum number of employees and the maximum amount of  
34 appropriation and general revenue funding for a state agency each fiscal year  
35 is the prerogative of the General Assembly. This is usually accomplished by  
36 delineating such maximums in the appropriation act(s) for a state agency and

1 the general revenue allocations authorized for each fund and fund account by  
2 amendment to the Revenue Stabilization law. Further, the General Assembly  
3 has determined that Building Authority Division may operate more efficiently  
4 if some flexibility is provided to Building Authority Division authorizing  
5 broad powers under this section. Therefore, it is both necessary and  
6 appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight by requiring prior  
7 approval of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee as provided by  
8 this section. The requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or  
9 Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of this section. If the  
10 requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee  
11 is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, this entire  
12 section is void.

13 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2024~~  
14 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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16 SECTION 31. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
17 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. BUILDING  
18 AUTHORITY DIVISION CONTINGENCY APPROPRIATION TRANSFER AUTHORITY. Building  
19 Authority Division may transfer appropriation and funds as needed from the  
20 Facilities Management Contingency Appropriation in the Building Maintenance  
21 Section of this Act to any appropriation authorized for Building Authority  
22 Division.

23 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2024~~  
24 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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26 SECTION 32. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
27 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. BUILDING  
28 AUTHORITY DIVISION - TRANSFER TO FACILITIES MANAGEMENT CONTINGENCY  
29 APPROPRIATION AUTHORITY. (a) In order to provide a more cost effective method  
30 to address the emerging infrastructure needs of Arkansas State Government,  
31 appropriations and funds transferred to the Facilities Management Contingency  
32 Appropriation are to be used in the event that the Building Authority  
33 Division executes one or more building contracts or maintenance agreements  
34 with State Agencies, and the appropriations or funds otherwise provided for  
35 the Building Authority Division are not sufficient to address those needs,  
36 and it is more cost effective for Building Authority Division to execute

1 these services. Any State Agency may transfer or deposit funds and  
2 appropriations to Building Authority Division - Facilities Management  
3 Contingency Appropriation authorized in the Building Maintenance Section of  
4 this Act to execute one or more building contracts or maintenance agreements  
5 with said State Agencies. Building Authority Division shall provide  
6 justification to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State for the need of such  
7 appropriations and funds transfers and seek and receive approval of the Chief  
8 Fiscal Officer of the State. Building Authority Division shall then seek and  
9 receive the approval of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget  
10 Committee. The requirement of approval by the Arkansas Legislative Council  
11 or Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of the section. If the  
12 requirement of approval by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget  
13 Committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction,  
14 this entire section is void.

15 (b) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall make the necessary  
16 adjustments on his or her books and the books of the Auditor of the State for  
17 the transfer or deposit of the funds and appropriations from each State  
18 Agency to the appropriation authorized in the Building Maintenance Section of  
19 this Act and to the various Building Authority Division accounts to be used  
20 exclusively by Building Authority Division for the fiscal year.

21 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2024~~  
22 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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24 SECTION 33. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
25 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

26 BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM - TRANSFER.

27 In the event there is not sufficient appropriation and/or funding provided  
28 for by the General Assembly for any state agency, board or commission to  
29 participate in the Sustainable Building Design Program for renovations of  
30 state owned property which exceeds two hundred fifty thousand dollars  
31 (\$250,000), the agency may request a transfer from the Sustainable Building  
32 Design Program appropriation authorized in the Sustainable Building Design  
33 Program Section of this Act from the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State. The  
34 request shall clearly state the amount required and such other information as  
35 may be required by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State necessary to make a  
36 decision regarding the request. Upon approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of

1 the State and prior review by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint  
2 Budget Committee, the State Auditor shall be notified as of the amount and  
3 the purposes for which the appropriation and/or funding is to be transferred  
4 and shall be established upon the books of the Department of Finance and  
5 Administration and the State Auditor. If desired, the appropriation may be  
6 supplemental to those regularly appropriated for like purposes by the General  
7 Assembly for that agency.

8 Provided further, that all state agencies, boards or commissions shall  
9 have prior approval by the Building Authority Division as authorized for the  
10 Sustainable Building Design Program in accordance with established Rules and  
11 Regulations.

12 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2024~~  
13 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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15 SECTION 34. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
16 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.  
17 BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION - SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM - REVOLVING  
18 LOAN FUND. The Sustainable Building Design Program Appropriation is intended  
19 to provide additional appropriation authority for the Sustainable Building  
20 Design Program. Funding for the program may be made available by the Chief  
21 Fiscal Officer of the State, in the form of a loan, from a transfer from the  
22 Sustainable Building Design Revolving Loan Fund after the required review by  
23 the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee, approval by the  
24 Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and approval through rules established and  
25 administered by Building Authority Division. Moneys made available for the  
26 repayment of a loan shall be deposited to the credit of the Sustainable  
27 Building Design Revolving Loan Fund as a "Refund to Expenditure" for the year  
28 in which the deposit is made. In the event that the funds for the repayment  
29 of a loan are held in depositories other than the State Treasury, the  
30 administrative head of the affected state agency shall issue a check drawn  
31 against the funds, which shall be deposited in the Sustainable Building  
32 Design Revolving Loan Fund.

33 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2024~~  
34 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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36 SECTION 35. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS

1 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. BUILDING  
2 AUTHORITY DIVISION - FUNDING TRANSFER - CASH FUND ACCOUNT. Building  
3 Authority Division is authorized to transfer any unspent funds remaining in  
4 any cash fund account established for the management of a state owned  
5 facility managed by, but not owned by, Building Authority Division to the  
6 Building Authority Maintenance Fund to support the facility's Maintenance and  
7 Operations appropriations.

8 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2024~~  
9 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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11 SECTION 36. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
12 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.  
13 DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS - COMPLIANCE WITH STATE AND FEDERAL  
14 REGULATIONS.

15 1. In order to effect compliance with the requirements of state and federal  
16 statutory and regulatory provisions, the Director shall adjust billing rates  
17 or issue billing adjustments to be federally compliant, notwithstanding the  
18 provisions of ACA §25-4-105 and §25-4-119 or funds sufficient to effect  
19 compliance shall be provided the Division from General Revenues, Special  
20 Revenues or such other fund sources as may become available. These actions  
21 shall be subject to the approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and  
22 approval by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee.

23 2. The Director shall have authority to transfer funds between the  
24 Information Technology Reserve Fund established by ACA §25-4-123 and the  
25 Division of Information Systems Revolving Fund established by ACA §25-4-121  
26 for cash management purposes.

27 Determining the maximum number of employees and the maximum amount of  
28 appropriation and general revenue funding for a state agency each fiscal year  
29 is the prerogative of the General Assembly. This is usually accomplished by  
30 delineating such maximums in the appropriation act(s) for a state agency and  
31 the general revenue allocations authorized for each fund and fund account by  
32 amendment to the Revenue Stabilization law. Further, the General Assembly  
33 has determined that the Division of Information Systems may operate more  
34 efficiently if some flexibility is provided to the Division of Information  
35 Systems authorizing broad powers under this section. Therefore, it is both  
36 necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight by

1 requiring prior approval of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee  
2 as provided by this section. The requirement of approval by the Legislative  
3 Council or Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of this section.  
4 If the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget  
5 Committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction,  
6 this entire section is void.

7 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2024~~  
8 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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10 SECTION 37. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
11 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. TRANSFER  
12 PROVISION - LINE ITEMS - DIVISION OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS - OPERATIONS. After  
13 receiving approval from the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and prior  
14 review by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee, the  
15 Secretary of the Department of Transformation and Shared Services is  
16 authorized to transfer appropriation between the line items authorized herein  
17 for the Division of Information Systems - Operations to best utilize  
18 resources to respond to the needs of the Division's customers.

19 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2024~~  
20 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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22 SECTION 38. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
23 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. ARKANSAS  
24 GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS OFFICE - TRANSFER OF CARRY FORWARD. Any  
25 unexpended balance of funds remaining on June 30 of each fiscal year in the  
26 Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account for the Arkansas Geographic Information  
27 Systems Office, shall be transferred to the Geographic Information Systems  
28 Fund to be used for operating and maintaining the Arkansas Spatial Data  
29 Infrastructure, creating, updating, maintaining and disseminating framework  
30 spatial data as defined by Arkansas Code §15-21-502.

31 (1) Prior to June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026 the Agency shall by written statement set  
32 forth its reason(s) for the need to carry forward said funding to the  
33 Department of Finance and Administration Office of Budget;

34 (2) The Department of Finance and Administration Office of Budget shall  
35 report to the Arkansas Legislative Council all amounts carried forward by the  
36 September Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee meeting

1 which report shall include the name of the Agency, Board, Commission or  
2 Institution and the amount of the funding carried forward, the program name  
3 or line item, the funding source of the appropriation and a copy of the  
4 written request set forth in (1) above;

5 (3) Each Agency, Board, Commission or Institution shall provide a written  
6 report to the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee  
7 containing all information set forth in item (2) above, along with a written  
8 statement as to the current status of the project, contract, purpose, etc.  
9 for which the carry forward was originally requested no later than thirty  
10 (30) days prior to the time the Agency, Board, Commission or Institution  
11 presents its budget request to the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint  
12 Budget Committee; and

13 (4) Thereupon, the Department of Finance and Administration shall include  
14 all information obtained in item (3) above in the biennial budget manuals  
15 and/or a statement of non-compliance by the Agency, Board, Commission or  
16 Institution.

17 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1,  
18 ~~2024~~ 2025 through June 30, ~~2025~~ 2026.

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20 SECTION 39. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
21 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
22 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
23 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
24 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
25 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
26 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
27 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
28 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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30 SECTION 40. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
31 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
32 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
33 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
34 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
35 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
36 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative



1 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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3 SECTION 41. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the  
4 General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits  
5 the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the  
6 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2025 is essential to the operation of  
7 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
8 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the  
9 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2025 could work irreparable harm  
10 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
11 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
12 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health  
13 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2025.

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15 */s/Joint Budget Committee*  
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