

**REQUEST FOR SPECIAL LANGUAGE
IN APPROPRIATION ACT**

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CURRENT SPECIAL LANGUAGE (WITH AGENCY REQUEST)	EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION
<p>HUNTERS FEEDING THE HUNGRY. Arkansas Hunters Feeding the Hungry is designed to share the harvest of an abundant resource with Arkansans' who are in need of food, partner with the Game and Fish Commission in order to provide a solution for a healthy, balanced deer herd, provide a much needed free, low fat, high protein food source to the many feeding agencies and organizations across Arkansas and create a provider purpose for hunters who participate, allowing them to give back and share with others. In order to help sustain the Arkansas Hunters Feeding the Hungry program in Arkansas the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission may establish a check off or other appropriate methods to raise revenue for support of the program. The intent of this Section is to encourage the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission to examine opportunities available to provide support for the Arkansas Hunters Feeding the Hungry program.</p> <p>The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2014 <u>2015</u> through June 30, 2015 <u>2016</u>.</p>	<p>NO RECOMMENDATION</p>

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CURRENT SPECIAL LANGUAGE (WITH AGENCY REQUEST)	EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION
<p>PAYMENT OF REWARDS. Payment of rewards shall be from the Game Protection Fund from the Commission's Maintenance and General Operation appropriation as herein appropriated in Section 3, Item No. (06)(A).</p> <p>The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2014 <u>2015</u> through June 30, 2015 <u>2016</u>.</p>	<p>NO RECOMMENDATION</p>

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<p>EXTRA HELP RESTRICTION. No employee of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission who is employed as extra help may receive an amount to exceed eighty-five percent (85%) of the maximum annual salary for a comparable position as authorized under § 21-5-201 et seq. during any fiscal year, nor shall such an employee be employed for a period of time to exceed one thousand eight hundred (1,800) hours in any single fiscal year.</p>	<p>NO RECOMMENDATION</p>

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<p>TRANSFER PROVISION. After receiving approval from the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, and prior review by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee, the Agency is authorized to transfer appropriation from any line item authorized in Section 3 Operations to any other line item authorized in Section 3 and the Agency is authorized to transfer appropriation from any line item authorized in Section 4 Gas Lease Revenues to any other line item authorized in Section 4.</p> <p>The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2014<u>2015</u> through June 30, 2015<u>2016</u>.</p>	<p align="center">NO RECOMMENDATION</p>

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<p>OVERTIME. The Arkansas Game and Fish Commission is hereby authorized to make overtime payments from such funds and appropriations provided for overtime payments to those wildlife officers or other employees that are currently assigned or may be assigned by the Director of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission or by an appointed designate to Special Law Enforcement Task Forces, Special Operations, and other special programs reimbursable to the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission by federal or local authorities as approved by the Director of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission. All such overtime payments shall be processed through the State Accounting System and shall be in addition to the Regular Salaries and benefits accruing to the employee(s).</p> <p>The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2014<u>2015</u> through June 30, 2015<u>2016</u>.</p>	<p>NO RECOMMENDATION</p>

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<p><u>PAYMENT OF ACCRUED LEAVE. The Arkansas Game and Fish Commission is hereby authorized to pay all accrued and unused annual, holiday, and sick leave to the estate of any wildlife officer who dies in the line of duty. Such payments are subject to budgetary constraints and shall be disbursed after receipt of the official death certificate.</u></p> <p><u>The provisions of this section shall be in effect from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016.</u></p>	<p>NO RECOMMENDATION</p>