

2023 - 2025 REQUEST FOR SPECIAL LANGUAGE IN APPROPRIATION ACT

0710 DHS - County Operations Division

ACT#: 197

SECTION#: 8

CURRENT SPECIAL LANGUAGE (WITH AGENCY REQUEST)

EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION

INTER-AGENCY TRANSFER OF STATE GENERAL REVENUE FOR TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES (TANF) PROGRAMS. Upon the request of the Secretary of the Department of Human Services (DHS) and the Director of the Department of Workforce Services (DWS), the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may approve up to \$3,640,650 in State General Revenue appropriated to DWS for the TANF Program to be transferred to the Department of Human Services - Division of County Operations in support of Arkansas' Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) Programs or any related Separate State Programs. The Director of the Division of Workforce Services shall provide a report of all transfers made to the DHS - Division of County Operations to the Performance Evaluation and Expenditure Review Committee of the Arkansas Legislative Council and/or Joint Budget Committee. The report must include the justification for and the amount of the completed transfers.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2022~~ 2023 through June 30, ~~2023~~ 2024.

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EXECUTIVE RECOMMENDATION

SPECIAL LANGUAGE - CODE AMENDMENT. Arkansas Code Title 12, Chapter 75, Subchapter 1, is amended to codify special language in appropriation acts by adding an additional section to read as follows:

AGENCY REQUEST

12-75-139. Division of County Operations - Employees.

If a state of disaster emergency under this chapter or a federal disaster is declared, the Division of County Operations may:

(1) Contract labor for periods that exceed the limitations imposed by rules adopted by the Department of Finance and Administration;

and

(2) Waive the limitation of one thousand five hundred (1,500) hours per state fiscal year for extra help positions under § 21-5-224.