

STATE BOARD OF ACCOUNTANCY

Ruth R. Lee, Executive Director

A.R.S. § 32-701

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Board of Accountancy Fund	FY 1999 Actual	FY 2000 Estimate	FY 2001 Approved
FTE Positions	10.0	10.0	10.0
Personal Services	285,300	298,500	304,200
Employee Related Expenditures	60,100	65,100	67,700
Professional and Outside Services	332,500	403,200	485,900
Travel - In State	16,100	20,400	20,400
Travel - Out of State	6,200	6,300	6,300
Other Operating Expenditures	217,700	249,100	250,300
Equipment	7,500	12,100	12,100
Operating Subtotal	925,400	1,054,700	1,146,900
Special Investigations	148,500	184,700	184,700
Legal Services	183,500	289,200	393,600
Total Appropriations	1,257,400	1,528,600 ^{1/}	1,725,200 ^{2/}

Agency Description — *The board licenses, investigates, and conducts examinations of certified public accountants and public accountants.*

Legal Services — The approved supplemental amount adds \$64,700 in FY 2000 and \$169,100 in FY 2001 to the Legal Services Special Line Item for additional legal staff to assist with the board's increased caseload.

Rules Writer — The approved supplemental amount adds \$50,000 in FY 2001 to contract with legal counsel to draft rules and legislation reflecting recent updates to the Accountancy Act.

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^{1/} This appropriation is available for use pursuant to the provisions of A.R.S. § 35-143.01C and is exempt from the provisions of A.R.S. § 35-190, relating to lapsing of appropriations until June 30, 2001. In addition to the amounts appropriated in FY 2001, an increase of \$50,000 or 20% of the agency's total appropriations, whichever is greater is appropriated to the agency in FY 2001 for unanticipated costs. Before expending any of these monies, the agency shall submit the intended use of the monies to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee for review. (General Appropriation Act footnote, as amended by Laws 2000, Chapter 3)

^{2/} General Appropriation Act funds are appropriated as an Operating Lump Sum with Special Line Items by Agency.