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1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: *Joint Budget Committee***

A Bill

ACT 161 OF 1993
HOUSE BILL 1374

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BLACK RIVER
9 TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT FOR A
10 BURN BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

13 **"AN ACT FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE**
14 **CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."**

16 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:**

18 **SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS.** There is hereby appropriated, to the Black River
19 Technical College, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or
20 fund accounts, the following:

21 **(A) For construction, equipment and other associated costs of a Burn Building, the**
22 **sum of \$250,000.**

24 **SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS.** (A) No contract may be awarded
25 nor obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects described herein in
26 excess of the State Treasury funds actually available therefor as provided by law. Provided,
27 however, that institutions and agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use
28 grants and donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or funds,
29 or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State Treasury funds for financing
30 the entire costs of the project or projects enumerated herein. Provided further, that the
31 appropriations and funds otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and
32 General Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall not be
33 used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this Act.

34 **(B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing Law, the**
35 **General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law and any**

1 **other applicable fiscal control laws of this State and regulations promulgated by the**
2 **Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied**
3 **with in disbursement of any funds provided by this Act unless specifically provided otherwise**
4 **by law.**

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6 **SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT.** It is the intent of the General Assembly that
7 **any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this Act shall be in**
8 **compliance with the stated reasons for which this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency**
9 **Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the**
10 **budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or**
11 **summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint**
12 **Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.**

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14 **SECTION 4. CODE.** All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature are
15 **amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision**
16 **Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.**

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18 **SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY.** If any provision of this Act or the application thereof
19 **to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions**
20 **or applications of the Act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application,**
21 **and to this end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.**

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23 **SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER.** All laws and parts of laws in conflict with
24 **this Act are hereby repealed.**

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26 **SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE.** It is hereby found and determined by the
27 **Seventy-Ninth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the**
28 **appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on**
29 **July 1, 1993 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act**
30 **are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the**
31 **effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1993 could work irreparable harm upon the proper**
32 **administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is**
33 **hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the**
34 **public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1993.**

35 */s/John E. Miller*

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