

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**

A Bill

ACT 180 OF 1993
HOUSE BILL 1028

4 **By: Representatives Mahony and Northcutt**

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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT AMENDING ARKANSAS CODE ANNOTATED § 19-5-1015 TO
9 REQUIRE THAT ALL FUNDS IN THE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT
10 FUND SHALL BE UTILIZED BY THE CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT
11 PROGRAM FOR THE OPERATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE PROGRAM
12 IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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**"AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ALL FUNDS IN THE CHILD
SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FUND SHALL BE USED FOR
THE OPERATION AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE CHILD
SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM IN ARKANSAS."**

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

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SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 19-5-1015 is hereby amended to read as follows:

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"19-5-1015. Social Services Child Support Enforcement Fund.

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(a) There is established on the books of the State Treasurer, State Auditor, and the

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**Chief Fiscal Officer of the State the Child Support Enforcement Fund. This fund will be used
for deposit of funds collected by the Department of Human Services under Title IV, Part D of
the Social Security Act.**

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(b) Funds received in this account shall include the state share of funds collected by

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**the Child Support Enforcement Unit that were previously paid by the State as Aid to Families
with Dependent Children (AFDC) payments, all incentive payments received from the federal
government for both AFDC and non-AFDC collections, all amounts received as
reimbursement from the state and federal programs, and all amounts earned as interest on
these amounts.**

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(c) It is the intent of the Legislature that the Child Support Enforcement Program

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operated under Title IV, Part D of the Social Security Act, utilize funds retained in the Child

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Support Enforcement Fund for operation and improvement of the program in this state. All

1 **funds accumulated in the Child Support Enforcement Fund shall be retained by the program**
2 **to pay expenses incurred in the operation and improvement of the program in Arkansas."**

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4 **SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of a general and permanent nature are**
5 **amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision**
6 **Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.**

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8 **SECTION 3. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or**
9 **circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of**
10 **the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end**
11 **the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.**

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13 **SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed.**

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15 **APPROVED: 2/19/93**

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