

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 83rd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2001
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A Bill

Act 175 of 2001
SENATE BILL 317

5 By: Joint Budget Committee
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
10 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE CRIME
11 LABORATORY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 AN ACT FOR THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY
15 REAPPROPRIATION.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby
22 appropriated, to the State Crime Laboratory, to be payable from the General
23 Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the State Crime
24 Laboratory, the following:

25 (A) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
26 Section 1 of Act 360 of 1999, for the acquisition of fixtures and equipment
27 for a regional Southwest Arkansas Crime Laboratory, in a sum not to exceed
28 \$600,000.

29 (B) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
30 Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 547 of 1999, for costs associated with the
31 renovation and remodeling of Crime Laboratory facilities including the
32 purchase of equipment, in a sum not to exceed \$3,310,162.

33 (C) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
34 Item (B) of Section 1 of Act 547 of 1999, for costs associated with the
35 modification of the Pathological Waste Incinerator, in a sum not to exceed
36 \$800,000.

1 (D) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
2 Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 693 of 1999, for the acquisition of fixtures and
3 equipment for a regional Northwest Arkansas Crime Laboratory, in a sum not to
4 exceed\$600,000.

5 (E) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
6 Item (A) of Section 3 of Act 1213 of 1999, for the purchase of equipment for
7 the Western Regional Drug Laboratory, in a sum not to exceed\$190,000.

8 (F) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
9 Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 152 of 1999, for construction, renovation,
10 equipping, expansions and relocation costs of facilities of the State Crime
11 Laboratory and/or the Arkansas State Police, in a sum not to exceed ..\$90,000.

12 (G) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
13 Item (E) of Section 1 of Act 152 of 1999, for costs associated with the
14 construction and renovation of State Crime Laboratory facilities at Number 3
15 Natural Resources Drive, in a sum not to exceed\$872,175.

16 (H) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
17 Item (C) of Section 1 of Act 152 of 1999, for construction, renovation,
18 equipment purchases and replacement, and implementation of DNA Section, in a
19 sum not to exceed.....\$756,000.
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21 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - WESTERN REGIONAL DRUG
22 LABORATORY. There is hereby appropriated, to the State Crime Laboratory -
23 Western Regional Drug Laboratory, to be payable from the General Improvement
24 Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the balance of the appropriation
25 provided in Section 2 of Act 1213 of 1999, the following:

- 26 (A) For REGULAR SALARIES, the sum not to exceed \$128,681.
- 27 (B) For PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING, the sum not to exceed \$37,317.
- 28 (C) For OPERATING EXPENSES, the sum not to exceed..... \$86,650.
- 29 (D) For CONFERENCE FEES & TRAVEL, the sum not to exceed..... \$2,500.
- 30 (E) For CAPITAL OUTLAY, the sum not to exceed..... \$45,000.

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32 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
33 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
34 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
35 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
36 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and

1 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
 2 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
 3 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
 4 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
 5 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
 6 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
 7 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

8 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing
 9 Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue
 10 Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State
 11 and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration,
 12 as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any
 13 funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

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 15 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
 16 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
 17 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
 18 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
 19 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
 20 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
 21 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint
 22 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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 24 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
 25 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
 26 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that previous
 27 General Assemblies have provided appropriations for the projects provided or
 28 enumerated in this act; that certain appropriations will expire before the
 29 adjournment of the General Assembly; and that if such appropriations expire,
 30 the projects and programs authorized herein will cease thereby depriving the
 31 citizens of the State of the benefits to be derived from such projects.
 32 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
 33 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
 34 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its
 35 passage and approval. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the
 36 Governor, it shall become effective on the expiration of the period of time

1 during which the Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the
2 Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date the
3 last house overrides the veto.

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