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prior to this session of the General Assembly.
Act 688 of the Regular Session**

1 State of Arkansas
2 85th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2005
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A Bill

SENATE BILL 474

5 By: Senators Glover, Higginbothom
6 By: Representatives L. Evans, Blount, Clemons, Willis
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For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY
11 OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF TO INCREASE AND BETTER
12 FACILITATE THE RESEARCH, DEMONSTRATIONS,
13 TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AND OUTREACH POTENTIAL OF THE
14 PEARLIE S. REED/ROBERT L. COLE SMALL FARM
15 OUTREACH WETLANDS WATER MANAGEMENT CENTER AT
16 LONOKE AND THE UAPB OUTREACH AGRICULTURE
17 EDUCATIONAL TRAINING CENTER AT MARIANNA; AND FOR
18 OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

21 AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT
22 PINE BLUFF - SMALL FARM OUTREACH CENTER
23 AT LONOKE AND THE UAPB OUTREACH CENTER
24 AT MARIANNA GENERAL IMPROVEMENT
25 APPROPRIATION
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29 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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31 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - THE PEARLIE S. REED/ROBERT L. COLE SMALL FARM
32 OUTREACH WETLANDS WATER MANAGEMENT CENTER AT LONOKE AND THE UAPB OUTREACH
33 AGRICULTURE CENTER AT MARIANNA. There is hereby appropriated, to the
34 University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, to be payable from the General
35 Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:



1 (A) For increasing and facilitating the Research, Demonstration, Outreach
2 and Technology Transfer Programs of the Pearlie S. Reed/Robert L. Cole Small
3 Farm Outreach Wetlands Water Management Center at Lonoke and The Outreach
4 Agriculture Educational Training Center/Sub-Center in Marianna; and for
5 infrastructure improvements to facilitate Irrigation Water Management, On-
6 Farm Reservoir and Wetlands Restoration, and Alternative Crop Production,
7 Grading, Marketing and Educational Training, the sum of\$275,000.

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9 SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
10 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
11 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
12 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
13 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
14 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
15 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
16 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
17 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
18 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
19 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
20 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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

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28 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
29 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
30 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
31 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
32 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
33 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
34 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
35 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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