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.

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2	84th General Assembly	A DIII	Act 1420 of 2003
3	Regular Session, 2003		SENATE BILL 577
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5	By: Senator Miller		
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8	For An Act To Be Entitled		
9	AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT		
10	OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING		
11	OFFICER FOR STATE SUPPORT FOR OZARK ACRES; AND		
12	FOR OTHER 1	PURPOSES.	
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15	Subtitle		
16	AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE		
17	AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER		
18	- STATE SUPPORT FOR OZARK ACRES GENERAL		
19	IMPROVEN	MENT APPROPRIATION.	
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22	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENE	ERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF A	ARKANSAS:
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24	SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - STATE SUPPORT FOR OZARK ACRES. There is		
25	hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -		
26	Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its		
27	successor fund or fund accounts, the following:		
28	(A) For state support for construction, renovations, operations and other		
29	expenses for Ozark Acres,	, the sum of	\$10,000.
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31	SECTION 2. DISBURSEMEN	SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor	
32	obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects		
33	described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available		
34	therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and		
35	agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and		
36	donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or		



funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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

14 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly 15 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained 16 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act 17 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by 18 19 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral 20 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or 21 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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23 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General 24 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the 25 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2003 is essential to the operation of 26 27 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in 28 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective 29 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2003 could work irreparable harm upon the 30 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being 31 32 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and 33 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2003. 34 35

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