Stricken language will be deleted and underlined language will be added. Act 476 of the Regular Session

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2	88th General Assembly	A DIII	
3	Regular Session, 2011		SENATE BILL 622
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5	By: Senator D. Johnson		
6		For An Act To Be Entitled	
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8	AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC		
9	DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR A GRANT FOR A		
10	STATEWIDE MEMBERSHIP-BASED NONPROFIT ASSOCIATION		
11	DEDICATED TO IMPROVING THE PERFORMANCE AND		
12	CAPACITY OF THE ARKANSAS NONPROFIT SECTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
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15 16		Subtitle	
17	AN AC	CT FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	
18		ISSION - STATEWIDE MEMBERSHIP-BASED	
19		ROFIT ASSOCIATION GRANT GENERAL	
20	IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION.		
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23	BE IT ENACTED BY THE G	ENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANS	AS:
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25	SECTION 1. APPRO	PRIATION - STATEWIDE MEMBERSHIP-BASED	NONPROFIT
26	ASSOCIATION GRANT. Th	ere is hereby appropriated, to the Eco	nomic Development
27	Commission, to be paya	ble from the General Improvement Fund	or its successor
28	fund or fund accounts,		
29	(A) for a grant	for a statewide membership-based nonpr	ofit association
30	for continued developm	ent to promote and support statewide c	apacity building
31	and nonprofit workforc	e development through technical assist	ance for
32	organizational develop	ment, products and services to improve	efficiency, and
33	a network for professional and organizational engagement, in a sum not to		a sum not to
34	exceed		\$125,000.
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36	SECTION 2. SPECT	AL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED I	NTO THE ARKANSAS



- 1 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
- 2 Notwithstanding any other rules, regulations or provision of law to the
- 3 contrary the appropriations authorized in this Act shall not be restricted by
- 4 requirements that may be applicable to other programs currently administered.
- 5 New rules and regulations may be adopted to carry out the intent of the
- 6 General Assembly regarding the appropriations authorized in this Act.

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8 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor 9 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available 10 11 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and 12 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or 13 14 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State 15 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects 16 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds 17 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General 18 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall

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

not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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1	SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General		
2	Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the		
3	appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the		
4	effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2011 is essential to the operation of		
5	the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in		
6	the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the		
7	effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2011 could work irreparable harm		
8	upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental		
9	programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act		
10	being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health		
11	and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2011.		
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14	APPROVED: 03/21/2011		
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