

1 **State of Arkansas**

2 **78th General Assembly**

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4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

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SENATE BILL 650

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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
9 HUMAN SERVICES FOR ASBESTOS ABATEMENT, RENOVATION,
10 CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, AND REPAIRS; AND FOR OTHER
11 PURPOSES."

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13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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15 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - ALL DIVISIONS. There is hereby
16 appropriated, to the Department of Human Services, to be payable from the
17 General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the
18 following:

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20 (A) For asbestos abatement, the sum of \$5,200,000.

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22 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS - ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION. There
23 is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of
24 Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention, to be payable from the General Improvement
25 Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

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27 (A) For renovation of Building 61 at the Benton Services Center, the
28 sum of \$850,000.

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30 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS - CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES. There is
31 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of
32 Children and Family Services, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund
33 or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

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35 (A) For construction of a new Intensive Treatment Unit at the Pine

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1 Bluff Youth Services Center, the sum of \$3,800,000.

2 (B) For capital purchases relating to the restructuring of the Child
3 Welfare System, the sum of \$500,000.

4 (C) For assisting in the construction of an Emergency Youth Shelter for
5 the Stepping Stone Division of the Centers for Youth and Families, Inc., the
6 sum of \$300,000

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8 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS - DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES. There
9 is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of
10 Developmental Disabilities Services, to be payable from the General
11 Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

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13 (A) For a fire alarm system at the Booneville Human Development Center,
14 the sum of \$40,000.

15 (B) For various costs of the Baldridge v. Clinton court case, the sum
16 of \$200,000

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18 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATIONS - MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES - GENERAL
19 IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human
20 Services - Division of Mental Health Services, to be payable from the General
21 Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

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23 (A) For re-roofing the central kitchen at the Benton Services Center,
24 the sum of \$11,439.

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26 (B) For resurfacing and expanding the parking lots at the Benton
27 Services Center, the sum of \$37,749.

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29 (C) For replacing the heating and air conditioning unit in Building #3
30 at the Benton Services Center, the sum of \$6,673.

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32 (D) For replacement of the central chilled condenser water pump at the
33 Arkansas State Hospital, the sum of \$28,000.

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35 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS - MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES - FEDERAL. There is
36 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Mental

1 Health Services, to be payable from federal funds as designated by the Chief
2 Fiscal Officer of the State, the following:

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4 (A) For re-roofing the central kitchen at the Benton Services Center,
5 the sum of \$33,561.

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7 (B) For resurfacing and expanding the parking lots at the Benton
8 Services Center, the sum of \$110,751.

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11 (C) For replacing the heating and air conditioning unit in Building #3
12 at the Benton Services Center, the sum of \$19,577.

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14 SECTION 7. APPROPRIATIONS - REHABILITATION SERVICES. There is hereby
15 appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Rehabilitation
16 Services, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor
17 fund or fund accounts or the *Petroleum Storage Tank Trust Fund*, the following:

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19 (A) For the removal of underground oil tanks at the Hot Springs
20 Rehabilitation Center, the sum of \$15,850.

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22 SECTION 8. *The Department of Pollution Control and Ecology shall make*
23 *funds available from the Petroleum Storage Tank Trust Fund to all state*
24 *agencies for the purpose of underground storage tank removal.*

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26 SECTION 9. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
27 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
28 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
29 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
30 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
31 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
32 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
33 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
34 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
35 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General

1 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
2 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this Act.

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

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11 SECTION 10. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
12 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
13 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which
14 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
15 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
16 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
17 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
18 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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20 SECTION 11. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and
21 permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and
22 the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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24 SECTION 12. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the
25 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such
26 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which
27 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this
28 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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30 SECTION 13. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict
31 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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33 SECTION 14. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
34 Seventy-Eighth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of
35 Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year

1 period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1991 is essential to the
2 operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided,
3 and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the
4 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1991 could work irreparable harm
5 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
6 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
7 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
8 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1991.

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