

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **79th General Assembly**
3 **Regular Session, 1993**
4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 2017

For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
9 ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR VARIOUS CONSTRUCTION, MAJOR
10 MAINTENANCE, RENOVATIONS, ACQUISITIONS, AND REPAIR
11 PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE CAPITAL
15 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

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

19 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - DIRECTOR'S OFFICE. There is hereby
20 appropriated, to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Director's Office, to
21 be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund
22 accounts, the following:

23 (A) For additions, renovations, construction, and other associated
24 costs of improving accessibility of various locations to comply with the
25 Americans with Disabilities Act, the sum of \$180,000.

27 (B) For major maintenance projects of the Arkansas Territorial
28 Restoration and the Commemorative Commission, the sum of \$467,700.

30 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS - DELTA CULTURAL CENTER. There is hereby
31 appropriated, to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Delta Cultural Center,
32 to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund
33 accounts, the following:

34 (A) For construction, renovation, repair, and equipping of the Research

1 Archives Project - Phase I, the sum of \$ 150,000.

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3 (B) For land purchases for a museum and research buildings, the sum of
4 \$ 210,250.

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6 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS - TERRITORIAL CAPITOL RESTORATION. There is
7 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Territorial
8 Capitol Restoration, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its
9 successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

10 (A) For construction, repair, maintenance, equipping, and associated
11 costs of the Reception Center Addition, the sum of \$ 3,862,200.

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13 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS - NATURAL HERITAGE COMMISSION. There is
14 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Natural Heritage
15 Commission, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor
16 fund or fund accounts, the following:

17 (A) For development of Natural Areas in Boone, Calhoun, Cleveland,
18 Franklin, Lonoke, Monroe and Prairie Counties, the sum of \$ 215,000.

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20 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATIONS - COMMEMORATIVE COMMISSION. There is hereby
21 appropriated, to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Commemorative
22 Commission, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor
23 fund or fund accounts, the following:

24 (A) For maintenance, repair, and other associated costs of the Old
25 State House heating and cooling system, the sum of \$ 50,000.

26 (B) For Arkansas History Exhibits, the sum of \$1,000,000.

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28 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS - COMMEMORATIVE COMMISSION - CASH. There is
29 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Commemorative
30 Commission, to be payable from cash funds of the Department of Arkansas
31 Heritage - Commemorative Commission, the following:

32 (A) For Arkansas History Exhibits, the sum of \$1,500,000.

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34 SECTION 7. APPROPRIATIONS - COMMEMORATIVE COMMISSION - FEDERAL. There
35 is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Arkansas Heritage - Commemorative

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

3 (A) For Arkansas History Exhibits, the sum of.....\$525,000.
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5 SECTION 8. There is hereby appropriated for the Department of Arkansas
6 Heritage-Commemorative Commission, to be paid from the Department of Arkansas
7 Heritage Fund Account, effective July 1, 1993, the balance of the
8 appropriation and funds provided in Act 639 of 1993.
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10 SECTION 9. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
11 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
12 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
13 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
14 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
15 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
16 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
17 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
18 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
19 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
20 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
21 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this Act.

22 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State
23 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the
24 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this
25 State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and
26 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in
27 disbursement of any funds provided by this Act unless specifically provided
28 otherwise by law.
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30 SECTION 10. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
31 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
32 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which
33 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
34 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
35 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or

1 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
2 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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

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

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

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17 SECTION 14. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
18 Seventy-Ninth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
19 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
20 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1993 is essential to the operation of
21 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
22 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
23 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1993 could work irreparable harm upon the
24 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
25 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
26 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
27 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1993.

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/s/John E. Miller

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