

1 State of Arkansas
2 82nd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1999

A Bill

SENATE BILL 197

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5 By: Senator K. Smith
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR DISASTER AID AND
10 ASSISTANCE FOR THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES FOR
11 THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1999; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES. "

Subtitle

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15 "AN ACT FOR THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY
16 SERVICES APPROPRIATION FROM THE DISASTER
17 RELIEF PROGRAM TRUST FUND FOR THE 1998-
18 1999 FISCAL YEAR. "

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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - DISASTER AID AND ASSISTANCE SUPPLEMENTAL. There
24 is hereby appropriated, to the Office of Emergency Services, to be payable
25 from the Arkansas Disaster Relief Program Trust Fund, for disaster aid and
26 assistance of the Office of Emergency Services for the fiscal year ending June
27 30, 1999, the following:
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ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
<u>NO.</u>	<u>1998-1999</u>
(01) DISASTER AID AND ASSISTANCE	<u>\$ 25,000</u>

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33 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by
34 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made
35 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions
36 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures

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1 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and
 2 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this
 3 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of
 4 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied
 5 with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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

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 20 SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application
 21 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall
 22 not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given
 23 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the
 24 provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

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 26 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with
 27 this act are hereby repealed.

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 29 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
 30 Eighty-second General Assembly, that due to recent storms and disasters and
 31 the fact that there is no appropriation for the Arkansas Disaster Relief
 32 Program Trust Fund, that the effectiveness of this Act on the date of its
 33 passage and approval is essential to the operation of the agency for which the
 34 appropriations in this Act are provided so that assistance can be provided to
 35 the citizens affected by the storms and disasters. Therefore, an emergency is
 36 hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate

1 preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and
2 effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.

3 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become
4 effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor
5 may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is
6 overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides the
7 veto.

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