

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.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 84th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2003  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 496

5 By: Senator Gullett  
6 By: Representative Dees  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE AREA  
11 AGENCIES ON AGING FOR PERSONAL HOME CARE FOR THE  
12 DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING  
13 AND ADULT SERVICES FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING  
14 JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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18 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN  
19 SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT  
20 SERVICES - FOR THE AREA AGENCIES ON  
21 AGING FOR PERSONAL HOME CARE  
22 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2003-2005  
23 BIENNIUM.  
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26 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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28 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - AREA AGENCIES ON AGING. There is hereby  
29 appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Aging and  
30 Adult Services, to be payable from the Aging and Adult Services Fund Account,  
31 for Area Agencies on Aging for Personal Home Care and related expenses for  
32 each fiscal year of the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the sum of....  
33 .....\$2,000,000.  
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35 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized  
36 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds



1 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the  
2 restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and  
3 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
4 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
5 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
6 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
7 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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