

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

A Bill

SENATE BILL 606

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5 By: Senators Steele, Salmon
6 By: Representatives Napper, Ledbetter, Hutchinson, Bright, Lewellen, Elliott, Dobbins, Martin,
7 Rosenbaum, Chesterfield

For An Act To Be Entitled

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10 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT
11 OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING
12 OFFICER FOR OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE ARKANSAS
13 SPORTS HALL OF FAME FACILITY FOR THE BIENNIAL
14 PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER
15 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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19 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND
20 ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER -
21 OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE ARKANSAS
22 SPORTS HALL OF FAME FACILITY
23 APPROPRIATION.
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27 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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29 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS SPORTS HALL OF FAME. There is hereby
30 appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing
31 Officer, to be payable from the State General Services Fund Account, for
32 operating expenses of the Arkansas Sports Hall of Fame facility for the
33 biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the following:
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ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
NO.	2003-2004	2004-2005
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1 (01) ARKANSAS SPORTS HALL OF FAME FACILITY
 2 OPERATING EXPENSES \$ 150,000 \$ 150,000
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4 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 5 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

6 DISBURSING RESTRICTIONS. Before funds in this appropriation can be disbursed,
 7 the Arkansas Sports Hall of Fame must certify to the Chief Fiscal Officer of
 8 the State the procurement of two million dollars (\$2,000,000) for the purpose
 9 of operations of the Arkansas Sports Hall of Fame facility.

10 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003
 11 through June 30, 2005.

13 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
 14 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
 15 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
 16 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
 17 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
 18 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
 19 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
 20 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
 21 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
 22 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
 23 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
 24 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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

32 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
 33 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
 34 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
 35 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
 36 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by

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

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5 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
6 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
7 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
8 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2003 is essential to the operation of
9 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
10 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
11 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2003 could work irreparable harm upon the
12 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
13 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
14 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
15 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2003.