

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 87th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2009

A Bill

SENATE BILL 671

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5 By: Senator G. Baker
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 117 OF 2009, THE ACT TO
10 REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT
11 APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION -
12 AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER
13 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AMEND ACT 117 OF 2009, REAPPROPRIATION
17 ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION -
18 AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. Item (B) of SECTION 7 of Act 117 of 2009 is amended to read as
24 follows:
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26 (B) Effective July 1, 2009, the balance of the appropriation provided in
27 Item (B) of Section 4 of Act 358 of 2007, for ~~the construction of a building~~
28 ~~for~~ costs associated with implementing an AETN satellite broadcasting site in
29 Northwest Arkansas and for use by the University of Arkansas and ~~other~~
30 ~~colleges and universities for broadcast journalism and telecommunications~~
31 AETN, in a sum not to exceed\$143,792.
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33 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
34 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. As
35 referenced in SECTION 3 of Act 1691 of 2001, the authorized funding for the
36 Educational Television Division - Community Television Building shall also be



1 deemed to include costs associated with implementing an AETN satellite
2 broadcasting site in Northwest Arkansas and for use by the University of
3 Arkansas and AETN.

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5 SECTION 3. 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 one (1) year period; that the
8 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2009 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, 2009 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, 2009.