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A Bill

SENATE BILL 320

5 By: Joint Budget Committee
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
9 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SECRETARY OF
10 STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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13 AN ACT FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE
14 REAPPROPRIATION.
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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20 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS. There is
21 hereby appropriated, to the Secretary of State, to be payable from the
22 Development and Enhancement Fund, for the Secretary of State the following:

23 (A) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
24 in Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for HVAC upgrade to North End of
25 State Capitol building, in a sum not to exceed\$6,500,000.

26 (B) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
27 in Item (B) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for roof and window repair of the
28 State Capitol Building, in a sum not to exceed\$2,500,000.

29 (C) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
30 in Item (C) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for asphalt resurfacing,
31 replacement of damaged sidewalks and curbs, addition of lighting to unlit or
32 dark areas, an upgrade to the irrigation system, and landscaping and planting
33 for the North Entry Promenade I and II of the State Capitol Grounds, in a sum
34 not to exceed\$538,112.

35 (D) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
36 in Item (D) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for drains and storm water system



1 renovations of the State Capitol Grounds, in a sum not to exceed ..\$483,000.

2 (E) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
3 in Item (E) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for interior plumbing and sump
4 pump replacement for the State Capitol building, in a sum not to exceed
5\$108,393.

6 (F) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
7 in Item (F) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for electrical panel replacement
8 in the State Capitol building, in a sum not to exceed\$212,980.

9 (G) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
10 in Item (G) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for expenses for State Capitol
11 as-built drawings, in a sum not to exceed\$250,000.

12 (H) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
13 in Item (H) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for "Green" Initiatives for the
14 State Capitol building, facilities and grounds including ventilation system
15 cleaning, energy efficiency improvements and assessment, analysis and
16 consulting services, recycling programs and/or related construction,
17 renovation and equipping of and/or conversion to or purchase of Compressed
18 Natural Gas vehicles and equipment including installation of a refueling
19 station, in a sum not to exceed\$1,500,000.

20 (I) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
21 in Item (I) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for replacement of voting machine
22 equipment statewide, in a sum not to exceed\$15,000,000.

23 (J) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
24 in Item (J) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for stone restoration, cleaning
25 and repointing on the East Side of the State Capitol building, in a sum not
26 to exceed\$3,500,000.

27 (K) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided
28 in Item (K) of Section 1 of Act 36 of 2018, for construction, site
29 preparation and maintenance of the Arkansas Fallen Firefighters' Memorial on
30 the State Capitol Grounds or for upkeep, maintenance, preservation and repair
31 of all Monuments and Memorials on the grounds of the State Capitol, in a sum
32 not to exceed\$22,853.

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34 SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
35 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
36 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available

1 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
 2 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
 3 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
 4 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
 5 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
 6 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
 7 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
 8 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
 9 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

10 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State
 11 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the
 12 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of
 13 this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and
 14 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in
 15 disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided
 16 otherwise by law.

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

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 27 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
 28 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
 29 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
 30 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2019 is essential to the operation of
 31 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
 32 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
 33 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2019 could work irreparable harm
 34 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
 35 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
 36 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health

and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2019.

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