

1 State of Arkansas  
2 94th General Assembly  
3 Fiscal Session, 2024  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 67

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 DEPARTMENT OF  
10 TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES - BUILDING  
11 AUTHORITY DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

14 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF  
15 TRANSFORMATION AND SHARED SERVICES -  
16 BUILDING AUTHORITY DIVISION  
17 REAPPROPRIATION.  
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - CAPITAL PROJECTS. There is hereby  
24 appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be  
25 payable from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by  
26 the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for the Department of Transformation  
27 and Shared Services - Building Authority Division the following:

28 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 252 of 2023, for abatement of hydronic piping  
30 of the state-owned building at 501 Woodlane, in a sum not to exceed  
31 .....\$537,976.  
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33 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - NCRC GRANT. There is hereby appropriated,  
34 to the Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be payable from  
35 the Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the  
36 Department of Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority



1 Division the following:

2 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided  
3 in Item (1) of Section 25 of Act 479 of 2023, for the acquisition,  
4 management, stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites,  
5 buildings, structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed .....\$518,125.  
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7 SECTION 3. REAPPROPRIATION - CAPITAL PROJECTS. There is hereby  
8 appropriated, to the Department of Transformation and Shared Services, to be  
9 payable from the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the Department of  
10 Transformation and Shared Services - Building Authority Division the  
11 following:

12 (A) Effective July 1, 2024, the balance of the appropriation provided  
13 in Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 227 of 2023, for various maintenance,  
14 renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and  
15 repair for all state-owned real property and facilities, in a sum not to  
16 exceed .....\$450,000.  
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18 SECTION 4. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor  
19 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects  
20 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available  
21 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and  
22 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and  
23 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or  
24 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State  
25 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects  
26 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds  
27 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General  
28 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall  
29 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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

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SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2024 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2024 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act 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, 2024.

**APPROVED: 4/25/24**