

**REQUEST FOR SPECIAL LANGUAGE  
IN APPROPRIATION ACT**

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**0120 Arkansas State University - Beebe**

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**SECTION#: 8**

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**AR HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD RECOMMENDATION**

FUNDING PROVISIONS. If the official general revenue forecast is reduced during the fiscal year each Arkansas State University - Beebe campus will receive the same percentage reduction.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2016~~ 2017 through June 30, ~~2017~~ 2018.

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**0177 Mid-South Community College**

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**SECTION#: 7**

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**AR HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD RECOMMENDATION**

ADTEC/UNIVERSITY CENTER PARTNERS - TRAINING CONSORTIUM ADVICE. Arkansas State University Mid-South upon counsel with and advice from the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium (ADTEC) shall disburse funds from the ADTEC/UNIVERSITY CENTER PARTNERS appropriation authorized in this Act to selected University Center Partners and also the participating ADTEC Partners.

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**AR HIGHER EDUCATION COORDINATING BOARD RECOMMENDATION**

PRIORITIES. A high priority of the College of The Ouachitas shall be to combat illiteracy and to provide industrial training in the work place.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2016~~ 2017 through June 30, ~~2017~~ 2018.

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HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY AND COLLEGE OF THE OUACHITAS COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT.

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(a) The General Assembly finds that:

(1) Henderson State University and College of The Ouachitas are two institutions of Higher Education with a long history of cooperation and mutual support for the pursuit of their missions to serve the residents of their overlapping service areas;

(2) These institutions have entered into an agreement to continue the goodwill that has been established between them and throughout the communities they serve, and to enhance the level of services to the residents of Clark County without duplicating efforts; and

(3) Working strategically, the institutions can meet the needs of the residents of Clark County in a manner that fosters partnership and collaboration.

(b) Based upon the agreement of the parties:

(1) College of The Ouachitas shall:

(A) Limit any offerings in Clark County to non-academic, technical courses and programs that are not offered at Henderson State University;

(B) Not offer any academic courses or programs, including remediation, in Clark County;

(C)(i) Notify, meet, and discuss with Henderson State University prior to offering any new credit-bearing technical programs in Clark County.

(ii) To minimize confusion, any such offering will

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be delivered in conjunction with the Community Education Center; and

(D) Only establish a physical presence in Clark County in partnership with Henderson State University's Community Education Center; and

(2)(A) Henderson State University shall offer to College of The Ouachitas the first right of refusal for the instruction of technical training courses and programs requested by business and industry that cannot be provided directly by Henderson State University.

(B) The courses and programs shall be provided at the Community Education Center or within Clark County.

(c) The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2016~~ 2017 through June 30, ~~2017~~ 2018.

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**0693 Pulaski Technical College**

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THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 6-63-305(b)(19); HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED

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(b) The following maximum number of new additional positions is established for the biennium for the following institutions of higher education at salary rates not to exceed the salary rate or the highest grade level position of comparable positions established in the regular salaries section of the appropriations act for operations for each institution:

(19) University of Arkansas - Pulaski Technical College 80

THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 19-4-906(a)(107); HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED:

(a) None of the funds appropriated for the various state agencies, authorities, boards, commissions, departments, and institutions of higher education listed below shall be used to purchase, lease for over thirty (30) days, operate, repair, or provide services for more than the maximum number of passenger motor vehicles as set out in this section, except in an emergency as proclaimed by the Governor. Passenger motor vehicles are defined as those licensed for highway use, including, but not limited to, automobiles, trucks, and vans. Mileage reimbursement for employees' utilization of their personal automobiles shall not be deemed to be included in this restriction.

(107) University of Arkansas - Pulaski Technical College 25

THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 19-5-311(b)(1) - (2) and (2)(B); HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED

(b)(1) There is established on the books of the Treasurer of State, the Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a fund to be known as the "University of Arkansas - Pulaski Technical College Fund", there to be used for the maintenance, operation, and improvement of the University of Arkansas - Pulaski Technical College.

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2) The University of Arkansas - Pulaski Technical College Fund shall consist of:

(A) Those general revenues as may be provided by law; and

(B) Any other funds made available for the support of University of Arkansas - Pulaski Technical College which are required to be deposited into the State Treasury by law.

THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 19-11-220(a)(30): HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED

(a) In addition to any state agency authorized by regulation to have an agency procurement official, each of the following state agencies may elect to have such an official for commodities, technical and general services, and professional and consultant services, which are not within the exclusive jurisdiction of the State Procurement Director and which are not under state contract:

(30) University of Arkansas - Pulaski Technical College;



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THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 6-5-302; HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED

From the moneys accruing to the Educational Excellence Trust Fund, the Treasurer of State on the last day of the month shall transfer to the various funds and fund accounts listed below, the amounts determined by applying each fund or fund account's proportionate part of the total of all such allocations set forth in this section to the amount available for distribution as determined in § 6-5-301:

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	FISCAL YEAR ENDING	
Fund or Fund Accounts Thereafter	June 30, 2002	June 30, 2003 &
Dept of Ed Public School Fund Account	\$161,935,727	\$164,138,382
Dept of Career Ed Public School Fund Account	9,518,065	10,032,555
Department of Education Fund Account	762,901	804,138
Department of Career Education Fund Account	2,856,557	3,010,965
Higher Education Grants Fund Account	10,499,767	11,067,322
School for Math, Science, and Arts Fund	0	5,988,465
<b>Institutions of Higher Education:</b>		
Arkansas State University Fund	4,797,713	5,057,049
Arkansas Tech University Fund	1,608,226	1,695,157
Henderson State University Fund	1,663,634	1,753,560

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Southern Arkansas University Fund	983,576	1,036,743
University of Arkansas Fund	11,905,301	12,548,830
University of Arkansas at Little Rock Fund	4,224,809	4,453,177
University of Arkansas Medical Center Fund	7,274,293	7,667,498
University of Arkansas Medical Center Fund - Indigent Care	181,013	190,797
University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund	848,858	894,742
University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Fund	1,473,599	1,553,253
University of Central Arkansas Fund	3,661,359	3,859,270
Arkansas State University-Beebe Fund	1,144,646	1,206,518
East Arkansas Community College Fund	599,022	631,401
National Park College Fund	895,921	944,349
Arkansas Northeastern College Fund	573,810	604,827
North Arkansas College Fund	353,775	372,898
Northwest Arkansas Community College Fund	791,763	834,561
Phillips Community College of Univ. of Ark. Fund	583,366	614,899
<u>University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College Fund</u>	158,210	166,667
SAU-Tech Fund	256,801	270,683
South Arkansas Community College Fund	409,688	431,833
University of Arkansas at Fort Smith Fund	2,437,691	2,569,458
<b>TOTAL INSTS OF HIGHER ED</b>	<b>\$46,826,984</b>	<b>\$49,358,170</b>

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THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 6-62-314(7); HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED

The following state-supported institution of higher education shall be exempt as allowed by § 19-4-1415(b)(5) for construction projects exceeding five million dollars (\$5,000,000) if they have adopted policies and procedures in compliance with state law involving the awarding and oversight of the contracts for design and construction services:

~~(7) Rich Mountain Community College.~~

THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 6-63-305(b)(20); HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED

(b) The following maximum number of new additional positions is established for the biennium for the following institutions of higher education at salary rates not to exceed the salary rate or the highest grade level position of comparable positions established in the regular salaries section of the appropriations act for operations for each institution:

(20) University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College 40

THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 19-4-906(a)(109); HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED

(a) None of the funds appropriated for the various state agencies, authorities, boards, commissions, departments, and institutions of higher education listed below shall be used to purchase, lease for over thirty (30) days, operate, repair, or provide services for more than the maximum number of passenger motor vehicles as set out in this section, except in an emergency as proclaimed by the Governor. Passenger motor vehicles are defined as those licensed for highway use, including, but not limited to, automobiles, trucks, and vans. Mileage reimbursement for employees' utilization of their personal automobiles shall not be deemed to be included

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in this restriction.

(109) University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College 12

THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 19-5-303(r)(1), (2) and (3)(B); HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED

(r)(1) **University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College Fund**. There is established on the books of the Treasurer of State, the Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a fund to be known as the "University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College Fund".

(2) The University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College Fund shall be used for the maintenance, operation, and improvement of the University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College.

(3) The University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College Fund shall consist of:

(A) Those general revenues as may be provided by law; and

(B) Any other funds made available for the support of the University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College which are required to be deposited into the State Treasury by law.

THIS LANGUAGE IS CODIFIED IN A.C.A. 19-11-220(a)(31); HOWEVER, THE FOLLOWING CHANGE IS REQUESTED

(a) In addition to any state agency authorized by regulation to have an agency procurement official, each of the following state agencies may elect to have such an official for commodities, technical and general services, and professional and consultant services, which are not within the exclusive

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jurisdiction of the State Procurement Director and which are not under state contract:

(31) University of Arkansas Community College at Rich Mountain Community College;