

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **78th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1991**  
4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

**A BILL ACT 1131 OF 1991**  
**HOUSE BILL 1937**

**For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF  
9 ARKANSAS FOR A START-UP AND OPERATIONAL GRANT FOR THE  
10 NATIONAL CENTER OF EXCELLENCE FOR POULTRY RESEARCH; AND  
11 FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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13 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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15 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
16 University of Arkansas, to be payable from the University of Arkansas Fund,  
17 the following:

18 (A) For a start-up grant and operational support for the National  
19 Center of Excellence for Poultry Research, the sum of .....\$2,050,000.

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21 SECTION 2. TRANSFERS. On July 1991, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the  
22 State may transfer from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or  
23 fund account, the sum of \$800,000 and on July 1, 1992 the sum of \$1,250,000 to  
24 the University of Arkansas Fund which shall be used only to provide funding  
25 for the appropriation provided in Section 1 herein.

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27 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
28 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
29 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which  
30 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
31 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
32 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
33 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
34 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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36 SECTION 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent

1 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas  
2 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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4 SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the  
5 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such  
6 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which  
7 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this  
8 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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10 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
11 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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13 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
14 Seventy-Eighth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of  
15 Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year  
16 period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1991 is essential to the  
17 operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided,  
18 and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the  
19 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1991 could work irreparable harm  
20 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
21 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
22 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
23 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1991.

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*/s/ John E. Miller*

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APPROVED: 4/9/91

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