

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 82nd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1999
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As Engrossed: H3/8/99
A Bill

Act 618 of 1999
HOUSE BILL 1851

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

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING
10 FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR VARIOUS RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS
11 FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION -
12 DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE
13 30, 2001; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

15 "AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
16 AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER
17 - RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS ASSISTANCE
18 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1999-2001
19 BIENNIAL PERIOD.
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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25 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS. There is hereby
26 appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing
27 Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund
28 or fund accounts, the following:

29 (A) For State assistance to Columbus Fire Department in Hempstead County,
30 the sum of\$15,000.

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32 (B) For State assistance to Ozan Fire Department in Hempstead County, the
33 sum of\$15,000.

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35 (C) For State assistance to Bingen Volunteer Fire Department in Hempstead
36 County, the sum of\$15,000.

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(D) For State assistance to Center Point Fire Department in Howard County,
the sum of\$15,000.

(E) For State assistance to Mineral Springs Fire Department in Howard
County, the sum of\$15,000.

(F) For State assistance to Tollett Fire Department in Howard County, the
sum of\$15,000.

(G) For State assistance to County Line Rural Fire Department in Howard
County, the sum of\$15,000.

(H) For State assistance to Saratoga Volunteer Fire Department in Howard
County, the sum of\$15,000.

(I) For State assistance to Cotton Shed Fire Department in Howard County,
the sum of\$15,000.

(J) For State assistance to Nathan Fire Department in Pike County, the sum
of\$15,000.

(K) For State assistance to Horatio Fire Department in Sevier County, the
sum of\$15,000.

(L) For State assistance to Lockesburg Fire Department in Sevier County,
the sum of\$15,000.

(M) For State assistance to Provo Rural Fire Department in Sevier County,
the sum of\$15,000.

(N) For State assistance to Cossatot Fire Department in Sevier County, the
sum of\$15,000.

(O) For State assistance to Central Fire Department in Sevier County , the
sum of\$15,000.

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(P) For State assistance to Greens Chapel Volunteer Fire Department in Sevier County, the sum of\$15,000.

(Q) For State assistance to the Daisy Fire Department in Pike County, the sum of\$15,000.

(R) For State assistance to the Alpine Fire Department in Clark County, the sum of\$15,000.

(S) For State assistance to the Point Cedar Fire Department in Hot Spring County, the sum of\$15,000.

SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

SECTION 3. 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 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application

1 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall
2 not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given
3 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the
4 provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

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6 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with
7 this act are hereby repealed.

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9 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
10 Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
11 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
12 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1999 is essential to the operation of
13 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
14 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
15 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the
16 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
17 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
18 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
19 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1999.

20 /s/ Joint Budget Committee

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23 APPROVED: 3/15/1999
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