

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 83rd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2001
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A Bill

Act 123 of 2001
HOUSE BILL 1388

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

9 AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
10 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE WAR MEMORIAL
11 STADIUM COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 AN ACT FOR THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM
15 COMMISSION REAPPROPRIATION.
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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21 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - CASH. There is hereby appropriated, to the War
22 Memorial Stadium Commission, to be payable from the cash funds as defined by
23 Arkansas Code 19-4-801, for the War Memorial Stadium Commission, the
24 following:

25 (A) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
26 Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 91 of 1999, for major maintenance, renovation and
27 repairs to War Memorial Stadium, in a sum not to exceed\$3,200,000.
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29 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - BOND PROCEEDS. There is hereby appropriated,
30 to the War Memorial Stadium Commission, to be payable from the Bond Proceeds,
31 for the War Memorial Stadium Commission, the following:

32 (A) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
33 Item (A) of Section 2 of Act 91 of 1999, for east / west concourse
34 replacement, new restrooms facilities, concession area upgrades and various
35 improvements, in a sum not to exceed\$2,606,916.

36 (B) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in

1 Item (B) of Section 2 of Act 91 of 1999, for replacing rows on the east / west
2 sidelines, in a sum not to exceed \$896,965.

3 (C) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
4 Item (C) of Section 2 of Act 91 of 1999, for expenses associated with the
5 press box and private box addition projects, in a sum not to exceed
6 \$11,133,967.

7 (D) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
8 Item (D) of Section 2 of Act 91 of 1999, for reconstruction of the north /
9 south end zones and providing for new restrooms and other facilities, in a sum
10 not to exceed \$6,513,368.

11 (E) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
12 Item (E) of Section 2 of Act 91 of 1999, for expenses associated with the
13 upper deck and concourse project, in a sum not to exceed \$9,958,000.
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15 SECTION 3. REAPPROPRIATION - STATE. There is hereby appropriated, to the
16 War Memorial Stadium Commission, to be payable from the General Improvement
17 Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the War Memorial Stadium
18 Commission, the following:

19 (A) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
20 Item (A) of Section 4 of Act 91 of 1999, for renovations and repairs to comply
21 with the requirements of the American with Disabilities Act, in a sum not to
22 exceed \$96,590.

23 (B) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
24 Item (B) of Section 4 of Act 91 of 1999, for construction at the War Memorial
25 Stadium, in a sum not to exceed \$137,605.
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27 SECTION 4. REAPPROPRIATION - STATE. There is hereby appropriated, to the
28 War Memorial Stadium Commission, to be payable from the General Improvement
29 Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the War Memorial Stadium
30 Commission, the following:

31 (A) Effective July 1, 2001, the balance of the appropriation provided in
32 Section 1 of Act 413 of 1999, for renovation, demolition and reconstruction
33 for Phase II renovations to War Memorial Stadium, in a sum not to exceed
34 \$1,990,943.
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36 SECTION 5. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor

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

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

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19 SECTION 6. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
20 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
21 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
22 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
23 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
24 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
25 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint
26 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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28 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
29 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
30 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that previous
31 General Assemblies have provided appropriations for the projects provided or
32 enumerated in this act; that certain appropriations will expire before the
33 adjournment of the General Assembly; and that if such appropriations expire,
34 the projects and programs authorized herein will cease thereby depriving the
35 citizens of the State of the benefits to be derived from such projects.
36 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being

1 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
2 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its
3 passage and approval. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the
4 Governor, it shall become effective on the expiration of the period of time
5 during which the Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the
6 Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date the
7 last house overrides the veto.

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