

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 84th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2003  
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# A Bill

Act 1219 of 2003  
HOUSE BILL 1516

5 By: Representatives Petrus, King  
6 By: Senators Glover, Higginbothom  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

10 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PHILLIPS  
11 COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS -  
12 STUTTGART FOR THE CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, AND  
13 EQUIPPING OF INSTRUCTIONAL FACILITIES; AND FOR  
14 OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

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18 AN ACT FOR THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY  
19 COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS -  
20 STUTTGART INSTRUCTIONAL FACILITIES  
21 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION.  
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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26 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - INSTRUCTIONAL FACILITIES. There is hereby  
27 appropriated, to the Phillips Community College of the University of Arkansas  
28 - Stuttgart, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor  
29 fund or fund accounts, the following:

30 (A) For construction, renovation and equipping of instructional  
31 facilities, (classrooms and offices) for business and industry workforce  
32 training, the sum of .....\$1,800,000.  
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34 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
35 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. MATCHING  
36 FUNDS. Matching funds from local, private, and other sources ~~will~~ may be



1 provided by Phillips Community College - Stuttgart on a 2 to 1 basis for a  
2 total public/private investment of five million four hundred thousand dollars  
3 (\$5,400,000).

4 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003  
5 through June 30, 2005.

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7 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor  
8 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects  
9 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available  
10 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and  
11 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and  
12 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or  
13 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State  
14 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects  
15 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds  
16 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General  
17 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall  
18 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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

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26 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
27 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
28 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
29 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
30 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
31 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
32 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or  
33 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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35 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
36 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the

1 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the  
2 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2003 is essential to the operation of  
3 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
4 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
5 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2003 could work irreparable harm upon the  
6 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
7 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
8 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
9 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2003.

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11 */s/ Petrus*  
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