

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 240 of 2003
HOUSE BILL 1502

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAKING
10 PAYMENTS FOR CITY-COUNTY TOURIST FACILITIES AS
11 REQUIRED BY THE CITY-COUNTY TOURIST MEETING AND
12 ENTERTAINMENT FACILITIES ASSISTANCE LAW BY THE
13 OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE BIENNIAL
14 PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER
15 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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18 AN ACT FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER
19 OF STATE - CITY-COUNTY TOURIST MEETING
20 AND ENTERTAINMENT FACILITIES ASSISTANCE
21 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2003-2005
22 BIENNIUM.
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26 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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28 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - CITY AND COUNTY TOURIST FACILITIES ASSISTANCE.
29 There is hereby appropriated, to the Office of the Treasurer of State, to be
30 payable from the City-County Tourist Facilities Aid Fund, for making payments
31 as authorized by law for publicly owned eligible facilities as authorized by
32 the City-County Tourist Meeting and Entertainment Facilities Assistance Law
33 for the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the following:
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35 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
36 NO.	2003-2004	2004-2005



1 (01) FACILITY DEBT SERVICE AND OPERATING
2 EXPENSES \$ 7,807,866 \$ 6,843,835
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4 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized
5 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds
6 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the
7 restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and
8 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
9 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
10 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
11 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
12 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.
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14 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
15 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
16 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
17 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
18 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
19 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
20 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
21 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.
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23 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
24 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
25 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
26 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2003 is essential to the operation of
27 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
28 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
29 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2003 could work irreparable harm upon the
30 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
31 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
32 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
33 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2003.
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APPROVED: 2/26/2003