

**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.  
Act 1789 of the Regular Session**

1 State of Arkansas  
2 85th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2005  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 85

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING AND  
10 OTHER EXPENSES OF THE NOAA WEATHER WARNING SYSTEM  
11 AND FOR OPERATING AND OTHER EXPENSES OF THE  
12 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM FOR THE ARKANSAS  
13 STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR  
14 THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2007; AND FOR  
15 OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

18 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY  
19 AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT - NOAA  
20 WEATHER WARNING SYSTEM AND THE PUBLIC  
21 TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM APPROPRIATION FOR  
22 THE 2005-2007 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 - NOAA WEATHER WARNING SYSTEM. There is hereby  
29 appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to  
30 be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for operating  
31 expenses of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration Weather  
32 Warning Radio System of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation  
33 Department for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:  
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35 ITEM

FISCAL YEARS



1	NO.	2005-2006	2006-2007
2	(01) OPERATING EXPENSES	\$ 4,000	\$ 4,000

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4 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM. There is hereby  
5 appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to  
6 be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for use in the  
7 preparation of project applications; program development; and as matching  
8 monies for the United States Department of Transportation funds and other  
9 federal funds for capital improvements to and operating assistance for the  
10 Public Transportation Programs serving transportation-dependent persons of  
11 the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department for the biennial  
12 period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

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14	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
15	NO.	2005-2006	2006-2007
16	(01) HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT		
17	FUNDING ASSISTANCE TO RURAL AND URBAN		
18	TRANSPORTATION AGENCIES FOR PROJECT		
19	AND PROGRAM DEVELOPMENT AND CAPITAL		
20	IMPROVEMENTS TO AND OPERATING		
21	ASSISTANCE FOR THE PUBLIC		
22	TRANSPORTATION PROGRAMS		
23	SERVING THE		
24	TRANSPORTATION DEPENDENT	\$ 350,000	\$ 350,000

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26 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized  
27 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds  
28 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the  
29 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
30 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
31 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
32 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
33 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
34 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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36 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly

1 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
2 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
3 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
4 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
5 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
6 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or  
7 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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9 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
10 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
11 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the  
12 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2005 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, 2005 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, 2005.

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22 APPROVED: 4/06/2005  
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