

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 120 of the Regular Session

1 State of Arkansas
2 87th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2009

As Engrossed: H2/6/09
A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1320

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE
10 DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION -
11 MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION FOR A STATEWIDE
12 ACCOUNTING SYSTEM WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND
13 IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT
14 367 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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17 **Subtitle**

18 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
19 AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES
20 DIVISION - STATEWIDE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM
21 SUPPLEMENTAL 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. APPROPRIATION - STATEWIDE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM. There is hereby
27 appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Management
28 Services Division, to be payable from the Budget Stabilization Trust Fund,
29 for operations, acquisition, contracting for, and expenses of a new statewide
30 accounting system which shall be supplemental and in addition to those funds
31 appropriated in Section 1 of Act 367 of 2007, the following:
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| ITEM | FISCAL YEAR |
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| <u>NO.</u> | <u>2008-2009</u> |
| (01) STATEWIDE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM | <u>\$ 2,901,534</u> |



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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 Procurement 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. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division are, due to unforeseen circumstances, insufficient for the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division to continue to provide essential governmental services; that the provisions of this act will provide the necessary monies for the Department of Finance and Administration - Management Services Division to continue such services; and that a delay in the effective date of this Act could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor

1 may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is
2 overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides
3 the veto.

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/s/ Joint Budget Committee

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