

1 State of Arkansas
2 88th General Assembly
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A Bill

SENATE BILL 240

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

8 AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
9 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
10 CAREER EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES -
11 FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING,
12 CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND
13 REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER
17 EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION
18 SERVICES REAPPROPRIATION.
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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24 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby
25 appropriated, to the Department of Career Education - Arkansas Rehabilitation
26 Services, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor
27 fund or fund accounts, for the Department of Career Education - Arkansas
28 Rehabilitation Services the following:

29 (A) Effective July 1, 2011, the balance of the appropriation provided
30 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 182 of 2010, for technology, maintenance,
31 renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and
32 repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, in a sum
33 not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.
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35 SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
36 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects



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

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

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 19 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
 20 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
 21 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
 22 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
 23 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
 24 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
 25 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
 26 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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 28 SECTION 4. 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 one (1) 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 July 1, 2011.

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