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2 91st General Assembly
3 Fiscal Session, 2018
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SENATE BILL 78

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

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
9 AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE
10 UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2019;
11 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

14 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY
15 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2018-2019 FISCAL
16 YEAR.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established
23 for the Arkansas State University for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, the
24 following maximum number of regular employees.
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Item No.	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2018-2019
<u>ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-SYSTEM</u>			
<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
<u>ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS</u>			
(1)	President, Arkansas State University	1	\$342,808
(2)	Vice Pres. For System Operations	1	\$214,863
(3)	Vice President	3	\$199,240
(4)	General Counsel	1	\$187,690



1	(5)	Assoc. Vice Pres.	2	\$163,280
2	(6)	Associate General Counsel	2	\$155,124
3	(7)	Exec. Asst. to President	1	\$128,673
4	(8)	Assistant Vice Pres. For Admin.	1	\$124,691
5	(9)	Dir. of Corp & Foundation Relations	1	\$121,755
6	(10)	Dir. for Internal Audit	1	\$103,929
7	(11)	Sr. Internal Auditor	2	\$86,303
8	(12)	Project/Program Specialist	1	\$83,480
9	(13)	Associate for Administration	1	\$77,322
10	(14)	Research Assistant	2	\$68,994
11	(15)	Legislative Intern/Research Assist.	1	\$68,994
12		<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>		
13		<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>		
14	(16)	Fiscal Support Supervisor	1	GRADE C118
15	(17)	Administrative Specialist III	1	GRADE C112
16	(18)	Administrative Specialist II	1	GRADE C109
17		<u>ARKANSAS STATE UNIV. - JONESBORO</u>		
18		<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>		
19		<u>ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS</u>		
20	(19)	Chancellor, ASU-Jonesboro	1	\$278,850
21	(20)	Executive Vice Chancellor and Prov.	1	\$211,180
22	(21)	Dean of Business Administration	1	\$207,254
23	(22)	Dean of Engineering	1	\$207,254
24	(23)	Sr. Assoc. VC for Acad. Aff. & Research	1	\$182,554
25	(24)	Vice Chancellor for Finance & Admin	1	\$177,172
26	(25)	Vice Chancellor for Univ. Advancement	1	\$174,481
27	(26)	Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs	1	\$174,481
28	(27)	Vice Chancellor	1	\$174,481
29	(28)	Dean of Schools	7	\$169,099
30	(29)	Assoc. Dean of Schools	6	\$160,306
31	(30)	Assoc. Vice Chancellor Academic Aff.	1	\$159,313
32	(31)	Associate Vice Chancellor	2	\$153,339
33	(32)	Executive Asst. to the Chancellor	1	\$153,339
34	(33)	Director of Delta Heritage Initiat.	1	\$150,702
35	(34)	Director of Library Services	1	\$150,702
36	(35)	Asst. Vice Chancellor for Info/Tech	1	\$148,507

1	(36)	Coord. of Organized Research	1	\$146,058
2	(37)	Director of Prof. Educ. Programs	1	\$146,058
3	(38)	Director of Faculty Center	1	\$146,058
4	(39)	Controller	1	\$136,787
5	(40)	Director of Global Initiatives	1	\$136,434
6	(41)	Asst. Vice Chancellor of Development	1	\$134,109
7	(42)	Asst. Vice Chancellor for Facilities	1	\$128,754
8	(43)	Asst. Vice Chancellor for Business	1	\$124,691
9	(44)	Asst. Vice Chanc. for Student Affairs	1	\$124,691
10	(45)	Asst. Vice-Chancellor	4	\$124,691
11	(46)	Registrar	1	\$123,062
12	(47)	Director of Planned Giving	1	\$121,755
13	(48)	Director of Counseling	1	\$121,755
14	(49)	Director of Museum & Ed. Ctr.	1	\$115,355
15	(50)	Archivist	2	\$115,355
16	(51)	Director of Museum	1	\$115,355
17	(52)	Dean of Student Affairs	1	\$115,355
18	(53)	Dean Student Affairs-Enrollment Svcs.	1	\$115,355
19	(54)	Coord. of Non-Credit Activity	1	\$115,355
20	(55)	Director of First Years Studies	1	\$113,702
21	(56)	Assoc. Director - Info & Tech Svcs.	2	\$113,702
22	(57)	Exec. Director of Delta Economic Dev	1	\$113,702
23	(58)	Director of Student Aid	1	\$111,173
24	(59)	Director of Student Health Services	1	\$106,966
25	(60)	Development/Advancement Admin.	19	
26		Development/Advancement Director		\$106,768
27		Development/Advancement Manager		\$96,757
28		Development/Advancement Specialist		\$83,480
29	(61)	Project/Program Administrator	72	
30		Project/Program Director		\$106,768
31		Project/Program Manager		\$96,757
32		Project/Program Specialist		\$83,480
33	(62)	Director of Risk Management	1	\$104,113
34	(63)	Director of Honors Program	1	\$104,113
35	(64)	Treasurer	1	\$104,113
36	(65)	Associate Controller	1	\$104,113

1	(66)	Dir. of Grants & Other Spons. Progs.	1	\$104,113
2	(67)	Director of Admissions	1	\$103,523
3	(68)	Assoc. Dean of Student Affairs	6	\$103,523
4	(69)	Associate Registrar	1	\$103,523
5	(70)	Computer Network Coordinator	1	\$101,288
6	(71)	Dir. of UPD,CS,Traffic & Parking	1	\$100,906
7	(72)	Asst. to VP Student Affairs	1	\$100,720
8	(73)	Asst. to the VP of Academic Affairs	1	\$100,720
9	(74)	Project Engineer	1	\$100,659
10	(75)	Academic/Student Support	18	
11		Counselor		\$100,286
12		Student Development Specialist		\$81,406
13	(76)	Director of Budget	1	\$99,278
14	(77)	Director of University Relations	1	\$95,804
15	(78)	Communications Specialist	1	\$95,311
16	(79)	Director of Testing	1	\$94,143
17	(80)	Research Compliance Coordinator	1	\$92,891
18	(81)	Director of Career Services	1	\$90,679
19	(82)	Director of Upward Bound	1	\$89,224
20	(83)	Project Architect	1	\$89,176
21	(84)	Dir. of Pub. & Creative Svcs.	1	\$88,961
22	(85)	Bradbury Art Museum Director	1	\$88,961
23	(86)	Director of Assessment	1	\$88,917
24	(87)	Dir. of Student Activities	1	\$86,080
25	(88)	Dir. of Off of Int'l Student Svcs.	1	\$84,843
26	(89)	Asst. Dean of Students	7	\$83,849
27	(90)	Director of Academic Advising	1	\$83,849
28	(91)	Director of Disability Services	1	\$83,849
29	(92)	Dir. Environmental Health & Safety	1	\$83,616
30	(93)	Asst. Dir. Records	1	\$83,616
31	(94)	Asst. Dir. of Admissions	2	\$83,616
32	(95)	Registered Nurse Practitioner I	1	\$81,406
33	(96)	Dir. of Recreation & Intramurals	1	\$78,197
34	(97)	Assoc. Dir. of Student Aid	1	\$78,197
35	(98)	Coord. of ASU Comm. Coll. Deg. Cntrs	3	\$78,197
36	(99)	Research Analyst	5	\$78,162

1	(100)	Associate for Administration	3	\$77,322
2	(101)	Asst. Dir. Student Health Center	1	\$75,961
3	(102)	Assistant Director of Publications	1	\$74,673
4	(103)	Technical Director	1	\$69,161
5	(104)	Conservator	1	\$69,161
6	(105)	Academic Adviser	19	\$68,254
7	(106)	Assistant Director of Museum	1	\$67,813
8		<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>		
9		<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>		
10	(107)	Inst. Information Tech Coord.	2	GRADE C125
11	(108)	Computer Support Manager	1	GRADE C124
12	(109)	Information Systems Coord.	1	GRADE C124
13	(110)	Systems Specialist	5	GRADE C124
14	(111)	Sr. Software Support Analyst	1	GRADE C123
15	(112)	Network Support Specialist	2	GRADE C123
16	(113)	Systems Analyst	6	GRADE C122
17	(114)	Computer Support Coordinator	1	GRADE C121
18	(115)	Procurement Manager	1	GRADE C121
19	(116)	Personnel Manager	1	GRADE C121
20	(117)	ASU Assoc. Dir. of Physical Plant	1	GRADE C120
21	(118)	ASU Engineer Comm. Facilities Dir.	1	GRADE C120
22	(119)	HE Public Safety Commander I	3	GRADE C120
23	(120)	Information Technology Manager	5	GRADE C120
24	(121)	ASU Dir. of Farming	1	GRADE C119
25	(122)	Computer Support Specialist	22	GRADE C119
26	(123)	Curator	2	GRADE C119
27	(124)	Database Analyst	3	GRADE C119
28	(125)	Development Specialist	1	GRADE C119
29	(126)	Education Counselor	1	GRADE C119
30	(127)	Procurement Coordinator	1	GRADE C119
31	(128)	ASU Asst. Dir. of Physical Plant	3	GRADE C118
32	(129)	Fiscal Support Supervisor	11	GRADE C118
33	(130)	Network Support Analyst	1	GRADE C118
34	(131)	Accountant II	1	GRADE C117
35	(132)	Asst. Dir. of Financial Aid	1	GRADE C117
36	(133)	Budget Specialist	1	GRADE C117

1	(134)	HE Public Safety Supervisor	3	GRADE C117
2	(135)	Human Resources Analyst	2	GRADE C117
3	(136)	Information Systems Analyst	7	GRADE C117
4	(137)	Information Systems Security Analyst	1	GRADE C117
5	(138)	Maintenance Coordinator	1	GRADE C117
6	(139)	Production Artist	2	GRADE C117
7	(140)	Research Project Analyst	1	GRADE C117
8	(141)	Skilled Trades Foreman	3	GRADE C117
9	(142)	Computer Support Analyst	3	GRADE C117
10	(143)	ASU Asst. Director of Farming	1	GRADE C116
11	(144)	ASU Dir. of Housekeeping	1	GRADE C116
12	(145)	Buyer	1	GRADE C116
13	(146)	Construction/Maint. Coordinator	2	GRADE C116
14	(147)	Design Consultant	1	GRADE C116
15	(148)	HEI Program Coordinator	25	GRADE C116
16	(149)	Museum Exhibit Program Specialist	1	GRADE C116
17	(150)	Public Information Specialist	1	GRADE C116
18	(151)	Public Safety Officer	22	GRADE C116
19	(152)	Radio News Director	1	GRADE C116
20	(153)	Radio Program Director	1	GRADE C116
21	(154)	Skilled Trades Supervisor	18	GRADE C116
22	(155)	Administrative Analyst	16	GRADE C115
23	(156)	Assistant Registrar	5	GRADE C115
24	(157)	Computer Support Technician	6	GRADE C115
25	(158)	Financial Aid Analyst	8	GRADE C115
26	(159)	Fiscal Support Analyst	11	GRADE C115
27	(160)	Library Supervisor	1	GRADE C115
28	(161)	Payroll Services Specialist	1	GRADE C115
29	(162)	Skilled Tradesman	53	GRADE C115
30	(163)	Broadcast Production Specialist	3	GRADE C114
31	(164)	Commercial Graphic Artist	2	GRADE C114
32	(165)	Computer Operator	10	GRADE C114
33	(166)	Warehouse Manager	1	GRADE C114
34	(167)	Administrative Support Supv	2	GRADE C113
35	(168)	Multi-Media Specialist	3	GRADE C113
36	(169)	Comm. Artist I/Graphic Artist I	3	GRADE C113

1	(170)	Human Resources Specialist	2	GRADE C113
2	(171)	Landscape Supervisor	1	GRADE C113
3	(172)	LPN	2	GRADE C113
4	(173)	Museum Registrar	1	GRADE C113
5	(174)	Inventory Control Manager	1	GRADE C113
6	(175)	Student Recruitment Specialist	1	GRADE C113
7	(176)	Administrative Specialist III	42	GRADE C112
8	(177)	Administration Support Specialist	1	GRADE C112
9	(178)	Director of Transit & Parking	1	GRADE C112
10	(179)	Farm Foreman - Institutional	1	GRADE C112
11	(180)	Fiscal Support Specialist	20	GRADE C112
12	(181)	Maintenance Specialist	5	GRADE C112
13	(182)	Payroll Technician	2	GRADE C112
14	(183)	Purchasing Technician	1	GRADE C112
15	(184)	Coordinator of Housekeeping	4	GRADE C111
16	(185)	Pest Control Tech	1	GRADE C111
17	(186)	Admissions Analyst Supervisor	1	GRADE C110
18	(187)	Farm Maint. Mechanic	1	GRADE C110
19	(188)	Call Center Specialist	6	GRADE C110
20	(189)	Landscape Specialist	3	GRADE C110
21	(190)	Admissions Analyst II	7	GRADE C109
22	(191)	Administrative Specialist II	72	GRADE C109
23	(192)	Administrative Support Specialist	1	GRADE C109
24	(193)	Broadcast Announcer	1	GRADE C109
25	(194)	Library Technician	13	GRADE C109
26	(195)	Heavy Equipment Operator	17	GRADE C109
27	(196)	Cashier	3	GRADE C108
28	(197)	Inventory Control Technician	4	GRADE C108
29	(198)	Maintenance Assistant	5	GRADE C108
30	(199)	Library Support Assistant	4	GRADE C107
31	(200)	Registrars Assistant	2	GRADE C107
32	(201)	Administrative Specialist I	18	GRADE C106
33	(202)	Agricultural Lab Technician	2	GRADE C106
34	(203)	Apprentice Tradesman	22	GRADE C105
35	(204)	Institutional Svcs Supervisor	13	GRADE C104
36	(205)	Institutional Svcs Assistant	65	GRADE C103

1		<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>		
2		<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>		
3	(206)	Nurse Anesthesia Clinical Coord.	3	\$211,244
4	(207)	Department Chairperson	25	\$158,329
5	(208)	Faculty	75	
6		Professor		\$155,637
7		Assoc. Professor		\$144,865
8		Asst. Professor		\$123,214
9		Instructor		\$101,288
10	(209)	Research Associate	5	\$115,251
11	(210)	Asst. Library Director	2	\$88,260
12	(211)	Librarian	10	\$88,260
13	(212)	Research Assistant	18	\$68,994
14	(213)	Graduate Assistant	130	\$36,859
15		<u>NINE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>		
16		<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>		
17	(214)	College of Business Faculty	40	
18		Distinguished Professor		\$214,553
19		Professor		\$171,881
20		Associate Professor		\$141,188
21		Assistant Professor		\$135,049
22		Instructor		\$110,495
23	(215)	Faculty	471	
24		Distinguished Professor		\$174,335
25		Professor		\$152,946
26		Assoc. Professor		\$134,095
27		Asst. Professor		\$112,251
28		Instructor		\$87,587
29		Lecturer		\$70,770
30	(216)	Part-Time Faculty	240	\$44,081
31	(217)	Graduate Assistant	150	\$27,644
32		<u>TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES</u>		
33		<u>NON-CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>		
34	(218)	ASU Head Football Coach	1	\$186,196
35	(219)	Dir. of Athletics	1	\$161,634
36	(220)	Head Men's Basketball Coach	1	\$161,634

1	(221)	ASU Off. Coordinator-Football	1	\$148,207
2	(222)	ASU Def. Coordinator-Football	1	\$148,207
3	(223)	Assoc. Dir. of Athletics	4	\$136,434
4	(224)	ASU Asst. Head Football Coach	2	\$130,922
5	(225)	Assistant Football Coach	5	\$130,922
6	(226)	Head Coach	11	\$114,869
7	(227)	ASU Dir. of Auxiliary Enterprises	1	\$110,345
8	(228)	Dir. of Convocation Center	1	\$106,966
9	(229)	Head Athletic Trainer	1	\$102,587
10	(230)	Asst. Dir. Athletics	8	\$102,587
11	(231)	Assistant Coach	20	\$87,165
12	(232)	Trainer	4	\$87,166
13	(233)	Dir. of Strength & Conditioning	3	\$87,165
14	(234)	Facilities and Equipment Manager	2	\$78,493
15	(235)	Asst. Dir. of Convocation Center	1	\$75,961
16	(236)	Asst. Dir. of Development	1	\$69,066
17	(237)	Asst. Dir. of Media Relations	2	\$69,066
18	(238)	Director of Marketing	1	\$66,191
19	(239)	Ticket Manager/Convocation Center	1	\$64,213
20		<u>TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES</u>		
21		<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>		
22	(240)	ASU Dir. of Housing	1	GRADE C120
23	(241)	Director of Student Union	1	GRADE C118
24	(242)	Skilled Trades Foreman	1	GRADE C117
25	(243)	Print Shop Manager	1	GRADE C116
26	(244)	Athletic Ticket Sales Coordinator	1	GRADE C116
27	(245)	ASU Asst. Dir. of Housing	3	GRADE C115
28	(246)	Asst. Dir. of Student Union	1	GRADE C115
29	(247)	Fiscal Support Analyst	1	GRADE C115
30	(248)	Maintenance Supervisor	1	GRADE C115
31	(249)	Skilled Tradesman	10	GRADE C115
32	(250)	Special Events Manager	1	GRADE C115
33	(251)	Institutional Printer	6	GRADE C114
34	(252)	Student Union Night Manager	1	GRADE C114
35	(253)	Administrative Specialist III	1	GRADE C112
36	(254)	Special Events Coordinator	2	GRADE C112

1	(255)	Athletic Facility Supervisor	4	GRADE C111
2	(256)	Administrative Specialist II	9	GRADE C109
3	(257)	Student Union Sec Mgr	2	GRADE C109
4	(258)	Cashier	1	GRADE C108
5	(259)	Administrative Specialist I	4	GRADE C106
6	(260)	Institutional Svcs Supervisor	3	GRADE C104
7	(261)	Institutional Svcs Assistant	<u>27</u>	GRADE C103
8		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	2,246	

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10 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for
 11 the Arkansas State University for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, the following
 12 maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra
 13 Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two
 14 thousand sixty-four (2,064) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at
 15 rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and
 16 Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate
 17 classification.

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19 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby
 20 appropriated, to the Arkansas State University, to be payable from the
 21 Arkansas State University Fund, for personal services and operating expenses
 22 of the Arkansas State University for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019,
 23 the following:

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25	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
26	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2018-2019</u>
27	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$51,000,000
28	(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	8,160,000
29	(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
30	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	7,395,296
31	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
32	(C) PROF. FEES	0
33	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	400,000
34	(E) DATA PROC.	0
35	(04) FUNDED DEPRECIATION	<u>1,000,000</u>
36	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$67,955,296</u>

SECTION 4. ALLOCATIONS. There is hereby allocated, to the various programs of Arkansas State University, as set out herein, the following amounts of the funds appropriated in the State Operations appropriation section in this Act, to Arkansas State University, there to be used as provided by law, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the following:

ITEM	MAXIMUM ALLOCATION
NO.	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	<u>2018-2019</u>
(1) JONESBORO CAMPUS	\$62,851,479
(2) ASU - SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION	2,615,712
(3) HERITAGE SITES	<u>2,488,105</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT ALLOCATED	<u>\$67,955,296</u>

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUNDS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State University, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the Arkansas State University, for personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas State University for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the following:

ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	<u>2018-2019</u>
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$33,000,000
(02) EXTRA HELP	9,500,000
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	15,000,000
(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	55,000,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	7,000,000
(C) PROF. FEES	25,000,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	18,000,000
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(05) CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	52,349,683
(06) DEBT SERVICE	22,000,000
(07) PROMOTIONAL ITEMS	200,000
(08) RESALE	<u>125,000</u>

1 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$237,174,683

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3 SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
4 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. EMPLOYEE
5 DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES. In order to increase the adult degree completion rate
6 and to develop its own human capital, Arkansas State University System is
7 hereby authorized to offer one time lump-sum incentive bonuses or educational
8 differentials of up to six percent (6%) of the employee's salary for degree
9 attainment. A bonus or compensation differential may not be authorized if the
10 education is included as a special requirement or minimum qualification
11 established for the classification by the official class specification.

12 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2017~~
13 2018 through June 30, ~~2018~~ 2019.

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15 SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE
16 ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
17 CRITICAL TECHNICAL AND WORKFORCE TRAINING. The campuses of Arkansas State
18 University System are not limited by the restrictions provided under §6-61-
19 522(a)(1) and shall be able to construct, maintain and operate a student
20 residence facility with highest priority of placement given to students in
21 technical and workforce programs. A facility constructed under the
22 provisions of this language shall not be financed by university-issued bond
23 indebtedness.

24 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2017~~
25 2018 through June 30, ~~2018~~ 2019.

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27 SECTION 8. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
28 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
29 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
30 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
31 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
32 Procedures and Restrictions Act, the Higher Education Expenditures
33 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this
34 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of
35 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied
36 with in disbursement of said funds.

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SECTION 9. 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 10. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on and after July 1, 2018.

APPROVED: 2/23/18