Act 165 of the 1987 Regular Session

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"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO OTHER APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY THE SEVENTY-SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PAY ALLOWED CLAIMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the State Board of Pharmacy, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Revolving Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein, the following: ITEM

SECTION 2. The disbursement of funds appropriated in Section 1 herein for the payment of interest, shall not exceed 6.59% annual interest from the date of judgement to the date of payment regarding the judgement for attorney fees to claimants Jane Doe and John Doe.

SECTION 3. In the event that any claim authorized herein is determined to be a valid claim against the State, the Clerk of the State Claims Commission shall notify the agency against which the claims is to be charged of the amount of such claim. Upon receipt of such notification, the state agency shall forthwith deliver a check to the Clerk of the State Claims Commission who shall deposit the same as a nonrevenue receipt into the Miscellaneous Revolving Fund.

SECTION 4. The Clerk of the State Claims Commission is hereby made the disbursing officer for the purpose of paying the claims appropriated by this Act.

SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Sixth General Assembly meeting in Regular Session that the payees listed in this Act may be entitled to the sums appropriated and transferred to herein, and that they have been deprived of the use of these funds for a long period of time, and that further delay in paying these just debts of the State would do harm to the reputation of the State of Arkansas. 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 its passage and approval.

APPROVED: 3/11/87