Act 38 of the 1987 Regular Session

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"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVISION FOR DISASTER ASSISTANCE TO INDIVIDUALS OR FAMILIES AS AUTHORIZED BY THE DISASTER RELIEF ACT OF 1974, AND TO MAKE STATE FUNDS AVAILABLE FOR EMERGENCIES, AS AUTHORIZED BY ACT 511 OF 1973, AS AMENDED, TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1989; 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 Department of Finance and Administration, to be payable from the Disaster Assistance Fund, for provision of the disaster grants as authorized by The Disaster Relief Act of 1974 and for complying with the Arkansas Emergency Services Act of 1973, as amended, by the Office of Emergency Services for the biennial period ending June 30, 1989, the following: ITEM FISCAL YEARS NO. __1987-88____1988-89 \$ 4,000,000 \$ 4,000,000

(01) GRANT

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Sixth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1987 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1987 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 July 1, 1987.

APPROVED: February 13, 1987