Act 90 HB1350

By: Joint Budget Committee

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR A TRANSFER OF FUNDS IN ORDER TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR THE ARKANSAS RURAL MEDICAL PRACTICE STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. FUNDING TRANSFER. Immediately upon the effective date of this Act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall transfer on his books and those of the State Treasurer the sum of one hundred eighty-four thousand dollars (\$184,000) from the 76th Session Transfer Fund to the 76th Session Projects Account of the General Improvement Fund, there to be used exclusively to provide additional funding for the appropriation made in Subsection (B) of Section 3 of Act 925 of 1987 for the Arkansas Rural Medical Practice Student Loan and Scholarship Program.

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 Purchasing 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. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Seventh General Assembly, that monies provided by the Seventy-Sixth General Assembly for the operations of the agency to which monies are provided by this Act are, due to unforeseen conditions, insufficient for said agency to continue to provide essential governmental services, that the provisions of this Act will provide the necessary monies for such agency to continue such services, and that delay in the effective date of this Act could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental services. 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: February 17, 1989