

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **80th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1995**  
4 **By: *Joint Budget Committee***

# **A Bill**

**ACT 1171 OF 1995**  
**SENATE BILL 800**

## **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PLANNING,  
9 DEVELOPMENT, AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A GEOGRAPHICAL  
10 INFORMATION SYSTEM FOR THE SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION  
11 COMMISSION FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1997;  
12 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

## **Subtitle**

15 "AN ACT FOR THE SOIL AND WATER  
16 CONSERVATION COMMISSION APPROPRIATION  
17 FOR THE 1995-97 BIENNIUM."

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

21 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Soil  
22 and Water Conservation Commission, to be payable from the State General  
23 Services Fund Account, for the planning, development and implementation of a  
24 geographical information system for counties of the Arkansas Delta, the sum of  
25 \$700,000 for the biennial period ending June 30, 1997.

27 SECTION 2. 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 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and  
31 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
32 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control  
33 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the  
34 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
35 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

1 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
2 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
3 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which  
4 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
5 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
6 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
7 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
8 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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10 SECTION 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent  
11 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas  
12 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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14 SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the  
15 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such  
16 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which  
17 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this  
18 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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20 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
21 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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23 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
24 Eightieth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas  
25 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that  
26 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1995 is essential to the operation of  
27 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
28 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
29 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1995 could work irreparable harm upon the  
30 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
31 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
32 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
33 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1995.

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*/s/Russ*

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