Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: S2/16/99	
2	82nd General Assembly	A B1ll	Act 278 of 1999
3	Regular Session, 1999		SENATE BILL 325
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5	By: Joint Budget Committee		
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8		For An Act To Be Entitled	
9	"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF		
10	INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR PLANNING, DEVELOPMENT,		
11	IMPLEMENTATION, OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF A		
12	STATEWIDE N	NETWORK INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR O	THER
13	PURPOSES. "		
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15		Subtitle	
16	"AN A	CT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF	
17	INFORMATION SYSTEMS - STATEWIDE NETWORK		
18	I NFRA:	STRUCTURE APPROPRIATION. "	
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21	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GE	ENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF A	RKANSAS:
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23	SECTION 1. APPROPRIA	ATION. There is hereby appropriat	ed, to the Department
24	of Information Systems,	to be payable from the General	Improvement Fund or its
25	successor fund or fund	accounts, for planning, developm	ent, implementation,
26	operation and maintenar	nce of a Statewide Network Infras	tructure, the sum of
27			\$12, 900, 000.
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29	SECTION 2. COMPLIANC	CE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement	of funds authorized by
30	this act shall be limit	ted to the appropriation for such	agency and funds made
31	available by law for th	ne support of such appropriations	; and the restrictions
32	of the State Purchasing	g Law, the General Accounting and	Budgetary Procedures
33	Law, the Revenue Stabil	ization Law, the Regular Salary	Procedures and
34	Restrictions Act, or th	neir successors, and other fiscal	control laws of this
35	State, where applicable	e, and regulations promulgated by	the Department of
36	Finance and Administrat	tion, as authorized by law, shall	be strictly complied

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1 with in disbursement of said funds.

2 3 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly 4 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained 5 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 6 7 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral 8 9 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption. 10 11 12 SECTION 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent 13 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas 14 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code. 15 16 SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application 17 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall 18 not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given 19 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the 20 provisions of this act are declared to be severable. 21 22 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with 23 this act are hereby repealed. 24 25 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas 26 27 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that 28 the effectiveness of this Act on the date of its passage and approval is 29 essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this 30 Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular 31 Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond the date of its 32 passage and approval could work irreparable harm upon the proper 33 administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an 34 emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the 35 immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval. If the 36

1	bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become effective
2	on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the
3	<u>bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, it</u>
4	shall become effective on the date the last house overrides the veto.
5	/s/ Russ
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8	APPROVED: 2/24/1999
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