

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas
2 83rd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2001
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As Engrossed: H4/6/01 H4/10/01

A Bill

Act 1588 of 2001
HOUSE BILL 1732

5 By: *Joint Budget Committee*
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EQUIPPING AND
10 OPERATIONS FOR THE U OF A SCHOOL OF LAW AND THE UALR
11 WILLIAM H. BOWEN SCHOOL OF LAW OF THE UNIVERSITY OF
12 ARKANSAS SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER
13 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

16 AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS
17 SYSTEM ADMINISTRATION - EQUIPPING AND
18 OPERATIONS FOR THE SCHOOLS OF LAW
19 APPROPRIATION.
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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25 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the University
26 of Arkansas System Administration, to be payable from the fund balances of the
27 State Administration of Justice Fund, the following:

28 (A) For reduction of the principal of the bonded indebtedness and for other
29 expenses in constructing the physical facility at the UALR William H. Bowen
30 School of Law as regulated by Arkansas Code Annotated 6-64-604 through 6-64-
31 606, the sum of \$1,000,000.

32 (B) For improvements to the physical facility at the UA School of Law,
33 located in Fayetteville, as regulated by Arkansas Code Annotated 6-64-604
34 through 6-64-606, the sum of \$1,000,000.
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36 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by

1 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made
2 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions
3 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures
4 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and
5 Restrictions Act, the Higher Education Expenditures Restrictions Act, or their
6 successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and
7 regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as
8 authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said
9 funds.

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11 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
12 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
13 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
14 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
15 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
16 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
17 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint
18 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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20 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
21 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
22 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
23 effectiveness of this Act on the date of its passage and approval is essential
24 to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are
25 provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the
26 delay in the effective date of this Act beyond the date of its passage and
27 approval could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and
28 provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is
29 hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate
30 preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and
31 effect from and after the date of its passage and approval. If the bill is
32 neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become effective on the
33 expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill.
34 If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall
35 become effective on the date the last house overrides the veto.

36 /s/ Joint Budget Committee **APPROVED: 4/13/2001**