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.

Act 748 of the Regular Session

1 2	State of Arkansas 85th General Assembly	A Bill										
3	Regular Session, 2005		HOUSE BILL	1760								
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5	By: Representative Clemons											
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8		For An Act To Be Entitled										
9	AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT											
10	OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING											
11	OFFICER	FOR STATE ASSISTANCE FOR EDUCATIONAL	,									
12	PROGRAMS	S IN JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS; AND	FOR									
13	OTHER PI	URPOSES.										
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20	PROGI	RAMS IN JEFFERSON COUNTY, ARKANSAS										
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24	BE IT ENACTED BY THE G	GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKAI	NSAS:									
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26	SECTION 1. APPROPRI	TATIONS - EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS IN JEF	FERSON COUNTY,									
27	ARKANSAS. There is he	ereby appropriated, to the Department	of Finance and	Ĺ								
28	Administration - Disbu	arsing Officer, to be payable from the	e General									
29	Improvement Fund or it	ts successor fund or fund accounts, the	he following:									
30	(A) For state assis	stance to the Belair School Science Pr	roject in Jeffe	rson								
31	County, Arkansas, the	sum of	\$1,	000.								
32	(B) For state assis	stance to the Oak Park School Science	Project in									
33	Jefferson County, Arka	ansas, the sum of	\$1,	000.								
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35	SECTION 2. DISBURSE	EMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may 1	be awarded nor									



- l obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
- 2 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
- 3 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
- 4 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
- 5 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
- 6 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
- 7 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
- 8 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
- 9 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
- 10 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
- 11 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.
- 12 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing
- 13 Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue
- 14 Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State
- 15 and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration,
- 16 as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any
- 17 funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

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- 19 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
- 20 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
- 21 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
- 22 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
- 23 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
- 24 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
- 25 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
- 26 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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- 28 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
- 29 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
- 30 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
- 31 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2005 is essential to the operation of
- 32 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
- 33 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
- 34 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2005 could work irreparable harm upon the
- 35 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
- 36 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being

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