Stricken language will be deleted and underlined language will be added. Act 442 of the Regular Session

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2	88th General Assembly	A Bill	
3	Regular Session, 2011		SENATE BILL 547
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5	By: Senator Madison		
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7	For An Act To Be Entitled		
8	AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF		
9	HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR		
10	BEHAVIORAL HEA	LTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPO	SES.
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14		OR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVIC	ES
15		ON OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH -	
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17	IMPROVEME	ENT APPROPRIATION.	
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20	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENER	AL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKAN	ISAS:
21 22		TION - BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES	There is hereby
22		tment of Human Services - Divisio	•
24		the General Improvement Fund or	
25	or fund accounts, the foll	-	its successor rund
26		o the Drug Abuse Prevention and T	reatment Fund for
27		to the citizens of the State of	
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30	SECTION 2. APPROPRIA	TION - BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES	. There is hereby
31	appropriated, to the Depar	tment of Human Services - Divisio	on of Behavioral
32	Health, to be payable from	the Drug Abuse Prevention and Tr	ceatment Fund, for
33	behavioral health services to the citizens of the State of Arkansas for the		
34	fiscal year ending June 30	, 2012, the sum of	\$300,000.
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36	SECTION 3. SPECIAL L	ANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED	INTO THE ARKANSAS



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1 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.

2 Notwithstanding any other rules, regulations or provision of law to the

- 3 contrary the appropriations authorized in this Act shall not be restricted by
- 4 requirements that may be applicable to other programs currently administered.
- 5 New rules and regulations may be adopted to carry out the intent of the
- 6 General Assembly regarding the appropriations authorized in this Act.
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8 SECTION 4. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor 9 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available 10 11 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and 12 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or 13 14 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State 15 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects 16 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds 17 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General 18 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall 19 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

(B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

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28 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General 29 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations 30 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for 31 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive 32 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget 33 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or 34 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative 35 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption. 36

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1	SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General		
2	Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the		
3	appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the		
4	effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2011 is essential to the operation of		
5	the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in		
6	the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the		
7	effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2011 could work irreparable harm		
8	upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental		
9	programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act		
10	being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health		
11	and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2011.		
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14	APPROVED: 03/21/2011		
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