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| 14 | | ROVEMENT APPROPRIATION. | |
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| 18 | BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL | ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE O | F ARKANSAS: |
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| 20 | SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIO | ON - CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT | PROJECTS. There is |
| 21 | hereby appropriated, to the | Department of the Milita: | ry, to be payable from |
| 22 | the Development and Enhancem | - | |
| 23 | (A) for construction of | f a Readiness Center Join | nt Force Headquarters at |
| 24 | Camp Joseph T. Robinson, in a | a sum not to exceed | \$2,225,775. |
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| 26 | SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIO | ON - FEDERAL CAPITAL PRO. | JECTS. There is hereby |
| 27 | appropriated, to the Departme | ent of the Military, to I | be payable from the |
| 28 | federal funds as designated | by the Chief Fiscal Offic | cer of the State, the |
| 29 | following: | | |
| 30 | (A) for repair, constr | uction, renovation, expan | nsion, landscaping, |
| 31 | maintenance, improvement, or | equipping of the Profess | sional Education Center |
| 32 | (PEC) at Camp Joseph T. Robin | nson, in a sum not to exe | ceed\$6,500,000. |
| 33 | (B) for construction of | f a Readiness Center Join | nt Force Headquarters at |
| 34 | Fort Chaffee, in a sum not to | o exceed | \$5,117,313. |
| 35 | (C) for a Multi-Purpos | e Machinegun Range at Car | mp Joseph T. Robinson, in |
| 36 | a sum not to exceed | • | \$11,499,000. |



- (D) for an RMTC Redundant Water Storage Tank at Camp Joseph T.
 Robinson, in a sum not to exceed\$6,840,000.
 (E) for the Fort Chaffee Solar Array Project, in a sum not to exceed
 \$2,542,500.
 (F) for construction of a Readiness Center Joint Force Headquarters at
 Camp Joseph T. Robinson, in a sum not to exceed\$6,677,325.
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8 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor 9 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects 10 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available 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 4. 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 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General | | |
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| 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, 2023 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, 2023 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, 2023. | | |
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