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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1341

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

8 AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
9 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
10 INFORMATION SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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13 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION
14 SYSTEMS REAPPROPRIATION.
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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20 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT AND STATEWIDE SYSTEMS.

21 There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Information Systems, to be
22 payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund
23 accounts, for the Department of Information Systems the following:

24 (A) Effective July 1, 2011, the balance of the appropriation provided
25 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 98 of 2010, for the Statewide Core Network (Data
26 and Video) to support the communication needs of the State Agencies' users,
27 applications and systems and to accommodate the state's growth demands, in a
28 sum not to exceed.....\$321,901.
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30 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS

31 PROJECTS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Information
32 Systems, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor
33 fund or fund accounts, for the Department of Information Systems the
34 following:

35 (A) Effective July 1, 2011, the balance of the appropriation provided
36 in Item (A) Section 2 of Act 98 of 2010, for maintenance, renovation,



1 equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade, and repair
2 projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, in a sum not to
3 exceed.....\$10,000,000.
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5 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
6 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
7 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
8 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
9 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
10 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
11 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
12 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
13 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
14 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
15 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
16 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

17 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State
18 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the
19 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of
20 this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and
21 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in
22 disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided
23 otherwise by law.
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25 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
26 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
27 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
28 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
29 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
30 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
31 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
32 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.
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34 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
35 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
36 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that previous

1 General Assemblies have provided appropriations for the projects provided or
2 enumerated in this act; that certain appropriations will expire before the
3 adjournment of the General Assembly; and that if such appropriations expire,
4 the projects and programs authorized herein will cease thereby depriving the
5 citizens of the State of the benefits to be derived from such projects.
6 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
7 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
8 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2011.

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