

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Amendment Form

JBC 04/06/05 (2)

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 297

"AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT - CAPITAL
CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

Amendment No. 3 to Senate Bill No. 297.

Amend Senate Bill No. 297 as engrossed, S4/5/05 (version: 04-05-2005 14:08)

Page 2, insert an additional section immediately following section 2 to read as follows:

" SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - GRANT TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK - NANOTECHNOLOGY. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Economic Development, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

(A) For providing funding for a grant to the University of Arkansas at Little Rock for research and projects associated with the study and application of nanotechnology, the sum of\$5,900,000.

SECTION 4. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. NANOTECHNOLOGY CONTRACTS. In order to ensure the states investment in nanotechnology, the Department of Economic Development and the University of Arkansas at Little Rock shall enter into an interagency agreement that provides safeguards for the ongoing related research and projects involving the study and application of nanotechnology. The interagency agreement and any contractual agreement(s) that may be made between the University of Arkansas at Little Rock and the Nanotechnology research team shall be reviewed by the Office of Attorney General prior to the execution of said agreements, before any funds may be disbursed by the Department of Economic Development to the University of Arkansas at Little Rock for nanotechnology."

And appropriately renumber the SECTION numbers of the bill.



The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____

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Secretary