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85th General Assembly - Regular Session, 2005  
**Amendment Form**

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**Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 453**

"AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION APPROPRIATION FOR  
THE 2005-2007 BIENNIUM."

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**Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 453.**

Amend Senate Bill No. 453 as engrossed, (version: 03-17-2005 16:15)

Page 4, line 4, delete "500,000 500,000" and substitute "300,000 300,000"

And

Page 4, line 5, delete "80,000 80,000" and substitute "\$280,000  
\$280,000"

And

Page 4, line 10, delete "1,500,000 1,500,000" and substitute "2,000,000  
2,500,000"

And

Page 4, line 12, delete "4,877,508 4,877,508" and substitute "9,500,000  
9,500,000"

And

Page 4, delete line 13 in its entirety

And

Page 4, line 16, delete "179,544 179,544" and substitute "2,000,000  
2,000,000"

And

Page 4, line 17, delete "500,000 500,000" and substitute "3,710,345  
3,710,345"

And



Page 4, line 23, delete "15,000 15,000" and substitute "75,000 75,000"

And

Appropriately renumber the Item Nos. of Section 4

And

Page 4, line 26, delete "\$ 42,690,898 \$ 42,692,835" and substitute "\$ 49,693,846 \$ 50,195,783"

And

Page 9, line 16, delete "Discharge." and substitute "Discharge. Priority for funding shall be given to students already receiving assistance from the National Guard Tuition Assistance Program."

And

Page 10, line 23, delete "from all sources." and substitute "from all state revenue sources."

And

Delete Section 23 in its entirety

And

Delete Section 32 in its entirety and substitute the following:

" SECTION 32. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. STUDENT UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP (SURF) PROGRAM. The focus of the Student Undergraduate Research Fellowship (SURF) Program is the continued development of undergraduate academic research efforts at Arkansas colleges and universities. The Arkansas Department of Higher Education shall adopt rules and regulations necessary for the proper administration of the Student Undergraduate Research Fellowship Program. Administrative functions and responsibilities may include, but not necessarily be limited to, the development of eligibility criteria, collection of applications, coordination of student evaluations, distribution of public notices, and funding of grants for academic research purposes. Staff of the Arkansas Department of Higher Education shall administer this program. The Arkansas Department of Higher Education shall be authorized to expense costs associated with the administration of the program, from funds made payable from the Higher Education Grants Fund Account for the Student Undergraduate Research Fellowship Program as authorized in Section 4 of this Act."

And

By appropriately renumbering the sections of the bill.

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

By: Representative Mahony

Senator Salmon

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Secretary