

**REPORT OF THE SPECIAL LANGUAGE SUBCOMMITTEE
OF THE
JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE**

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Tuesday, February 24, 2015

Mr. Chairmen:

Your Special Language Subcommittee met at 7:30 AM, February 19, 2015 and made the following recommendations to the Joint Budget Committee.

1. The following bills are recommended for approval and are released from the Special Language Subcommittee:

- A. SB207 - Arkansas Agriculture Department Appropriation
- B. HB1137 - Arkansas State Police Appropriation

2. The following amendments are recommended for approval and are released from the Special Language Subcommittee:

- A. Amendment TWV068 to SB270 - University of Arkansas System Appropriation (ATTACHMENT 1)
- B. Amendment ALB067 to HB1207 - Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer Appropriation (ATTACHMENT 2)

3. The following amendments are recommended for approval by the Special Language Subcommittee:

- A. Amendment MAH074 to SB32 - Department of Education Appropriation (ATTACHMENT 3)
- B. Amendment MAH058 to SB174 - Department of Education - Grants and Aid to Local School Districts Appropriation (ATTACHMENT 4)
- C. Amendment TCW065 to HB1137 - Arkansas State Police Appropriation (ATTACHMENT 5)

Respectfully Submitted,

Senator Jon Woods, Chair

Representative Stephen Meeks, Chair

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 270

AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - SYSTEM AND VARIOUS DIVISIONS APPROPRIATION
FOR THE 2015-2016 FISCAL YEAR.

Amendment No. ___ to Senate Bill No. 270

Amend Senate Bill No. 270 as originally introduced:

Following SECTION 12, insert two new sections:

" SECTION 13. APPROPRIATION - BUFFALO RIVER WATERSHED MONITORING. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the University of Arkansas Fund, for personal services and maintenance and operating expenses of environmental studies monitoring the Buffalo River watershed, of the University of Arkansas - Division of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2016, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR
	2015-2016
(01) BUFFALO RIVER WATERSHED MONITORING	<u>\$100,000</u>

SECTION 14. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. BUFFALO RIVER WATERSHED MONITORING. The appropriation and funding provided by the legislature for Buffalo River Watershed Monitoring in this act shall be used for environmental studies related to monitoring swine farming operations within the Buffalo River watershed. The studies will be conducted on behalf of the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality. The University of Arkansas - Division of Agriculture will report the results and progress of these studies to the House and Senate Public Health, Welfare and Labor committees by June 30th and December 31st of each year. It is intended by the 90th General Assembly that these studies be conducted for four fiscal years, concluding with the 2018-2019 fiscal year.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016."

AND

Renumber the section numbers.

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The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended and read the second time and _____
By: Joint Budget Committee
By: Representative Linck
TWV/TWV - 02-09-2015 15:42:33
TWV068

Secretary

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ATTACHMENT 2

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Subtitle of House Bill No. 1207

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER
APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2015-2016 FISCAL YEAR.

Amendment No. ___ to House Bill No. 1207

Amend House Bill No. 1207 as originally introduced:

Page 36, line 26, insert a new SECTION immediately following SECTION 78 to read as follows:

" SECTION 79. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. INTRASTATE METRO PLANNING GRANTS. As referenced in Section 9 of Act 637 of 1995, the authorized funding for Intrastate Metro Planning Grants that are evenly distributed among planning and development districts under Section 3 of this act shall include the Western Arkansas Planning and Development District."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

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

By: Senator B. Sample

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ALB067

Secretary

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ATTACHMENT 3

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 32

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2015-2016 FISCAL YEAR.

Amendment No. ___ to Senate Bill No. 32

Amend Senate Bill No. 32 as originally introduced:

Page 13, delete SECTION 22 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

DRAFT

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

By: Joint Budget Committee

By: Representative Dotson

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MAH074

Secretary

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ATTACHMENT 4

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Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 174

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS
APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2015-2016 FISCAL YEAR.

Amendment No. ___ to Senate Bill No. 174

Amend Senate Bill No. 174 as originally introduced:

Page 17, insert an additional SECTION immediately following SECTION 28 to read as follows:

" SECTION 29. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. EAST FUNDING PROVISION. Of the total amount appropriated for Technology Grants each fiscal year, an amount of not less than two million dollars (\$2,000,000) or eighteen percent (18%), whichever is greater each fiscal year, shall be awarded through a grant or professional services contract for EAST infrastructure, personnel, and operating expenses. The EAST infrastructure grant or contract for personal services and operating expenses shall be awarded to an entity that has personnel or experience, or both, in implementing the EAST Initiative.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016."

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

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

By: Joint Budget Committee

By: Representative Davis

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MAH058

Secretary

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Subtitle of House Bill No. 1137

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2015-2016
FISCAL YEAR.

Amendment No. ___ to House Bill No. 1137

Amend House Bill No. 1137 as originally introduced:

Page 13, delete SECTION 21 in its entirety.

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections.

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The Amendment was read
By: Representative Davis
TCW/TCW - 02-12-2015 15:58:19
TCW065

Chief Clerk