

State of Arkansas

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HOUSE BILL 1731

By: Joint Budget Committee

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MATCHING FEDERAL FUNDS AS WELL AS ANY AVAILABLE FUNDS OF THE ARKANSAS GAME AND FISH COMMISSION IN ORDER TO PROVIDE FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE HOLLAND BOTTOMS PROPERTY, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission, to be payable from the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund, for matching federal funds as well as any available funds of the Arkansas Game and Fish Commission in order to provide improvements to the Holland Bottoms property, the sum of.....\$125,000.

SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral

testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Sixth General Assembly, that in order to access federal funds for making necessary improvements to the Holland Bottoms property so that the property will be more accessible to handicapped and elderly citizens of Arkansas, State matching funds are needed. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

