

State of Arkansas
77th General Assembly
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By: Joint Budget Committee

SENATE BILL 22

"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO OTHER APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY THE SEVENTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PAY ALLOWED CLAIMS; 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 State Highway and Transportation Department, to be payable from the State Highway Department Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payees set out herein, the following:

| ITEM NO. | | AWARD |
|-------------|--------------------|--------------|
| (1) | Thelma I. Frizzell | \$ 11,000.00 |
| (2) | Becky Sue Sullivan | __12,000.00 |
| | Total Appropriated | \$ 23,000.00 |
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SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Children and Family Services, to be payable from the Children and Family Services Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payees set out herein, the following:

| ITEM NO. | | AWARD |
|-------------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| (1) | Treatment Homes, Inc. | \$ 6,015.60 |
| (2) | Centers for Youth and Families | __28,900.00 |

Total Appropriated \$ 34,915.60
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SECTION 3. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Services for the Blind, to be payable from the State Services for the Blind Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein, the following:

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| NO. | AWARD |
|---------------------|--------------|
| (1) Eria Jean Brown | \$ 10,000.00 |

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Developmental Disabilities Services, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payees set out herein, the following:

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| NO. | AWARD |
|------------------------------------|--------------|
| (1) Centers for Youth and Families | \$ 5,425.00 |
| (2) Augustine Bailey | 6,500.00 |
| Total Appropriated | \$ 11,925.00 |

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of the Arkansas State Police, to be payable from the Department of Arkansas State Police Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein, the following:

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| NO. | AWARD |
|--------------------|-------------|
| (1) Glenn Williams | \$ 2,971.20 |

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to Garland

County Community College, to be payable from the Garland County Community College Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein, the following:

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| NO. | | AWARD |
|-----|-------------------|-------------|
| (1) | Phyllis R. Brooks | \$ 6,097.74 |

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville, to be payable from the University of Arkansas Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payees set out herein, the following:

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| NO. | | AWARD |
|-----|--|-------------|
| (1) | Farmers Cooperative | \$ 6,433.34 |
| (2) | UNUM Life Insurance Company of America | 11,589.52 |
| | Total Appropriated | \$18,022.86 |

SECTION 8. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, to be payable from the Teacher Retirement Trust Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein, the following:

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| NO. | | AWARD |
|-----|--|-------------|
| (1) | Department of Finance and Administration | \$ 5,678.75 |

SECTION 9. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Central Arkansas, to be payable from the University of Central Arkansas Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein, the following:

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| NO. _____ | AWARD _____ |
|---------------------|-------------|
| (1) Bill Abney, Sr. | \$ 9,500.00 |

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Correction, to be payable from the Department of Correction Inmate Care and Custody Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein, the following:

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| NO. _____ | AWARD _____ |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|
| (1) PHP Healthcare Corporation, Inc. | \$349,640.00 |

SECTION 11. Any state agency which is affected by the allowed claim(s) provided for in this Act, and whose funds for the 1988-89 fiscal year are insufficient to allow for the payment of said claim(s) before June 30, 1989, is hereby authorized, upon certification by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, to make payment of said claim(s) after July 1, 1989, from funds appropriated for the 1989-90 fiscal year.

SECTION 12. In the event that any claim authorized herein is determined to be a valid claim against the State and the claim is to be paid from funds not in the State Treasury, the Clerk of the State Claims Commission shall notify the agency against which the claim is to be charged of the amount of such claim. Upon receipt of such notification, the state agency shall forth-with deliver a check to the Clerk of the State Claims Commission who shall deposit the same as a nonrevenue receipt into the Miscellaneous Revolving Fund from which he shall disburse the amount of the claim to the claimant.

SECTION 13. The Clerk of the State Claims Commission is hereby made the disbursing officer for the purpose of paying the claims appropriated by this Act. The Clerk of the State Claims Commission is hereby authorized to receive all warrants prepared under the provisions of this Act from the Auditor of State and to distribute same to the claimants.

SECTION 14. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature

are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 15. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Seventh General Assembly that the payees listed in this Act may be entitled to the sums appropriated and transferred to herein, and that they have been deprived of the use of these funds for a long period of time, and that further delay in paying these just debts of the State would do harm to the reputation of the State of Arkansas. 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.