

State of Arkansas

77th General Assembly                      A Bill

Third Extraordinary Session, 1989

SENATE BILL                      4

By: Joint Budget Committee

CALL ITEM 49

For An Act To Be Entitled

"AN ACT TO AMEND SUB-SECTION (A) OF SECTION 1 OF ACT 149 OF THE FIRST EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF 1989; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

SECTION 1. Subsection (A) of Section 1 of Act 149 of the First Extraordinary Session of 1989 is hereby amended to read as follows:

"(A) For replacement of Rogers Hall; to provide for court ordered defendant evaluations; and for the provision of court ordered training and certification costs pursuant to the Baldrige V Clinton case settlement costs for the Department of Human Services - Division of Mental Health Services, the sum of ..... \$7,000,000."

SECTION 2. 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 3. 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 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Seventy-Seventh General Assembly meeting in Third Extraordinary Session, that

the appropriation authority provided by the Seventy-Seventh General Assembly, meeting in First Extraordinary Session, for the replacement of Rogers Hall, is insufficient to provide for the court ordered defendant evaluations and training and certification costs in the Baldrige V Clinton case settlement for the Department of Human Services - Division of Mental Health Services. 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.