

1 **State of Arkansas**  
2 **78th General Assembly**  
3 **Regular Session, 1991**  
4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

# A Bill

**HOUSE BILL**

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## 7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ALLOCATION OF THE  
9 FEDERAL MORRILL-NELSON GRANT AND THE FEDERAL  
10 BANKHEAD-JONES GRANTS BY THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE  
11 BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 1993; AND FOR OTHER  
12 PURPOSES."

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

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16 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - FEDERAL MORRILL-NELSON GRANT. There is  
17 hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the Federal  
18 Morrill-Nelson Grant Fund, for allocation of the federal funds received under  
19 the Morrill-Nelson Grant by the Auditor of State for the biennial period  
20 ending June 30, 1993, the following:

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22 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
23 NO.	1991-92	1992-93
24 (01) MORRILL-NELSON AID	<u>\$ 200,000</u>	<u>\$ 200,000</u>

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26 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS - FEDERAL BANKHEAD-JONES GRANTS. There is  
27 hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the Federal  
28 Bankhead-Jones Fund, for allocation of the federal funds received under the  
29 Bankhead-Jones Grant by the Auditor of State for the biennial period ending  
30 June 30, 1993, the following:

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32 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
33 NO.	1991-92	1992-93
34 (01) BANKHEAD-JONES GRANTS	<u>\$ 220,000</u>	<u>\$ 220,000</u>

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1 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized  
2 by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds  
3 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the  
4 restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary  
5 Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures  
6 and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of  
7 this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of  
8 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied  
9 with in disbursement of said funds.

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11 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
12 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
13 in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this Act  
14 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
15 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
16 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
17 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint  
18 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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20 SECTION 5. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent  
21 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas  
22 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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24 SECTION 6. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the application  
25 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall  
26 not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which can be given  
27 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the  
28 provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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30 SECTION 7. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with  
31 this Act are hereby repealed.

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33 SECTION 8. HEALTH PREMIUMS. The Auditor of State shall not, during the  
34 1992-93 fiscal year, spend more for health insurance per employee than the  
35 amount being contributed to the State Employees Health Insurance Program.

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2        SECTION 9. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
3 Seventy-Eighth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of  
4 Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year  
5 period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1991 is essential to the  
6 operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided,  
7 and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the  
8 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1991 could work irreparable harm  
9 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
10 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
11 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
12 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1991.

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