

1 **State of Arkansas**
2 **78th General Assembly**
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4 **By: Joint Budget Committee**

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SENATE BILL

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7 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROJECTS AS
9 AUTHORIZED BY ACT 683 OF 1989, AS AMENDED, THE ARKANSAS
10 COLLEGE SAVINGS BOND ACT OF 1989 FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF
11 HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF BOND ISSUANCE
12 COSTS OF THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; AND
13 FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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

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17 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
18 Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education
19 Projects Development Fund, for the development of projects at State
20 institutions of higher education and the payment of project costs and expenses
21 of the issuance of the bonds of the Arkansas College Savings General
22 Obligation Bonds Program, the sum of \$ 22,150,000.

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24 SECTION 2. ALLOCATIONS. There is hereby allocated to the various
25 State institutions of higher education and the Arkansas Development Finance
26 Authority for the projects set out herein, the following amounts of the funds
27 appropriated in Section 1 hereof, to the various State institutions of higher
28 education and the Arkansas Development Finance Authority, there to be used as
29 provided by law, the following:

30 PROJECT TITLE	MAXIMUM ALLOCATION
31 ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-JONESBORO	
32 Equipment	\$ 744,941
33 Library	172,898
34 Major Maintenance	<u>952,075</u>
35 TOTAL ASU-JONESBORO	\$ 1,869,914

1	ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY	
2	Equipment	\$ 387,922
3	Library	71,089
4	Major Maintenance	<u>511,982</u>
5	TOTAL ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY	\$ 970,993
6	HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY	
7	Equipment	\$ 232,916
8	Library	85,009
9	Major Maintenance	<u>643,018</u>
10	TOTAL HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY	\$ 960,943
11	SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY-MAGNOLIA	
12	Equipment	\$ 227,339
13	Library	79,127
14	Major Maintenance	<u>679,944</u>
15	TOTAL SAU-MAGNOLIA	\$ 986,410
16	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS-FAYETTEVILLE	
17	Equipment	\$ 2,730,289
18	Library	616,147
19	Law Library	114,787
20	Major Maintenance	<u>2,810,371</u>
21	TOTAL UAF	\$ 6,271,594
22	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS-FAYETTEVILLE-ARKANSAS ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY	
23	Equipment	\$ 28,330
24	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS-FAYETTEVILLE-AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION	
25	Equipment	\$ 478,073
26	Major Maintenance	<u>116,644</u>
27	TOTAL UAF-AES	\$ 594,717
28	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS-FAYETTEVILLE-COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SERVICE	
29	Equipment	\$ 219,118
30	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS-LITTLE ROCK	
31	Equipment	\$ 962,971
32	Library	187,028
33	Law Library	128,621
34	Major Maintenance	<u>466,350</u>
35	TOTAL UALR	\$ 1,744,970

1	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS-MONTICELLO	
2	Equipment	\$ 276,198
3	Library	41,152
4	Major Maintenance	<u>394,095</u>
5	TOTAL UAM	\$ 711,445
6	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL SCIENCES	
7	Equipment	\$ 2,054,127
8	Library	65,181
9	Major Maintenance	<u>1,274,425</u>
10	TOTAL UAMS	\$ 3,393,733
11	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS-PINE BLUFF	
12	Equipment	\$ 298,038
13	Library	60,575
14	Major Maintenance	<u>899,861</u>
15	TOTAL UAPB	\$ 1,258,474
16	UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS	
17	Equipment	\$ 473,342
18	Library	155,831
19	Major Maintenance	<u>691,050</u>
20	TOTAL UCA	\$ 1,320,223
21	ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-BEEBE	
22	Equipment	\$ 53,603
23	Library	18,680
24	Major Maintenance	<u>54,383</u>
25	TOTAL ASU-BEEBE	\$ 126,666
26	EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
27	Equipment	\$ 42,183
28	Library	<u>18,834</u>
29	TOTAL EACC	\$ 61,017
30	GARLAND COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
31	Equipment	\$ 69,388
32	Library	<u>25,141</u>
33	TOTAL GCCC	\$ 94,529
34	MISSISSIPPI COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
35	Equipment	\$ 82,037

1	Library	<u>24,885</u>
2	TOTAL MCCC	\$ 106,922
3	NORTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
4	Equipment	\$ 58,107
5	Library	<u>19,254</u>
6	TOTAL NACC	\$ 77,361
7	NORTH WEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
8	Equipment	\$ 34,713
9	Library	<u>13,321</u>
10	TOTAL NWACC	\$ 48,034
11	PHILLIPS COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
12	Equipment	\$ 125,912
13	Library	<u>19,377</u>
14	TOTAL PCCC	\$ 145,289
15	RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
16	Equipment	\$ 51,012
17	Library	<u>17,005</u>
18	TOTAL RMCC	\$ 68,017
19	SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY-EL DORADO	
20	Equipment	\$ 37,549
21	Library	10,985
22	Major Maintenance	<u>19,480</u>
23	TOTAL SAU-EL DORADO	\$ 68,014
24	SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY - TECHNICAL BRANCH	
25	Equipment	\$ 90,870
26	Library	19,895
27	Major Maintenance	<u>486,322</u>
28	TOTAL SAU-TECH	\$ 597,087
29	WESTARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE	
30	Equipment	\$ 241,022
31	Library	<u>35,178</u>
32	TOTAL WCC	\$ 276,200
33	ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY	
34	Bond Issuance Cost Reimbursement	\$ 150,000
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1 TOTAL ALLOCATED-INSTITUTIONS/ADFA \$22,150,000

2 If any new construction or renovation project is completed at a cost
3 less than the allocation provided in this Section, the unused allocation and
4 funding may, subject to approval of the State Board of Higher Education, be
5 reallocated to Equipment, Library, or Major Maintenance allocation(s) for that
6 institution of higher education.

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8 SECTION 3. The appropriations authorized in Section 1 of this Act will
9 be allocated based on the priority categories as recommended by the State
10 Board of Higher Education to the Arkansas Legislative Council.

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12 SECTION 4. The Department of Higher Education shall adopt rules and
13 regulations for the allocation of the funds appropriated by this Act to ensure
14 that the funds are allocated and expended in a manner consistent with the
15 provisions of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to the Arkansas College
16 Savings General Obligation Bond Program (Program). The funds appropriated and
17 allocated pursuant to this Act shall be allocated and expended pursuant to Act
18 683 of 1989, as amended, this Act, and the rules and regulations promulgated
19 hereunder and shall be exempt from any other provisions of state law which
20 conflicts with any provision of the rules and regulations which are required
21 to ensure the compliance of the Program with the applicable provisions of the
22 Internal Revenue Code.

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24 SECTION 5. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
25 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
26 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
27 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and
28 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
29 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control
30 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the
31 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
32 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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34 SECTION 6. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
35 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations

1 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which
2 this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
3 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
4 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
5 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
6 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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8 SECTION 7. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent
9 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas
10 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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12 SECTION 8. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the
13 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such
14 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which
15 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this
16 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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18 SECTION 9. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict
19 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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21 SECTION 10. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
22 Seventy-Eighth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of
23 Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year
24 period; that the effectiveness of this Act immediately is essential to the
25 operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided,
26 and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the
27 effective date of this Act could work irreparable harm upon the proper
28 administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an
29 emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the
30 immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full
31 force and effect from and after its passage and approval.

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