

1 State of Arkansas  
2 80th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1995

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 229

4 By: *Joint Budget Committee*

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF  
9 FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR  
10 CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE RADIATION THERAPY INSTITUTE  
11 IN MOUNTAIN HOME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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## Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
15 AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER  
16 CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

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

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20 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
21 Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer, to be payable  
22 from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the  
23 following:

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25 (A) For constructing and equipping the Radiation Therapy Institute in  
26 Mountain Home, Arkansas, the sum of . . . . .  
27 . \$550,000.

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29 SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor  
30 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects  
31 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available  
32 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and  
33 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and  
34 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or  
35 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State

1 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects  
2 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds  
3 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General  
4 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall  
5 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this Act.

6 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State  
7 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the  
8 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of  
9 this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and  
10 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in  
11 disbursement of any funds provided by this Act unless specifically provided  
12 otherwise by law.

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14 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
15 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
16 contained in this Act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
17 which this Act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
18 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
19 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
20 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
21 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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23 SECTION 4. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and  
24 permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and  
25 the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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27 SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this Act or the  
28 application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such  
29 invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the Act which  
30 can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this  
31 end the provisions of this Act are declared to be severable.

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33 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict  
34 with this Act are hereby repealed.

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1 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
2 Eightieth General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas  
3 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period;  
4 that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1995 is essential to the  
5 operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are  
6 provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the  
7 delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1995 could work  
8 irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential  
9 governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist  
10 and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public  
11 peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after  
12 July 1, 1995.

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