

1 State of Arkansas

2 80th General Assembly

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4 By: Joint Budget Committee

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A Bill

SENATE BILL

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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE
 9 UNIVERSITY - BEEBE/NEWPORT FOR CONSTRUCTION OF CLASSROOMS
 10 AND OFFICES, AND THE PURCHASE OF OPERATING SUPPLIES AND
 11 CAPITAL EQUIPMENT FOR SUPPORT OF THE ARKANSAS STATE
 12 UNIVERSITY - BEEBE/NEWPORT ARKANSAS COMMERCIAL DRIVER
 13 TRAINING ACADEMY FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30,
 14 1997; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

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Subtitle

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"AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE
 UNIVERSITY - BEEBE/NEWPORT CAPITAL
 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

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

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SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
 Arkansas State University - Beebe/Newport to be payable from the General
 Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the biennial
 period ending June 30, 1997 the following:

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(A) For construction of classrooms and administrative offices,
 purchase of operating supplies, instructional equipment and other capital
 equipment needs to support the Arkansas State University - Beebe/Newport
 Arkansas Commercial Driver Training Academy, the sum of.....\$800,000.

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SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and

1 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
2 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
3 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
4 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
5 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
6 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
7 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
8 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this Act.

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

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

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

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

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35 SECTION 6. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with

1 this Act are hereby repealed.

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

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