

Stricken language would be deleted from present law. Underlined language would be added to present law.

1 State of Arkansas
2 81st General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1997

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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1875

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5 *By: Joint Budget Committee*

For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR IMPLEMENTING THE DNA
10 DATA BASE FOR THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY; AND FOR OTHER
11 PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY -
15 DNA DATA BASE APPROPRIATION."

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

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19 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the State
20 Crime Laboratory - DNA Data Base, to be payable from the State General
21 Services Fund Account, for maintenance and general operations expenses
22 associated with the State Crime Laboratory - DNA Data Base,
23 the sum of.....\$75,000.

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25 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the State
26 Crime Laboratory, to be payable from the federal funds as designated by the
27 Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for maintenance and general operations
28 expenses of the State Crime Laboratory, the sum of\$225,000.

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30 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds
31 authorized by this Act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency
32 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and
33 the restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and
34 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
35 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control
36 laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the

1 Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
2 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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

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

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

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26 SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
27 Eighty-First General Assembly that funds provided by the General Assembly for
28 the operations of the State Crime Laboratory are, due to unforeseen
29 circumstances, insufficient for the State Crime Laboratory to continue to
30 provide essential governmental services; that the provisions of this act will
31 provide the necessary monies for the State Crime Laboratory to continue such
32 services; and that a delay in the effective date of this Act could work
33 irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential
34 governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist
35 and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public

1 peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the
2 date of its passage and approval.

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