

1 State of Arkansas  
2 82nd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1999

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1283

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5 By: Joint Budget Committee  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL  
10 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE TECHNICAL  
11 INSTITUTES, COMPREHENSIVE LIFELONG LEARNING CENTERS  
12 AND VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER  
13 PURPOSES. "

## Subtitle

15 "AN ACT FOR THE TECHNICAL INSTITUTES,  
16 COMPREHENSIVE LIFELONG LEARNING CENTERS  
17 AND VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOLS  
18 REAPPROPRIATION. "  
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - ARKANSAS VALLEY. There  
25 is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Valley Technical Institute, to be  
26 payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund  
27 accounts, for the Arkansas Valley Technical Institute, the following:

28 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
29 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional  
30 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations, in a sum not to exceed  
31 .....\$16,178.  
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33 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - COTTON BOLL. There is  
34 hereby appropriated, to the Cotton Boll Technical Institute, to be payable  
35 from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for  
36 the Cotton Boll Technical Institute, the following:

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1 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
2 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional  
3 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations , in a sum not to exceed  
4 .....\$54,021.

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6 SECTION 3. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - CROWLEY'S RIDGE. There  
7 is hereby appropriated, to the Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute, to be  
8 payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund  
9 accounts, for the Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute, the following:

10 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
11 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional  
12 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations, in a sum not to exceed  
13 .....\$60,620.

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15 SECTION 4. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - FOOTHILLS. There is  
16 hereby appropriated, to the Foothills Technical Institute, to be payable from  
17 the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the  
18 Foothills Technical Institute, the following:

19 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
20 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional  
21 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations, in a sum not to exceed  
22 .....\$153,762.

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24 SECTION 5. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - FOREST ECHOES. There is  
25 hereby appropriated, to the Forest Echoes Technical Institute, to be payable  
26 from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for  
27 the Forest Echoes Technical Institute, the following:

28 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
29 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional  
30 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations , in a sum not to exceed  
31 .....\$71,823.

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33 SECTION 6. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - GREAT RIVERS. There is  
34 hereby appropriated, to the Great Rivers Comprehensive Lifelong Learning  
35 Center, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund  
36 or fund accounts, for the Great Rivers Comprehensive Lifelong Learning Center,

1 the following:

2 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
3 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional  
4 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations, in a sum not to exceed  
5 .....\$13,224.

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7 SECTION 7. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - NORTHWEST. There is  
8 hereby appropriated, to the Northwest Technical Institute, to be payable from  
9 the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the  
10 Northwest Technical Institute, the following:

11 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
12 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional  
13 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations, in a sum not to exceed  
14 .....\$24,830.

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16 (B) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
17 Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 644 of 1997, for costs associated with the  
18 construction of the Business and Industry Training Facility, in a sum not to  
19 exceed .....\$300,000.

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21 SECTION 8. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - QUAPAW. There is hereby  
22 appropriated, to the Quapaw Technical Institute, to be payable from the  
23 General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the  
24 Quapaw Technical Institute, the following:

25 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
26 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional  
27 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations, in a sum not to exceed  
28 .....\$54,322.

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30 SECTION 9. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT - RIVERSIDE. There is  
31 hereby appropriated, to the Riverside Vocational Technical School, to be  
32 payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund  
33 accounts, for the Riverside Vocational Technical School, the following:

34 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in  
35 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional  
36 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations, in a sum not to exceed

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SECTION 10. 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 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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

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

SECTION 12. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

SECTION 13. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall

1 not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given  
2 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the  
3 provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

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5 SECTION 14. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with  
6 this act are hereby repealed.

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8 SECTION 15. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
9 Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas  
10 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that  
11 previous General Assemblies have provided appropriations for the projects  
12 provided or enumerated in this act; that certain appropriations will expire  
13 before the adjournment of the General Assembly; and that if such  
14 appropriations expire, the projects and programs authorized herein will cease  
15 thereby depriving the citizens of the State of the benefits to be derived from  
16 such projects. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this  
17 Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health  
18 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its  
19 passage and approval. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the  
20 Governor, it shall become effective on the expiration of the period of time  
21 during which the Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the  
22 Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date the  
23 last house overrides the veto.