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2 82nd General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1288

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

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9 "AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
10 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
11 WORKFORCE EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. "

Subtitle

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14 "AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE
15 EDUCATION REAPPROPRIATION. "
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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20 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - TRUST. There is hereby appropriated, to the
21 Department of Workforce Education, to be payable from the Building Trades
22 Revolving Fund, for the Department of Workforce Education, the following:

23 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in
24 Item (A) of Section 3 of Act 462 of 1997, for the purchase of lots and
25 construction of single dwelling units and for other purposes, in a sum not to
26 exceed\$171,896.
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28 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT . There is hereby
29 appropriated, to the Department of Workforce Education, to be payable from the
30 General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the
31 Department of Workforce Education - Technical Institutes/Comprehensive
32 Lifelong Learning Centers/Vocational - Technical Schools, the following:

33 (A) Effective July 1, 1999, the balance of the appropriation provided in
34 Item (A) of Section 10 of Act 476 of 1997, for the purchase of instructional
35 equipment, major maintenance, repairs and renovations at the various post
36 secondary Technical Institutes, Comprehensive Lifelong Learning Centers and

1 Vocational - Technical Schools, in a sum not to exceed\$194,713.

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3 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
4 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
5 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
6 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
7 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
8 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
9 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
10 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
11 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
12 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
13 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
14 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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

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22 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
23 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
24 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
25 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
26 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
27 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
28 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint
29 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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

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35 SECTION 6. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application
36 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 7. GENERAL REPEALER. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with
6 this act are hereby repealed.

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8 SECTION 8. 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.