

1 State of Arkansas
2 82nd General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 1999
4

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1430

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

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR AID TO PUBLIC
10 LIBRARIES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS
11 STATE LIBRARY FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30,
12 2001; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Subtitle

14 "AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
15 - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY APPROPRIATION
16 FOR THE 1999-2001 BIENNIUM."
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department
23 of Education - Arkansas State Library, to be payable from the Department of
24 Education Public School Fund Account, for Aid to Public Libraries for the
25 biennial period ending June 30, 2001, the following:
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ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	1999-2000	2000-2001
(01) AID TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES	\$ <u>4,995,789</u>	\$ <u>4,995,789</u>

31 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by
32 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made
33 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions
34 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures
35 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and
36 Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this

1 State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of
 2 Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied
 3 with in disbursement of said funds.

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 5 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
 6 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
 7 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
 8 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
 9 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
 10 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
 11 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint
 12 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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

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 18 SECTION 5. SEVERABILITY. If any provision of this act or the application
 19 thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall
 20 not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given
 21 effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the
 22 provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

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

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 27 SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the
 28 Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas
 29 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that
 30 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1999 is essential to the operation of
 31 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
 32 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
 33 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the
 34 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
 35 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
 36 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and

safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1999.

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