

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to law as it existed prior to the 82nd General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 82nd General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1999  
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*As Engrossed: S3/1/99*  
**A Bill**

SENATE BILL 581

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

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF  
10 FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR  
11 PROVIDING MATCHING FUNDS TO THE ARKANSAS 4-H CENTER  
12 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF AN AGRICULTURAL MUSEUM,  
13 AUDITORIUM, DORMITORY, OR OTHER EXPANSION OF EXISTING  
14 FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

**Subtitle**

16 "AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
17 AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER  
18 - 4-H CENTER CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT  
19 APPROPRIATION."  
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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25 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - ARKANSAS 4-H CENTER. There is hereby  
26 appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing  
27 Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund  
28 or fund accounts, the following:

29 (A) For matching funds for the Arkansas 4-H Center for construction of an  
30 auditorium, agricultural museum, dormitory, or other facility expansion  
31 projects, the sum of .....\$1,000,000.  
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33 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE  
34 NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. MATCHING  
35 REQUIREMENTS. The sum appropriated in this Act shall be made available to the  
36 Arkansas 4-H Club Foundation to be used for the purposes stated herein.

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1 Monies appropriated in this Act shall be made available on a matching basis of  
2 one dollar of the monies appropriated herein for every two dollars donated to  
3 the Arkansas 4-H Club Foundation by private subscription or other funds  
4 available to the Foundation.

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

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

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

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

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

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

SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1999 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being 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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