

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

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 646

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5 By: Senators Kennedy, B. Walker  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 "AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL  
10 SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS AND ASSOCIATED  
11 COSTS OF THE YOUTH MENTORING PROGRAM OR THE EARLY  
12 INTERVENTION AND MENTORING PROGRAM FOR THE UNIVERSITY  
13 OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD  
14 ENDING JUNE 30, 2001; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

## Subtitle

16 "AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS  
17 AT PINE BLUFF - YOUTH MENTORING OR EARLY  
18 INTERVENTION AND MENTORING PROGRAM  
19 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1999-2001  
20 BIENNIUM."  
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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26 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - YOUTH MENTORING PROGRAM OR EARLY INTERVENTION  
27 AND MENTORING PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
28 Arkansas at Pine Bluff, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Pine  
29 Bluff Fund, for personal services, maintenance and operations and associated  
30 costs, including a grant to the Jefferson County Juvenile Justice Center, for  
31 a Youth Mentoring Program or an Early Intervention and Mentoring Program of  
32 the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff for each fiscal year of the biennial  
33 period ending June 30, 2001, the sum of .....\$149,000.  
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35 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. YOUTH MENTORING PROGRAM OR EARLY  
36 INTERVENTION AND MENTORING PROGRAM ESTABLISHED. A Youth Mentoring Program is

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1 hereby established at the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff (UAPB), to be  
 2 operated in conjunction with the Jefferson County Juvenile Justice Center.  
 3 UAPB students from various disciplines will be placed with one child or small  
 4 groups of children that are referred through the juvenile justice system. The  
 5 mentoring activities will occur over the length of a semester, for which UAPB  
 6 students will receive academic credit. Children to be served would come from  
 7 the Families in Need of Services (FINS) group or younger siblings of juveniles  
 8 who have been in situations already in juvenile court. If the Youth Mentoring  
 9 Program is not utilized, then the Early Intervention and Mentoring Program is  
 10 hereby established at the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff (UAPB), to be  
 11 operated in conjunction with the Pine Bluff Public School System. UAPB  
 12 students from the College of Education will be placed with at-risk children in  
 13 Pine Bluff schools. The mentoring activities will occur over the length of two  
 14 semesters, for which UAPB students will receive academic credit.

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 16 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by  
 17 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made  
 18 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions  
 19 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures  
 20 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and  
 21 Restrictions Act, the Higher Education Expenditures Restrictions Act, or their  
 22 successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and  
 23 regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as  
 24 authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said  
 25 funds.

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

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 36 SECTION 5. CODE. All provisions of this Act of a general and permanent

1 nature are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas  
2 Code Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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

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

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13 SECTION 8. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the  
14 Eighty-second General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas  
15 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that  
16 the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 1999 is essential to the operation of  
17 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
18 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
19 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the  
20 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
21 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
22 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
23 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1999.