

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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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 647

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 FOR THE  
12 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FOR THE BIENNIAL  
13 PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2001; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES. "  
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## Subtitle

15 "AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS  
16 AT LITTLE ROCK - YOUTH MENTORING  
17 PROGRAM APPROPRIATION FOR THE 1999-2001  
18 BIENNIUM. "  
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - YOUTH MENTORING PROGRAM. There is hereby  
25 appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, to be payable from  
26 the University of Arkansas at Little Rock Fund, for personal services,  
27 maintenance and operations and associated costs, including a grant to the  
28 Pulaski County Juvenile Justice Center, for a Youth Mentoring Program of the  
29 University of Arkansas at Little Rock for each fiscal year of the biennial  
30 period ending June 30, 2001, the sum of .....\$149,000.  
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32 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. YOUTH MENTORING PROGRAM ESTABLISHED. A Youth  
33 Mentoring Program is hereby established at the University of Arkansas at  
34 Little Rock (UALR), to be operated in conjunction with the Pulaski County  
35 Juvenile Justice Center. UALR students from various disciplines will be placed  
36 with one child or small groups of children that are referred through the

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1 juvenile justice system. The mentoring activities will occur over the length  
2 of a semester, for which UALR students will receive academic credit. Children  
3 to be served would come from the Families in Need of Services (FINS) group or  
4 younger siblings of juveniles who have been in situations already in juvenile  
5 court.

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7 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by  
8 this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made  
9 available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions  
10 of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures  
11 Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and  
12 Restrictions Act, the Higher Education Expenditures Restrictions Act, or their  
13 successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and  
14 regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as  
15 authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said  
16 funds.

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

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

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

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

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