1	State of Arkansas	As Engrossed: S3/19/99	
2	82nd General Assembly	A Bill	
3	Regular Session, 1999		SENATE BILL 707
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5	By: Joint Budget Committee		
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8		For An Act To Be Entitled	
9	"AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OUACHITA		
10	TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE RENOVATION/ADDITION/		
11	TECHNOLOGY/INFRASTRUCTURE AND EQUIPPING OF A CHILD		
12	DEVELOPMENT TRAINING CENTER, IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE		
13	BENTON SERVI	CES CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.	II
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15		Subtitle	
16	"AN ACT	FOR THE OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEC	GE
17	- CHILD DEVELOPMENT TRAINING CENTER		
18	CAPI TAL	_ IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION.	
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21	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GEN	ERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKAN	ISAS:
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23	SECTION 1. APPROPRIAT	TIONS - CHILD DEVELOPMENT TRAINING C	ENTER. There is
24	hereby appropriated, to the Ouachita Technical College, to be payable from the		
25	General Improvement Fund	or its successor fund or fund acco	ounts, the
26	following:		
27	(A) For the renovatio	n/addi ti on/technol ogy/i nfrastructur	e and equipping of
28	a Child Development Trai	ning Center, in partnership with th	e Benton Services
29	Center, the sum of		\$540, 000.
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31	SECTION 2. DISBURSEME	NT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may b	e awarded nor
32	obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects		
33	described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available		
34	therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and		
35	agencies listed herein s	hall have the authority to accept a	nd use grants and
36	donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or		

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1 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State

- 2 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
- 3 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
- 4 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
- 5 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
- 6 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.
- 7 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing
- 8 Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue
- 9 Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State
- 10 and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration,
- 11 as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any
- 12 funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

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- 14 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
- 15 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
- 16 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
- 17 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
- 18 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
- 19 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
- 20 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint
- 21 Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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

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

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

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SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is hereby found and determined by the

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1 <u>Eighty-second General Assembly</u>, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas

2 prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that

3 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

5 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective

6 date of this Act beyond July 1, 1999 could work irreparable harm upon the

7 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.

8 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being

9 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and

10 <u>safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 1999.</u>

11 /s/ Russ

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