Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

State of Arkansas
84th General Assembly
Regular Session, 2003
As Engrossed: S3/18/03 S4/9/03 S4/10/03
A Bill
SENATE BILL 289

By: Joint Budget Committee

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2005; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2003-2005 BIENNIUM.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for the University of Arkansas at Monticello for the 2003-2005 biennium, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §2l-5101), or its successor.

Maximum Annual


| 1 | (31) | Dir. of Student Prog \& Activities |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | (32) | Dir. Of Academic Advising |
| 3 | (33) | Dir. Of Retention Services |
| 4 | (34) | Director of Disability Services |
| 5 | (35) | Academic Adviser |
| 6 |  | TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL |
| 7 |  | CLASSIFIED POSITIONS |
| 8 | (36) | Assistant Controller |
| 9 | (37) | Career Plng \& Plac Coordinator |
| 10 | (38) | Systems Analyst II - Inst |
| 11 | (39) | Systems Programmer II - Inst |
| 12 | (40) | DP Network Manager II |
| 13 | (41) | Accounting Supervisor II |
| 14 | (42) | Public Safety Administrator-UAM |
| 15 | (43) | UAM Asst. Dir. Of Physical Plant |
| 16 | (44) | UAM Purchasing Agent |
| 17 | (45) | Accounting Supervisor I |
| 18 | (46) | Counselor II |
| 19 | (47) | Computer Support Spec II - Inst |
| 20 | (48) | DP Network Technician II - Inst. |
| 21 | (49) | Institution Personnel Analyst |
| 22 | (50) | Plant Maintenance Coordinator |
| 23 | (51) | UAM Coord Deseg \& Affirm Action |
| 24 | (52) | UAM Director of Alumni |
| 25 | (53) | Buyer |
| 26 | (54) | Student Accounts Officer - UAM |
| 27 | (55) | UAM Director of Housekeeping |
| 28 | (56) | Accountant |
| 29 | (57) | Assistant Registrar |
| 30 | (58) | Counselor I |
| 31 | (59) | DP Network Technician I - Inst. |
| 32 | (60) | Financial Aid Officer II |
| 33 | (61) | HE Public Safety Officer II |
| 34 | (62) | Payroll Services Specialist |
| 35 | (63) | Personnel Assistant II - Inst |
| 36 | (64) | Plant Warehouse Foreman |


| $\$ 53,909$ | $\$ 55,333$ |
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| $\$ 52,682$ | $\$ 54,083$ |
| $\$ 52,682$ | $\$ 54,083$ |
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| $\$ 41,116$ | $\$ 42,226$ |

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| 1 | (65) | Pub \& Student Recruit Spec II | 2 | GRADE 18 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 | (66) | Skilled Trades Supervisor | 1 | GRADE 18 |
| 3 | (67) | Administrative Assistant II | 4 | GRADE 17 |
| 4 | (68) | Inventory Control Manager | 1 | GRADE 17 |
| 5 | (69) | Library Supervisor I | 1 | GRADE 17 |
| 6 | (70) | Publicity \& Information Spec | 1 | GRADE 17 |
| 7 | (71) | Recreation Coordinator | 1 | GRADE 17 |
| 8 | (72) | Skilled Trades Worker | 16 | GRADE 17 |
| 9 | (73) | Special Events Coordinator | 1 | GRADE 17 |
| 10 | (74) | Student Union Night Manager | 1 | GRADE 17 |
| 11 | (75) | Coordinator of Housekeeping | 1 | GRADE 16 |
| 12 | (76) | Computer Technician II - Inst | 2 | GRADE 16 |
| 13 | (77) | HE Public Safety Officer I | 2 | GRADE 16 |
| 14 | (78) | Accounting Technician II | 4 | GRADE 15 |
| 15 | (79) | Administrative Assistant I | 3 | GRADE 15 |
| 16 | (80) | Administrative Office Supervisor | 1 | GRADE 15 |
| 17 | (81) | Central Supply Supervisor | 1 | GRADE 15 |
| 18 | (82) | Administrative Secretary | 10 | GRADE 14 |
| 19 | (83) | Computer Technician I - Inst | 1 | GRADE 14 |
| 20 | (84) | Library Academic Tech III | 4 | GRADE 14 |
| 21 | (85) | Personnel Assistant I-Inst | 1 | GRADE 14 |
| 22 | (86) | Boiler Operator | 4 | GRADE 13 |
| 23 | (87) | Secretary II | 21 | GRADE 13 |
| 24 | (88) | Accounting Technician I | 3 | GRADE 12 |
| 25 | (89) | HE Public Safety Dispatcher | 1 | GRADE 12 |
| 26 | (90) | Registrar's Assistant | 3 | GRADE 12 |
| 27 | (91) | Cashier II | 3 | GRADE 12 |
| 28 | (92) | Agri Lab Technician | 1 | GRADE 11 |
| 29 | (93) | Apprentice Tradesman | 3 | GRADE 11 |
| 30 | (94) | Custodial Svcs Shift Supervisor | 1 | GRADE 11 |
| 31 | (95) | Heavy Equipment Operator | 1 | GRADE 11 |
| 32 | (96) | Purchasing Assistant | 1 | GRADE 11 |
| 33 | (97) | Secretary I | 18 | GRADE 11 |
| 34 | (98) | Shipping \& Receiving Clerk | 1 | GRADE 11 |
| 35 | (99) | Clerical Assistant | 4 | GRADE 10 |
| 36 | (100) | Cook II | 4 | GRADE 10 |


| 1 | (101) | Data Entry Specialist | 2 | GRADE | 10 |
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| 2 | (102) | Reproduction Equipment Operator | 1 | GRADE | 10 |
| 3 | (103) | Academic Lab Assistant | 3 | GRADE | 9 |
| 4 | (104) | Cashier I | 2 | GRADE | 9 |
| 5 | (105) | Switchboard Operator II | 1 | GRADE | 9 |
| 6 | (106) | Baker I | 3 | GRADE | 8 |
| 7 | (107) | Bldg/Equip Maint Repairman II | 1 | GRADE | 8 |
| 8 | (108) | Custodial Supervisor II | 1 | GRADE | 8 |
| 9 | (109) | Equipment Operator | 4 | GRADE | 8 |
| 10 | (110) | Maintenance Worker Supervisor | 1 | GRADE | 7 |
| 11 | (111) | Office Clerk | 1 | GRADE | 7 |
| 12 | (112) | Maintenance Worker II | 10 | GRADE | 5 |
| 13 | (113) | Custodial Worker II | 7 | GRADE | 4 |
| 14 | (114) | Maintenance Worker I | 4 | GRADE | 4 |
| 15 | (115) | Custodial Worker I | 14 | GRADE | 3 |
| 16 | (116) | Watchman | 1 | GRADE | 3 |
| 17 |  | TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL |  |  |  |
| 18 |  | ACADEMIC POSITIONS |  |  |  |
| 19 | (117) | Chair Agri. \& Dir. SEREC | 1 | \$124,466 | \$127,059 |
| 20 | (118) | Dean, Forest Resources/Dir. AFRC | 1 | \$124,466 | \$127,059 |
| 21 | (119) | Department Chairperson | 7 | \$86,401 | \$88,443 |
| 22 | (120) | Research Associate | 5 | \$76,499 | \$78,352 |
| 23 | (121) | Director of Library | 1 | \$73,024 | \$74,811 |
| 24 | (122) | Forest Manager | 1 | \$65,617 | \$67,264 |
| 25 | (123) | Assoc. Librarian | 1 | \$58,940 | \$60,460 |
| 26 | (124) | Asst. Librarian | 4 | \$51,626 | \$53,007 |
| 27 | (125) | Learning Skills Specialist | 3 | \$51,626 | \$53,007 |
| 28 | (126) | Research Assistant | 15 | \$44,945 | \$46, 159 |
| 29 |  | NINE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL |  |  |  |
| 30 |  | ACADEMIC POSITIONS |  |  |  |
| 31 | (127) | Distinguished Professor | 1 | \$87,335 | \$89,394 |
| 32 | (128) | Faculty | 125 |  |  |
| 33 |  | Professor |  | \$80,668 | \$82,601 |
| 34 |  | Assoc. Professor |  | \$71,110 | \$72,861 |
| 35 |  | Asst. Professor |  | \$65,378 | \$67,020 |
| 36 |  | Instructor |  | \$53,911 | \$55,335 |


| 1 | (129) | Clinical Associate Professor | 2 | \$71,110 | \$72,861 |
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| 2 | (130) | Clinical Assistant Professor | 3 | \$65,378 | \$67,020 |
| 3 | (131) | Clinical Instructor | 3 | \$53,911 | \$55,335 |
| 4 | (132) | Lecturer | 12 | \$33,344 | \$34,244 |
| 5 | (133) | Part-Time Faculty | 40 | \$21,354 | \$21,931 |
| 6 | (134) | Graduate Assistant | 45 | \$13,840 | \$14,410 |
| 7 |  | TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES |  |  |  |
| 8 |  | NON-CLASSIFIED POSITIONS |  |  |  |
| 9 | (135) | Director of Athletics | 1 | \$86,242 | \$88,281 |
| 10 | (136) | Head Coach | 3 | \$78,672 | \$80,567 |
| 11 | (137) | Asst. Coach | 3 | \$61,535 | \$63,104 |
| 12 | (138) | Director of Food Service | 1 | \$56,508 | \$57,982 |
| 13 | (139) | Bookstore Manager | 1 | \$56,095 | \$57,561 |
| 14 |  | TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES |  |  |  |
| 15 |  | CLASSIFIED POSITIONS |  |  |  |
| 16 | (140) | UAM Director of Housing | 1 | GRADE | 21 |
| 17 | (141) | Student Health Services Nurse II | 1 | GRADE | 20 |
| 18 | (142) | UAM Director of Student Union | 1 | GRADE | 20 |
| 19 | (143) | Student Health Services Nurse I | 1 | GRADE | 18 |
| 20 | (144) | Asst Bookstore Manager | 1 | GRADE | 16 |
| 21 | (145) | Resident Program Coordinator | 4 | GRADE | 16 |
| 22 | (146) | Resident Hall Manager I | 2 | GRADE | 12 |
| 23 | (147) | Clerical Assistant | 2 | GRADE | 10 |
| 24 | (148) | Office Clerk | 4 | GRADE | 7 |
| 25 | (149) | Custodial Worker II | 5 | GRADE | 4 |
| 26 | (150) | Custodial Worker I | 10 | GRADE | 3 |
| 27 | (151) | Food Service Worker I | 3 | GRADE | 3 |
| 28 |  | GREAT RIVERS TECHNICAL INSTITUTE |  |  |  |
| 29 |  | TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND |  |  |  |
| 30 |  | GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS |  |  |  |
| 31 | (152) | VICE CHANCELLOR - MCGEHEE | 1 | \$94,035 | \$96,201 |
| 32 | (153) | BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT CNTR COORD | 1 | \$58,832 | \$60,350 |
| 33 | (154) | DIRECTOR OF VOCATIONAL COUNSELING | 1 | \$57,622 | \$59,117 |
| 34 | (155) | DIRECTOR OF STUDENT PROG. \& ACTIVITIES | 1 | \$53,909 | \$55,333 |
| 35 |  | GREAT RIVERS TECHNICAL INSTITUTE |  |  |  |
| 36 |  | TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND |  |  |  |

GENERAL CLASSIFIED POSITIONS
(156) PERSONNEL ASST. II - INST. 1
(157) PLANT MAINTENANCE SUPERVISOR
(158) ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN II
(159) ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY
(160) SECRETARY II
(161) CARE GIVER III
(162) BLDG/EQUIP MAINT REPAIRMAN II
(163) CARE GIVER II

GREAT RIVERS TECHNICAL INSTITUTE
TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL ACADEMIC POSITIONS
(164) TECH. CENTER DIR. OF INSTRUCTORS
(165) VOCATIONAL INSTRUCTOR
(166) VOCATIONAL PART-TIME FACULTY

FOREST ECHOES TECHNICAL INSTITUTE
TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS
(167) VICE CHANCELLOR - CROSSETT
(168) PROJECT COORDINATOR
(169) DIRECTOR OF VOCATIONAL COUNSELING
(170) DIR. OF STUDENT PROG. \& ACTIVITIES FOREST ECHOES TECHNICAL INSTITUTE

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS
(171) ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II
(172) ACCOUNTING TECHNICIAN II
(173) ADMINISTRATIVE SECRETARY
(174) SECRETARY II

FOREST ECHOES TECHNICAL INSTITUTE
TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND
GENERAL ACADEMIC POSITIONS
(175) TECHNICAL CENT. DIR. OF INSTRUCTORS
(176) VOCATIONAL INSTRUCTOR
(177) VOCATIONAL PART-TIME FACULTY
\$96,201
$\$ 65,438 \quad \$ 67,081$
$\$ 57,622 \quad \$ 59,117$
\$53,909
\$55,333

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GRADE 15
GRADE 14
GRADE 13
\$78,972
\$81,104
$\$ 59,709 \quad \$ 61,321$
$\$ 28,472 \quad \$ 29,241$

MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES 681

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - MONTICELLO. There is hereby authorized, for the University of Arkansas at Monticello for the 20032005 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: seven hundred ninety (790) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS - MONTICELLO. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello for the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the following:

| $\begin{gathered} \text { ITEM } \\ \text { NO. } \end{gathered}$ |  | FISCAL YEARS |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 2003-2004 |  | 2004-2005 |
| (01) | REGULAR SALARIES \$ | \$ 8,650,000 | \$ | 8,650,000 |
| (02) | PERSONAL SERV MATCHING | 750,000 |  | 750,000 |
| (03) | MAINT. \& GEN. OPERATION |  |  |  |
|  | (A) OPER. EXPENSE | 1,282,083 |  | 1,282,083 |
|  | (B) CONF. \& TRAVEL | 0 |  | 0 |
|  | (C) PROF. FEES | 0 |  | 0 |
|  | (D) CAP. OUTLAY | 50,000 |  | 50,000 |
|  | (E) DATA PROC. | 0 |  | 0 |
| (04) | FUNDED DEPRECIATION | 91,666 |  | 91,666 |
| (05) | TIMBER SEVERANCE TAX PROCEEDS TRANSFER | 350,000 |  | 350,000 |
|  | TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$ | \$ 11,173,749 | \$ | 11,173,749 |
| SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS - CASH FUNDS - MONTICELLO. There is hereby |  |  |  |  |
| appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the University of Arkansas |  |  |  |  |
| at Monticello, for personal services and operating expenses of the University |  |  |  |  |
| of Arkansas at Monticello for the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the |  |  |  |  |

following:

| $\begin{gathered} \text { ITEM } \\ \text { NO. } \end{gathered}$ |  |  | FISCAL YEARS |  |  |
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|  |  | 2003-2004 |  |  | 2004-2005 |
| (01) | REGULAR SALARIES | \$ | 4,500,000 | \$ | 4,500,000 |
| (02) | EXTRA HELP |  | 1,000,000 |  | 1,000,000 |
| (03) | OVERTIME |  | 50,000 |  | 50,000 |
| (04) | PERSONAL SERV MATCHING |  | 1,300,000 |  | 1,300,000 |
| (05) | MAINT. \& GEN. OPERATION |  |  |  |  |
|  | (A) OPER. EXPENSE |  | 5,500,000 |  | 5,500,000 |
|  | (B) CONF. \& TRAVEL |  | 400,000 |  | 400,000 |
|  | (C) PROF. FEES |  | 650,000 |  | 650,000 |
|  | (D) CAP. OUTLAY |  | 2,000,000 |  | 2,000,000 |
|  | (E) DATA PROC. |  | 50,000 |  | 50,000 |
| (06) | CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS |  | 6,500,000 |  | 6,500,000 |
| (07) | DEBT SERVICE |  | 650,000 |  | 650,000 |
| (08) | FUND TRANS / REFUND / INVESTMENTS |  | 6,000,000 |  | 6,000,000 |
| (09) | CONTINGENCY |  | 6,400,000 |  | 6,400,000 |
|  | TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED | \$ | 35,000,000 | \$ | 35,000,000 |

SECTION 5. EXTRA HELP - GREAT RIVERS TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. There is hereby authorized for the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Great Rivers Technical Institute for the 2003-2005 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: seventeen (17) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 6. EXTRA HELP - FOREST ECHOES TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. There is hereby authorized for the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Forest Echoes Technical Institute for the 2003-2005 biennium, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: sixty seven (67) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act or its
successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS - GREAT RIVERS TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Great Rivers Technical Institute, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Great Rivers Technical Institute for the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the following:

| ITEM | FISCAL YEARS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NO. | 2003-2004 |  |  | 2004-2005 |
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES | \$ | 1,127,398 | \$ | 1,127,398 |
| (02) EXTRA HELP |  | 36,608 |  | 36,608 |
| (03) PERSONAL SERV MATCH |  | 325,688 |  | 325,688 |
| (04) MAINT. \& GEN. OPERATION |  |  |  |  |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE |  | 147,192 |  | 147,192 |
| (B) CONF. \& TRAVEL |  | 0 |  | 0 |
| (C) PROF. FEES |  | 0 |  | 0 |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY |  | 0 |  | 0 |
| (E) DATA PROC. |  | 0 |  | 0 |
| (05) CONSTRUCTION |  | 4,478 |  | 4,478 |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED | S | 1,641,364 | S | 1,641,364 |

SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUNDS - GREAT RIVERS TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello Great Rivers Technical Institute, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the University of Arkansas at Monticello, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Great Rivers Technical Institute for the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the following:

| ITEM | FISCAL YEARS |  |  |  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| NO. | $2003-2004$ | $2004-2005$ |  |  |
| (01) REGULAR SALRARIES | $\$$ | 236,705 | $\$$ | 243,096 |
| (02) EXTRA HELP | 10,480 | 11,540 |  |  |


| (03) | PERSONAL SERV MATCH | 90,619 |  |  | 92,100 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| (04) MAINT. \& GEN. OPERATION |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | (A) OPER. EXPENSE |  | 329,602 |  | 346,545 |
|  | (B) CONF. \& TRAVEL |  | 9,860 |  | 10,400 |
|  | (C) PROF. FEES |  | 33,557 |  | 38,557 |
|  | (D) CAP. OUTLAY |  | 40,000 |  | 42,000 |
|  | (E) DATA PROC. |  | 0 |  | 0 |
| (05) | RESALE |  | 95,000 |  | 95,000 |
|  | TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED | \$ | 845,773 | S | 881,238 |

SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS - FOREST ECHOES TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Forest Echoes Technical Institute, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Forest Echoes Technical Institute for the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the following:

| ITEM | FISCAL YEARS |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| NO. | 2003-2004 |  |  | 2004-2005 |
| (01) REGULAR SALRARIES | \$ | 859,557 | \$ | 859,557 |
| (02) EXTRA HELP |  | 53,461 |  | 53,461 |
| (03) PERSONAL SERV MATCH |  | 236,250 |  | 236,250 |
| (04) MAINT. \& GEN. OPERATION |  |  |  |  |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE |  | 90,422 |  | 90,422 |
| (B) CONF. \& TRAVEL |  | 2,400 |  | 2,400 |
| (C) PROF. FEES |  | 0 |  | 0 |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY |  | 149,733 |  | 149,733 |
| (E) DATA PROC. |  | 0 |  | 0 |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED | S | 1,391,823 | S | 1,391,823 |

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUNDS - FOREST ECHOES TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Forest Echoes Technical Institute, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the University of Arkansas at Monticello, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of

| Arkansas at Monticello - Forest Echoes Technical Institute for the biennial |
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| period ending June 30, 2005, the following: |
| ITEM |
| NO. |
| (01) REGULAR SALRARIES |
| (02) EXTRA HELP |
| (03) PERSONAL SERV MATCH |
| (04) MAINT. \& GEN. OPERATION |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE |
| (B) CONF. \& TRAVEL |
| (C) PROF. FEES |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY |
| (E) DATA PROC. |
| (05) RESALE |
| (06) DEBT SERVICE |
| (O7) SPECIAL MAINTENANCE |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED |

SECTION 11. APPROPRIATIONS - UAM MERGER. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund, the following:
(A) For personal services for salary equity and other costs resulting from the merger with the Great Rivers Technical Institute and the Forest Echoes Technical Institute, for each fiscal year of the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the sum of .......... $\$ 600,000$.

SECTION 12. APPROPRIATION - CONTINGENCY. There is hereby appropriated, to the University Of Arkansas At Monticello, to be payable from the University Of Arkansas At Monticello Fund, for personal services and operating expenses which may be transferred and added to any appropriation line item payable from the University Of Arkansas At Monticello Fund by the University Of Arkansas At Monticello for the biennial period ending June 30, 2005, the following:

ITEM
FISCAL YEARS

NO. 2003-2004 2004-2005
(01) CONTINGENCY
$\$ 3$ 3,095,283 3,095,283

SECTION 13. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. CONTINGENCY -GREAT RIVERS TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. (a) To address needs emerging from the restructuring of the Technical Institutes, Great Rivers Technical Institute shall establish and maintain for the 2001-2003 2003-2005 biennium a pool of two (2) four (4) unclassified positions and one (1) three (3) classified positions, payable from funds appropriated for Great Rivers Technical Institute. These positions are to be used by Great Rivers Technical Institute in the event that the number and level of positions available to address the needs emerging from business and industry driven program expansions exceeds the number of positions regularly authorized for Great Rivers Technical Institute.
(b) Great Rivers Technical Institute shall provide justification to the Department of Finance and Administration's Office of Personnel Management (OPM) for the need to allocate titles from this position pool. No classifications will be assigned to the pool until such time as specific positions are requested and justified by Great Rivers Technical Institute, recommended by OPM and approved by the Legislative Council. Great Rivers Technical Institute may transfer positions from this pool to any pay schedule the agency currently maintains or any pay schedule the agency receives during the 2001-2003 2003-2005 biennium.
(c) Determining the number of personnel to be employed by a state agency is the prerogative of the General Assembly and is usually accomplished by delineating the maximum number of personnel by identifying job titles and the maximum grade or salary attached to those titles. The General Assembly has determined that Great Rivers Technical Institute could be operated more efficiently if some flexibility is given to that agency. That flexibility is being accomplished by providing growth pools in subsection (a) of this section and since the General Assembly has granted the agency broad powers under the growth pool concept, it is both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight of the utilization of the growth pool by requiring prior approval of the Legislative Council in the utilization of the
growth pool. Therefore, the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council is not a severable part of this section. If the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council is ruled unconstitutional by a court jurisdiction, this entire section is void.
If the agency requests continuation of a "Growth Pool" position(s) as estabilished herein during the next biennium, the position(s) must be requested as a new position(s) in the agencies biennial budget request.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003 through July 30, 2005.

SECTION 14. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. CONTINGENCY -FOREST ECHOES TECHNICAL INSTITUTE. (a) To address needs emerging from the restructuring of the Technical Institutes, Forest Echoes Technical Institute shall establish and maintain for the 2001-2003 2003-2005 biennium a pool of four (4) unclassified positions and three (3) classified positions, payable from funds appropriated for the Forest Echoes Technical Institute. These positions are to be used by Forest Echoes Technical Institute in the event that the number and level of positions available to address the needs emerging from business and industry driven program expansions exceeds the number of positions regularly authorized for Forest Echoes Technical Institute.
(b) Forest Echoes Technical Institute shall provide justification to the Department of Finance and Administration's Office of Personnel Management (OPM) for the need to allocate titles from this position pool. No classifications will be assigned to the pool until such time as specific positions are requested and justified by Forest Echoes Technical Institute, recommended by $O P M$ and approved by the Legislative Council. Forest Echoes Technical Institute may transfer positions from this pool to any pay schedule the agency currently maintains or any pay schedule the agency receives during the 2001-2003 2003-2005 biennium.
(c) Determining the number of personnel to be employed by a state agency is the prerogative of the General Assembly and is usually accomplished by delineating the maximum number of personnel by identifying job titles and the maximum grade or salary attached to those titles. The General Assembly has determined that Forest Echoes Technical Institute could be operated more
efficiently if some flexibility is given to that agency. That flexibility is being accomplished by providing growth pools in subsection (a) of this section and since the General Assembly has granted the agency broad powers under the growth pool concept, it is both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight of the utilization of the growth pool by requiring prior approval of the Legislative Council in the utilization of the growth pool. Therefore, the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council is not a severable part of this section. If the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council is ruled unconstitutional by a court jurisdiction, this entire section is void.
If the agency requests continuation of a "Growth Pool" position(s) as estabilished herein during the next biennium, the position(s) must be requested as a new position(s) in the agencies biennial budget request.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003 through July 30, 2005.

SECTION 15. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. (ii) The next three hundred fifty thousand dollars $(\$ 350,000)$ or so much thereof as may be collected in severance taxes, penalties, and costs on timber and timber products, over and above the amount distributed to the State Forestry Fund during each fiscal year as provided in subdivision (b)(2)(A)(i) of this section, shall be distributed and credited to the University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund. The University of Arkansas at Monticello may transfer from General Revenue to cash funds any timber severance tax funds as provided in Arkansas Code 26-58-124 subdivision (b)(2)(A)(ii), to be set aside therein to be used solely and exclusively for providing additional support for the School of Forestry of the University of Arkansas at Monticello, as per the intent of Arkansas Code 26-58-124 subdivision (b)(2)(A)(ii); and

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1,2001 July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2003 June 30, 2005.

SECTION 16. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUND BALANCES. The Board of Trustees in its official governing capacity charged with the management or control of the institution of higher learning and the

President or Chancellor as the Chief Executive shall certify to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and the Legislative Council that as of December 31 of each year that sufficient appropriations and funds are available, or will become available, to meet all current and anticipated obligations during the fiscal year for the payment of the obligations when they become due. This certification, signed by the Chair of the Board of Trustees and the President or Chancellor will be forwarded by February 28 of each year or upon release of the previous year's audit by Legislative Audit to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and the Legislative Council accompanied by the Board approved published annual financial statement for the preceding fiscal year.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2003 through June 30, 2005.

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

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

SECTION 19. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the 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 l, 2003 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 l, 2003 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, 2003.
/s/ Joint Budget Committee

