

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.

1 State of Arkansas
2 85th General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1420

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

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9 AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
10 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE BOARD OF
11 FINANCE FOR RURAL MEDICAL CLINICS; AND FOR OTHER
12 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE -
17 FOR RURAL MEDICAL CLINICS
18 REAPPROPRIATION.
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - RURAL MEDICAL CLINICS. There is hereby
24 appropriated, to the State Board of Finance, to be payable from the Rural
25 Medical Clinic Revolving Loan Fund, for the State Board of Finance, the
26 following:

27 (A) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in
28 Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 73 of 2003, for grants or loans to communities
29 to establish a medical clinic and for loans to physicians for establishment
30 of medical clinics in rural communities, in a sum not to exceed\$205,000.

31 (B) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in
32 Item (B) of Section 1 of Act 73 of 2003, for grants and loans due to critical
33 needs as determined by the Director of Arkansas Department of Health, to
34 physicians or communities to establish medical clinics, in a sum not to
35 exceed\$20,000.

36 (C) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in



1 Item (C) of Section 1 of Act 73 of 2003, for grants or loans to communities,
2 to establish a medical clinic and for loans to physicians for establishment
3 of medical clinics in rural communities, in a sum not to exceed\$205,000.

4 (D) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in
5 Item (D) of Section 1 of Act 73 of 2003, for grants or loans due to critical
6 needs as determined by the Director of the Arkansas Department of Health, to
7 physicians or communities to establish medical clinics, in a sum not to
8 exceed\$20,000.

9 (E) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in
10 Item (E) of Section 1 of Act 73 of 2003, for grants or loans to communities
11 not to exceed \$10,000 for any community to establish a medical clinic and for
12 loans to physicians for establishment of medical clinics which are to be
13 repaid in no more than 15 years, in a sum not to exceed\$170,000.

14 (F) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in
15 Item (F) of Section 1 of Act 73 of 2003, for grants or loans due to critical
16 needs as determined by the Director of the Arkansas Department of Health to
17 physicians or communities to establish a medical clinic, in a sum not to
18 exceed\$20,000.

19 (G) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in
20 Item (G) of Section 1 of Act 73 of 2003, for loans and or grants to
21 communities and or physicians for the establishment of medical clinics in
22 rural communities, in a sum not to exceed\$205,000.

23 (H) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in
24 Item (H) of Section 1 of Act 73 of 2003, for critical needs as determined by
25 the Director of the Arkansas Department of Health, in a sum not to exceed
26\$20,000.

27 (I) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in
28 Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 167 of 2003, for loans and or grants to
29 communities and or physicians for the establishment of medical clinics in
30 rural communities, the sum of\$205,000.

31 (J) Effective July 1, 2005, the balance of the appropriation provided in
32 Item (B) of Section 1 of Act 167 of 2003, critical needs as determined by the
33 Director of the Arkansas Department of Health, the sum of\$20,000.

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35 SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
36 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects

1 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
 2 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
 3 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
 4 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
 5 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
 6 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
 7 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
 8 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
 9 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
 10 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

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

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 18 SECTION 3. 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
 25 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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 27 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
 28 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
 29 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that previous
 30 General Assemblies have provided appropriations for the projects provided or
 31 enumerated in this act; that certain appropriations will expire before the
 32 adjournment of the General Assembly; and that if such appropriations expire,
 33 the projects and programs authorized herein will cease thereby depriving the
 34 citizens of the State of the benefits to be derived from such projects.
 35 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
 36 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and

1 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its
2 passage and approval. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the
3 Governor, it shall become effective on the expiration of the period of time
4 during which the Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the
5 Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date
6 the last house overrides the veto.

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