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3 Regular Session, 2005
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1556

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

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL
10 SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR ARKANSAS TECH
11 UNIVERSITY FOR THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE
12 30, 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY
16 APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2005-2007
17 BIENNIUM.
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for
24 Arkansas Tech University for the 2005-2007 biennium, the following maximum
25 number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the
26 provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code
27 §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto.
28 Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual
29 salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of
30 said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying
31 positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the
32 Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101),
33 or its successor.
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35 Maximum Annual
36 Maximum Salary Rate



1	Item	No. of	Fiscal Years	
2	No. Title	Employees	2005-2006	2006-2007
3	<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
4	<u>ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS</u>			
5	(1) President, Arkansas Tech University	1	\$143,572	\$146,636
6	(2) Vice-Pres. for Academic Affairs	1	\$114,214	\$116,837
7	(3) Vice-Pres. for Admin & Finance	1	\$110,222	\$112,785
8	(4) Executive Assistant to the President	1	\$106,885	\$109,398
9	(5) Vice President for Development	1	\$106,885	\$109,398
10	(6) Vice-Pres. for Student Affairs	1	\$106,885	\$109,398
11	(7) Vice-Pres for Government Relations	1	\$106,885	\$109,398
12	(8) Assoc Vice-Pres of Academic Affairs	1	\$99,536	\$101,939
13	(9) Dean of School	7	\$98,554	\$100,942
14	(10) Assoc Vice-Pres of Fiscal Affairs	1	\$93,983	\$96,303
15	(11) Dir. of Student Development Center	1	\$87,651	\$89,866
16	(12) Registrar	1	\$86,369	\$88,560
17	(13) Dir of Physical Plant/Plant Engineer	1	\$85,830	\$88,011
18	(14) Dir. of Cont. Ed. & Comm. Svcs.	1	\$85,830	\$88,011
19	(15) General Counsel	1	\$82,110	\$84,220
20	(16) Associate Vice-President	2	\$80,341	\$82,417
21	(17) Dir. of Ark Intl Lang Program	1	\$76,143	\$78,140
22	(18) Director of Institutional Research	1	\$74,975	\$76,950
23	(19) Dir. of Computer Services	1	\$74,078	\$76,035
24	(20) Director of Virtual Learning Center	1	\$74,078	\$76,035
25	(21) Controller	1	\$72,402	\$74,328
26	(22) Director of Admissions	1	\$71,356	\$73,262
27	(23) Director of International Programs	1	\$71,356	\$73,262
28	(24) Director of Public Affairs	1	\$71,356	\$73,262
29	(25) Director of Student Aid	1	\$71,356	\$73,262
30	(26) Dir. of Alumni Svcs. & Annual Giving	1	\$71,356	\$73,262
31	(27) Director of Media Services	1	\$70,557	\$72,448
32	(28) Business Manager	1	\$70,390	\$72,277
33	(29) Associate Dean of Schools	2	\$68,906	\$70,765
34	(30) Director of Enrollment Management	1	\$68,357	\$70,206
35	(31) Dean of Students	1	\$67,740	\$69,577
36	(32) Director of Budget	1	\$67,111	\$68,936

1	(33)	Coord. Affirm. Action/Disability Svcs.	1	\$65,757	\$67,556
2	(34)	Director of Administrative Services	1	\$65,688	\$67,486
3	(35)	Endowment Financial Analyst	1	\$64,950	\$66,734
4	(36)	Assoc. Dean of Employmt & Career Svcs.	1	\$64,056	\$65,823
5	(37)	Associate Dean of Students	4	\$64,056	\$65,823
6	(38)	Associate Registrar	1	\$64,056	\$65,823
7	(39)	Director of Public Safety	1	\$63,660	\$65,420
8	(40)	Dir. of Publicity & Creative Svcs.	1	\$63,885	\$65,649
9	(41)	Dir of Corp. and Foundation Giving	1	\$61,482	\$63,200
10	(42)	Dir. of Donor Relations & Dev. Svcs.	1	\$61,424	\$63,141
11	(43)	Asst Dir of Computer Services	2	\$60,259	\$61,954
12	(44)	Dir of Academic Technology & Comp	1	\$60,259	\$61,954
13	(45)	Director of Placement/Career Service	1	\$60,259	\$61,954
14	(46)	Dir of Recruitment & Orientation	1	\$60,259	\$61,954
15	(47)	ATU Dir of Public Safety	1	\$60,202	\$61,896
16	(48)	Student Development Specialist	4	\$60,183	\$61,876
17	(49)	Coordinator of Grants Management	1	\$59,676	\$61,360
18	(50)	Special Projects Coordinator	3	\$59,916	\$61,604
19	(51)	Director of Academic Services	1	\$59,634	\$61,317
20	(52)	Assistant Dean of Students	1	\$58,469	\$60,130
21	(53)	Major Gift Development Officer	8	\$57,957	\$59,608
22	(54)	Dir. of Learning Resource Center	2	\$56,936	\$58,568
23	(55)	Institutional Assistant	4	\$50,711	\$52,225
24	(56)	Academic Advisor	4	\$43,493	\$44,798
25	<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>				
26	<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>				
27	(57)	Asst Dir of Comp Svcs. III - Inst	1		GRADE 25
28	(58)	Asst Dir of Comp Svcs. II - Inst	1		GRADE 24
29	(59)	DP Network Manager III - Inst	1		GRADE 24
30	(60)	Systems Analyst III - Inst	1		GRADE 24
31	(61)	Assistant Controller	1		GRADE 23
32	(62)	Database Coordinator II - Inst	1		GRADE 23
33	(63)	DP Operations Supv. III - Inst	1		GRADE 22
34	(64)	Systems Analyst II - Inst	2		GRADE 22
35	(65)	Procurement Manager	1		GRADE 22
36	(66)	Career Planning & Placement Coord.	1		GRADE 22

1	(67)	Accounting Supervisor II	1	GRADE 21
2	(68)	ATU Asst Dir of Physical Plant	2	GRADE 21
3	(69)	ATU Grants Manager	1	GRADE 21
4	(70)	ATU Financial Analyst	1	GRADE 21
5	(71)	Data Base Coordinator I-Inst	1	GRADE 21
6	(72)	Development Specialist	1	GRADE 21
7	(73)	HE Public Safety Commander I	1	GRADE 21
8	(74)	Assistant Dir of Financial Aid	1	GRADE 20
9	(75)	Accounting Supervisor I	1	GRADE 20
10	(76)	Computer Support Spec II - Inst	2	GRADE 20
11	(77)	Counselor II	6	GRADE 20
12	(78)	Institution Personnel Analyst	1	GRADE 20
13	(79)	DP Network Manager I - Inst	1	GRADE 20
14	(80)	DP Network Tech II - Inst	1	GRADE 20
15	(81)	HE Public Safety Supervisor	1	GRADE 20
16	(82)	Management Project Analyst II	3	GRADE 20
17	(83)	Program Coordinator	3	GRADE 20
18	(84)	Systems Analyst I - Inst	1	GRADE 20
19	(85)	ATU Payroll Services Manager	1	GRADE 20
20	(86)	Systems Programmer I - Inst	1	GRADE 20
21	(87)	Appl Programmer II - Inst	1	GRADE 19
22	(88)	ATU Dir of Grounds Maintenance	1	GRADE 19
23	(89)	ATU Director of Housekeeping	1	GRADE 19
24	(90)	Budget Specialist	1	GRADE 19
25	(91)	Student Accounts Officer-ATU	1	GRADE 19
26	(92)	Career Plan & Placement Advisor	1	GRADE 19
27	(93)	Coordinator of Information Svcs.	1	GRADE 19
28	(94)	Buyer	2	GRADE 19
29	(95)	Research Project Analyst	3	GRADE 19
30	(96)	Skilled Trades Foreman	2	GRADE 19
31	(97)	Accountant	5	GRADE 18
32	(98)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE 18
33	(99)	ATU Coliseum Manager	1	GRADE 18
34	(100)	Computer Support Spec I - Inst	1	GRADE 18
35	(101)	DP Network Technician I - Inst	1	GRADE 18
36	(102)	Financial Aid Officer II	6	GRADE 18

1	(103)	HE Public Safety Officer II	7	GRADE 18
2	(104)	Management Project Analyst I	1	GRADE 18
3	(105)	Counselor I	1	GRADE 18
4	(106)	Personnel Assistant II - Inst	2	GRADE 18
5	(107)	Public & Student Recruit Spec II	3	GRADE 18
6	(108)	Administrative Assistant II	5	GRADE 17
7	(109)	Farm Foreman - Inst	1	GRADE 17
8	(110)	Landscape Supervisor II	1	GRADE 17
9	(111)	Library Supervisor I	1	GRADE 17
10	(112)	Museum Exhibits Specialist	2	GRADE 17
11	(113)	Skilled Trades Worker	17	GRADE 17
12	(114)	Student Union Night Manager	1	GRADE 17
13	(115)	Telecommunications Coordinator	1	GRADE 17
14	(116)	Telephone Technician	1	GRADE 17
15	(117)	TV Engineer	1	GRADE 17
16	(118)	Collections Officer	1	GRADE 16
17	(119)	Computer Technician II - Inst	3	GRADE 16
18	(120)	Coordinator of Housekeeping	1	GRADE 16
19	(121)	HE Public Safety Officer I	2	GRADE 16
20	(122)	Publicity & Student Recruit Spec I	1	GRADE 16
21	(123)	Staff Development Specialist I	1	GRADE 16
22	(124)	Accounting Technician II	8	GRADE 15
23	(125)	Administrative Assistant I	2	GRADE 15
24	(126)	Assistant Purchasing Agent	1	GRADE 15
25	(127)	Equipment Mechanic	1	GRADE 15
26	(128)	Farm Maintenance Mechanic	1	GRADE 15
27	(129)	Landscape Supervisor I	1	GRADE 15
28	(130)	Administrative Secretary	7	GRADE 14
29	(131)	Collector	1	GRADE 14
30	(132)	Computer Technician I - Inst	2	GRADE 14
31	(133)	Library Academic Tech III	5	GRADE 14
32	(134)	Boiler Operator	1	GRADE 13
33	(135)	Head Cashier	1	GRADE 13
34	(136)	Personnel Officer	1	GRADE 13
35	(137)	Secretary II	12	GRADE 13
36	(138)	Accounting Technician I	4	GRADE 12

1	(139)	Cashier II	2	GRADE 12		
2	(140)	Document Examiner II	1	GRADE 12		
3	(141)	Library Academic Tech II	4	GRADE 12		
4	(142)	Registrar's Assistant	8	GRADE 12		
5	(143)	Apprentice Tradesman	5	GRADE 11		
6	(144)	Custodial Services Shift Supv.	2	GRADE 11		
7	(145)	Heavy Equipment Operator	1	GRADE 11		
8	(146)	Purchasing Assistant	1	GRADE 11		
9	(147)	Secretary I	37	GRADE 11		
10	(148)	Special Events Worker	1	GRADE 11		
11	(149)	Clerical Assistant	1	GRADE 10		
12	(150)	Data Entry Specialist	1	GRADE 10		
13	(151)	Equipment Operator	5	GRADE 08		
14	(152)	Bldg/Equip Maint. Repairman II	1	GRADE 08		
15	(153)	Farm Worker	2	GRADE 08		
16	(154)	Office Clerk	1	GRADE 07		
17	(155)	Bldg/Equip Maint. Repairman I	1	GRADE 06		
18	(156)	Maintenance Worker II	6	GRADE 05		
19	(157)	Custodial Worker II	17	GRADE 04		
20	(158)	Maintenance Worker I	2	GRADE 04		
21	(159)	Custodial Worker I	25	GRADE 03		
22	<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>					
23	<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>					
24	(160)	Dir of Mining, Energy & Natural Resources	1	\$94,855	\$97,188	
25	(161)	Department Chairperson	25	\$90,673	\$92,943	
26	(162)	Research Scientist & Assoc Director	1	\$87,811	\$90,029	
27	(163)	Research Scientist	4	\$79,239	\$81,295	
28	(164)	Part-Time Research Scientist	2	\$79,239	\$81,295	
29	(165)	Director of Library	1	\$76,782	\$78,791	
30	(166)	Librarian	1	\$74,975	\$76,950	
31	(167)	Director of Math and Science Institute	1	\$65,000	\$66,785	
32	(168)	Associate Librarian	4	\$62,159	\$63,890	
33	(169)	Dir. of ATU Museum of Pre-History	1	\$62,159	\$63,890	
34	(170)	Assistant Librarian	3	\$54,564	\$56,151	
35	(171)	Research Assistant	6	\$42,000	\$43,260	
36	<u>NINE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>					

1	<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>			
2	(172)	Faculty	235	
3		Professor		\$84,720 \$86,880
4		Assoc. Professor		\$74,795 \$76,766
5		Asst. Professor		\$68,843 \$70,701
6		Instructor		\$56,936 \$58,568
7	(173)	Part-Time Faculty	160	\$22,589 \$23,267
8	(174)	Graduate Assistant	75	\$15,010 \$15,610
9	<u>TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES</u>			
10	<u>NONCLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>			
11	(175)	Athletic Director	1	\$90,508 \$92,776
12	(176)	Head Coach	10	\$82,648 \$84,768
13	(177)	Asst. Athletic Director	1	\$69,092 \$70,955
14	(178)	Asst. Coach	10	\$64,853 \$66,635
15	(179)	Bookstore Manager	1	\$59,205 \$60,880
16	<u>TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES</u>			
17	<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>			
18	(180)	ATU Director of Housing	1	GRADE 21
19	(181)	Accounting Supervisor II	1	GRADE 21
20	(182)	Student Health Services Nurse II	1	GRADE 20
21	(183)	Special Events Manager	1	GRADE 19
22	(184)	Coord. of Sports Information	1	GRADE 19
23	(185)	Skilled Trades Supervisor	1	GRADE 18
24	(186)	Recreation Coordinator	1	GRADE 17
25	(187)	Skilled Trades Worker	2	GRADE 17
26	(188)	Assistant Bookstore Manager	1	GRADE 16
27	(189)	Resident Program Coordinator	4	GRADE 16
28	(190)	Accounting Technician II	2	GRADE 15
29	(191)	Campus Postmaster	1	GRADE 15
30	(192)	Central Supply Supervisor	1	GRADE 15
31	(193)	Bookstore Office Manager	1	GRADE 14
32	(194)	Resident Hall Manager II	3	GRADE 14
33	(195)	Head Cashier	1	GRADE 13
34	(196)	Cashier II	1	GRADE 12
35	(197)	Resident Hall Manager I	2	GRADE 12
36	(198)	Apprentice Tradesman	1	GRADE 11

1	(199)	Secretary I	1		GRADE 11
2	(200)	Shipping and Receiving Clerk	1		GRADE 11
3	(201)	Clerical Assistant	1		GRADE 10
4	(202)	Stadium Maintenance Supervisor	1		GRADE 10
5	(203)	Cashier I	1		GRADE 09
6	(204)	Custodial Supervisor II	1		GRADE 08
7	(205)	Equipment Operator	1		GRADE 08
8	(206)	Office Clerk	1		GRADE 07
9	(207)	Maintenance Worker II	1		GRADE 05
10	(208)	Custodial Worker II	1		GRADE 04
11	(209)	Maintenance Worker I	1		GRADE 04
12	(210)	Custodial Worker I	10		GRADE 03
13		<u>CONTINGENCY POSITIONS - FOOD SERVICE</u>			
14		<u>NONCLASSIFIED POSTIONS</u>			
15	(211)	Director of Food Service	1	\$59,634	\$61,317
16		<u>CONTINGENCY POSITIONS - FOOD SERVICE</u>			
17		<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>			
18	(212)	Food Production Supervisor	3		GRADE 16
19	(213)	Butcher II	2		GRADE 11
20	(214)	Cook II	8		GRADE 10
21	(215)	Cook I	4		GRADE 08
22	(216)	Food Service Worker II	9		GRADE 05
23	(217)	Food Service Worker I	13		GRADE 03
24		<u>ARKANSAS VALLEY TECHNICAL INSTITUTE</u>			
25		<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
26		<u>ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS</u>			
27	(218)	Chancellor AVTI	1	\$118,124	\$120,806
28	(219)	Chief Academic Officer	1	\$94,633	\$96,962
29	(220)	Chief Fiscal Officer	1	\$88,690	\$90,925
30	(221)	Chief Student Life Officer	1	\$88,690	\$90,925
31	(222)	Counselor	1	\$72,086	\$74,006
32	(223)	Director of Computer Services	1	\$67,743	\$69,580
33	(224)	Director of Financial Aid	1	\$67,111	\$68,936
34	(225)	Coord. of Continuing Ed/Business Outreach	1	\$67,111	\$68,936
35	(226)	Associate Registrar	1	\$64,005	\$65,771
36	(227)	Assessment Coordinator	1	\$48,941	\$50,409

1	(228)	Director of Admin. Support Services	1	\$45,910	\$47,287
2	(229)	Industry Training Specialist	5	\$19,109	\$19,709
3		<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
4		<u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>			
5	(230)	Coord. of Information Services	1		GRADE 19
6	(231)	Plant Maintenance Supervisor	1		GRADE 18
7	(232)	Assistant Registrar	1		GRADE 18
8	(233)	Administrative Assistant II	2		GRADE 17
9	(234)	Accounting Technician II	1		GRADE 15
10	(235)	Administrative Secretary	1		GRADE 14
11	(236)	Computer Technician I-Inst	1		GRADE 14
12	(237)	Personnel Assistant I-Inst	1		GRADE 14
13	(238)	Secretary II	5		GRADE 13
14	(239)	Secretary I	2		GRADE 11
15	(240)	Bldg/Equip Maint. Repairman II	4		GRADE 08
16		<u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
17		<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>			
18	(241)	Librarian	1	\$75,063	\$77,039
19	(242)	Teaching Assistant	3	\$42,540	\$43,816
20		<u>NINE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>			
21		<u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>			
22	(243)	Workforce Ed Faculty	38	\$55,379	\$56,981
23	(244)	Workforce Ed Part-Time Faculty	<u>25</u>	\$19,109	\$19,709
24		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1,118		

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26 SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS. There is hereby authorized, for
 27 Arkansas Tech University for the 2005-2007 biennium, the following maximum
 28 number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help",
 29 payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: nine hundred fifty
 30 eight (958) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay
 31 not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation
 32 Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

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34 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated,
 35 to Arkansas Tech University, to be payable from the Arkansas Tech University
 36 Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of Arkansas Tech

1 University for the biennial period ending June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM		FISCAL YEARS	
NO.		2005-2006	2006-2007
5	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 19,835,938	\$ 20,196,019
6	(02) EXTRA HELP	770,567	770,567
7	(03) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	2,572,026	2,676,902
8	(04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
9	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	1,603,998	1,603,998
10	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	29,625	29,625
11	(C) PROF. FEES	0	0
12	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0	0
13	(E) DATA PROC.	0	0
14	(05) FUNDED DEPRECIATION	348,881	348,881
15	(06) MARKETING AND REDISTRIBUTION	<u>1,700</u>	<u>1,700</u>
16	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 25,162,735</u>	<u>\$ 25,627,692</u>

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18 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATIONS - CASH FUNDS. There is hereby appropriated, to
19 Arkansas Tech University, to be payable from cash funds as defined by
20 Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of Arkansas Tech University, for personal services and
21 operating expenses of Arkansas Tech University for the biennial period ending
22 June 30, 2007, the following:

ITEM		FISCAL YEARS	
NO.		2005-2006	2006-2007
26	(01) REGULAR SALARIES	\$ 13,650,000	\$ 13,700,000
27	(02) EXTRA HELP	1,154,623	1,170,086
28	(03) OVERTIME	85,775	89,775
29	(04) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	6,129,516	6,197,467
30	(05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
31	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	16,461,680	16,620,349
32	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	627,500	627,500
33	(C) PROF. FEES	642,000	644,000
34	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	6,520,000	6,625,000
35	(E) DATA PROC.	170,000	170,000
36	(06) DEBT SERVICE	2,192,785	2,223,563

1	(07) CONTINGENCY	16,700,000	16,700,000
2	(08) PROMOTIONAL ITEMS	25,000	25,000
3	(09) CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	26,000,000	26,000,000
4	(10) FUND TRANS/REFUND/INVESTMENTS	<u>11,150,000</u>	<u>11,150,000</u>
5	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 101,508,879</u>	<u>\$ 101,942,740</u>

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 7 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - CONTINGENCY. There is hereby appropriated, to
 8 the Arkansas Tech University, to be payable from the Arkansas Tech University
 9 Fund, for personal services and operating expenses which may be transferred
 10 and added to any appropriation line item payable from the Arkansas Tech
 11 University Fund by the Arkansas Tech University for the biennial period
 12 ending June 30, 2007, the following:

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14	ITEM	FISCAL YEARS	
15	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2005-2006</u>	<u>2006-2007</u>
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17	(01) CONTINGENCY	<u>\$ 6,721,863</u>	<u>\$ 8,123,298</u>

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 19 SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 20 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FOOD
 21 SERVICE. If Arkansas Tech University cancels the current contract for food
 22 service and chooses to operate the food service with University employees,
 23 the President, upon authorization of the Board of Trustees, is allowed to
 24 utilize the contingent positions contained in Section 1 of this Act, provided
 25 he or she has obtained approval from the Department of Higher Education and
 26 the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, who has sought prior review by the
 27 Arkansas Legislative Council.

28 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2003~~
 29 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

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 31 SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 32 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SPECIAL
 33 ALLOWANCES. The Board of Trustees of Arkansas Tech University may make
 34 special allowances available to any coach who coaches more than one sport in
 35 an amount not to exceed \$10,000 per year for any one coach during each year
 36 of the 2005-2007 biennium. Further, if the special allowance funds

1 authorized herein are utilized, Arkansas Tech University shall report
2 annually to the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee the exact disposition of
3 those special allowance funds. The provisions of this section shall be in
4 effect from July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2007.

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6 SECTION 8. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
7 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. ARKANSAS
8 TECH INSTITUTE. The Arkansas Tech Institute (ATI) shall be administered
9 under the direction of Arkansas Tech University. Utilizing a
10 multidisciplinary collaboration of professionals, ATI shall explore, develop,
11 implement, and evaluate new and better ways to integrate the teaching, study
12 and performance of business, engineering, and computer sciences for academic,
13 economic, and economic development purposes in Arkansas. ATI priorities
14 shall include, but are not limited to, economic development, technology
15 development, and "cyber-park" development. Arkansas Tech University shall
16 make annual reports to the Arkansas Legislative Council on all matters of
17 funding, existing programs, and services offered through ATI. The provisions
18 of this section shall be in effect from July 1, 2005 through June 30, 2007.

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20 SECTION 9. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
21 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUND
22 BALANCES. The Board of Trustees in its official governing capacity charged
23 with the management or control of the institution of higher learning and the
24 President or Chancellor as the Chief Executive shall certify to the Chief
25 Fiscal Officer of the State and the Legislative Council that as of December
26 31 of each year that sufficient appropriations and funds are available, or
27 will become available, to meet all current and anticipated obligations during
28 the fiscal year for the payment of the obligations when they become due.
29 This certification, signed by the Chair of the Board of Trustees and the
30 President or Chancellor will be forwarded by February 28 of each year or upon
31 release of the previous year's audit by Legislative Audit to the Chief Fiscal
32 Officer of the State and the Legislative Council accompanied by the Board
33 approved published annual financial statement for the preceding fiscal year.
34 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2003~~
35 2005 through June 30, ~~2005~~ 2007.

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

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12 SECTION 11. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
13 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
14 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
15 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
16 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
17 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
18 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
19 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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21 SECTION 12. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
22 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
23 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
24 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2005 is essential to the operation of
25 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
26 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
27 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2005 could work irreparable harm upon the
28 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
29 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
30 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
31 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2005.

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33 /s/ Joint Budget Committee
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