

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 86th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2007

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1515

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## For An Act To Be Entitled

11 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ESTABLISHING  
12 THE SWEET POTATO FOUNDATION SEED PROGRAM FOR THE  
13 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF -  
14 AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PROGRAM FOR  
15 THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR  
16 OTHER PURPOSES.

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## Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS  
AT PINE BLUFF - AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH  
AND EXTENSION PROGRAM APPROPRIATION FOR  
THE 2007-2009 BIENNIUM.

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

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SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - SWEET POTATO FOUNDATION SEED PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Fund, for personal services, operating and other expenses associated with establishing the Sweet Potato Foundation Seed Program of the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff - Agriculture Research and Extension Program for the biennial period ending June 30, 2009, the following:

36 ITEM

FISCAL YEARS



1	NO.	2007-2008	2008-2009
2	(01) PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING AND OTHER		
3	EXPENSES	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000

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5 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
6 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING  
7 USE RESTRICTION. Additional funding provided by the 86th General Assembly  
8 shall be used for the Sweet Potato Foundation Seed Program as enumerated in  
9 this Act and no funding provided for other institutional appropriations shall  
10 be used for the purposes of this Act.

11 The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007  
12 through June 30, 2009.

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

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

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34 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
35 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
36 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the

1 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2007 is essential to the operation of  
2 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
3 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective  
4 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2007 could work irreparable harm upon the  
5 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.  
6 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being  
7 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and  
8 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2007.

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