

State of Arkansas
86th General Assembly
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1744

By: Representative Schulte

For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS
STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR
STATE ASSISTANCE TO DISTRICT 48 FOR STATE
HIGHWAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY
AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR STATE
ASSISTANCE TO DISTRICT 48 FOR STATE
HIGHWAYS GENERAL IMPROVEMENT
APPROPRIATION.

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

SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS – STATE ASSISTANCE DISTRICT 48. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

(A) For state assistance including repairs, construction, maintenance for state highways located in District 48, the sum of\$1,000,000.

SECTION 2. 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



1 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
2 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
3 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.
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5 SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
6 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
7 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
8 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2007 is essential to the operation of
9 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
10 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
11 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2007 could work irreparable harm upon the
12 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
13 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
14 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
15 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2007.
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