

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

SENATE BILL 324

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5 By: Senator T. Smith
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For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT
10 OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION
11 SERVICES FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AT THE HOT
12 SPRINGS REHABILITATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER
13 PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE
17 EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION
18 SERVICES - HOT SPRINGS REHABILITATION
19 CENTER GENERAL IMPROVEMENT
20 APPROPRIATION.
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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26 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATIONS - CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS - HOT SPRINGS
27 REAHABILITATION CENTER. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of
28 Workforce Education - Arkansas Rehabilitation Services, to be payable from
29 the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the
30 following:

- 31 (A) For replacement of the fire alarm system in Ross Hall, the sum of
32\$45,000.
- 33 (B) For installation of fire and bomb threat alarm systems for the
34 outlying Program and Maintenance Building, the sum of\$100,000.
- 35 (C) For upgrading and expanding the security camera system, the sum of
36\$70,000.



- 1 (D) For installation of a center-wide public address/communication system,
2 the sum of\$40,000.
- 3 (E) For replacement of the boiler for Building 1, the sum of ...\$175,000.
- 4 (F) For replacement of the hot water system for Building 35, the sum of
5\$20,000.
- 6 (G) For upgrading the boiler and its safety devices in Building 11, the
7 sum of\$50,000.
- 8 (H) For replacement of the secondary electrical system in Building 1, the
9 sum of\$175,000.
- 10 (I) For roof repairs for Buildings 54 and 55, the sum of\$350,000.
- 11 (J) For completion of Phase II of the renovation of the heating and air
12 conditioning system for Building 1, the sum of\$1,703,375.
- 13 (K) For replacement of windows on the sixth floor of Building 1, the sum
14 of\$15,000.
- 15 (L) For repairing and/or repainting of the windows and commercial cleaning
16 of the exterior of Building 1, the sum of\$200,000.
- 17 (M) For installation of Healthcare Management System Software, the sum of
18\$185,000.
- 19 (N) For installation of Medical Records 3M Software, the sum of ..\$18,000.
- 20 (O) For acquisition of a drivers education van, the sum of\$50,000.

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22 SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
23 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
24 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
25 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
26 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
27 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
28 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
29 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
30 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
31 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
32 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
33 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

34 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing
35 Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue
36 Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State

1 and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration,
2 as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any
3 funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

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5 SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly
6 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained
7 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act
8 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations
9 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by
10 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral
11 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or
12 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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14 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
15 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
16 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
17 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2007 is essential to the operation of
18 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
19 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
20 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2007 could work irreparable harm upon the
21 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
22 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
23 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
24 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2007.