

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
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A Bill

SENATE BILL 442

5 By: Senators Malone, Bisbee
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO TRANSFER FUNDS TO THE ARKANSAS
10 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY - LANDFILL
11 POST-CLOSURE TRUST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF
16 ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY - LANDFILL POST-
17 CLOSURE TRUST FUND APPROPRIATION.
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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22 SECTION 1. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
23 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. TRANSFER
24 PROVISION. Immediately upon the effective date of this Act, the Chief Fiscal
25 Officer of the State shall transfer on his or her books and those of the
26 State Treasurer and the Auditor of the State, the sum of ten million dollars
27 (\$10,000,000) from the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund to the Landfill
28 Post-Closure Trust Fund.
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30 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized
31 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds
32 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the
33 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
34 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
35 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal
36 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by



1 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
2 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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

25 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become
26 effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor
27 may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is
28 overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides
29 the veto.