

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  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 444

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

9 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A TRANSFER TO THE LANDFILL  
10 POST-CLOSURE TRUST FUND BY THE ARKANSAS  
11 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FOR THE  
12 BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR  
13 OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

15 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS  
16 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY TO  
17 TRANSFER TO THE LANDFILL POST-CLOSURE  
18 TRUST FUND APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2007-  
19 2009.  
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24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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26 SECTION 1. On the effective date of this act or when funds are available,  
27 the State Treasurer shall transfer upon his books and shall notify the Chief  
28 Fiscal Officer of the State of such transfers, the sum of Ten Million Dollars  
29 (\$10,000,000) from the General Improvement Fund to the Landfill Post-Closure  
30 Trust Fund.  
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32 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized  
33 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds  
34 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the  
35 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
36 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary



1 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
2 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
3 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
4 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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