

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 87th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2009
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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1475

5 By: Representative L. Smith
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For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR BIRTH
10 CERTIFICATE EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
11 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR
12 OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH -
16 BIRTH CERTIFICATE EXPENSES APPROPRIATION
17 FOR THE 2009-2010 FISCAL YEAR.
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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23 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - BIRTH CERTIFICATE EXPENSES. There is hereby
24 appropriated, to the Department of Health, to be payable from the
25 Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account, for personal services and operating
26 expenses of providing birth certificates to individuals as applied for
27 through the assistance of a state agency or a private non-profit
28 organization, including but not limited to domestic violence and homeless
29 shelters, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the sum of.....\$30,000.
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31 SECTION 2. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized
32 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds
33 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the
34 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and
35 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary
36 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal



1 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by
2 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be
3 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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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 one (1) year period; that the
17 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2009 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, 2009 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, 2009.