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2 88th General Assembly
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A Bill

SENATE BILL 240

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5 By: Joint Budget Committee
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For An Act To Be Entitled

8 AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
9 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
10 CAREER EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION
11 SERVICES - FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION,
12 EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION,
13 IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR
14 OTHER PURPOSES.
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18 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER
19 EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION
20 SERVICES REAPPROPRIATION.
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23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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25 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby
26 appropriated, to the Department of Career Education - Arkansas Rehabilitation
27 Services, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor
28 fund or fund accounts, for the Department of Career Education - Arkansas
29 Rehabilitation Services the following:

30 (A) Effective July 1, 2011, the balance of the appropriation provided
31 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 182 of 2010, for technology, maintenance,
32 renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and
33 repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, in a sum
34 not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.
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36 SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor



1 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
2 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
3 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
4 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
5 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
6 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
7 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
8 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
9 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
10 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
11 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

12 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State
13 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the
14 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of
15 this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and
16 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in
17 disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided
18 otherwise by law.

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

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29 SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
30 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
31 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that previous
32 General Assemblies have provided appropriations for the projects provided or
33 enumerated in this act; that certain appropriations will expire before the
34 adjournment of the General Assembly; and that if such appropriations expire,
35 the projects and programs authorized herein will cease thereby depriving the
36 citizens of the State of the benefits to be derived from such projects.

1 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
2 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
3 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2011.
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