

1 State of Arkansas  
2 88th General Assembly  
3 Fiscal Session, 2012  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 130

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

8 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING  
9 EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES -  
10 DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH WHICH SHALL BE  
11 SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS  
12 APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1067 OF 2011; AND FOR OTHER  
13 PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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16 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES  
17 - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH  
18 SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATION.  
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22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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24 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby  
25 appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Behavioral  
26 Health, to be payable from the Behavioral Health Services Fund Account, for  
27 personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services  
28 - Division of Behavioral Health - State Operations which shall be  
29 supplemental and in addition to those funds appropriated in Section 3 of Act  
30 1067 of 2011, the following:  
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ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
NO.	2011-2012
(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	\$0
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0



1	(C) PROF. FEES	220,000
2	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	3,168,251
3	(E) DATA PROC.	<u>0</u>
4	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u><u>\$3,388,251</u></u>

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6 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 7 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING  
 8 TRANSFER. Immediately upon the effective date of this Act, the Chief Fiscal  
 9 Officer of the State shall transfer on his or her books and those of the  
 10 State Treasurer and the Auditor of the State the sum of three million three  
 11 hundred eighty-eight thousand two hundred fifty-one dollars (\$3,388,251) from  
 12 the unobligated funds in the General Improvement Fund to the Behavioral  
 13 Health Services Fund Account for operating expenses, professional fees and  
 14 capital equipment expenses of the Arkansas State Hospital.

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16 SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
 17 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. CARRY  
 18 FORWARD. The funds transferred under the provisions of Section 2 of this Act  
 19 shall be carried forward and made available for the same purpose for the  
 20 fiscal year ending June 30, 2013.

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22 SECTION 4. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds  
 23 authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency  
 24 and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and  
 25 the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
 26 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
 27 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
 28 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
 29 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
 30 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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32 SECTION 5. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
 33 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
 34 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
 35 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
 36 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget

1 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
2 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
3 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.  
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5 SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
6 Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of  
7 the Department of Human Services - Division of Behavioral Health are, due to  
8 unforeseen circumstances, insufficient for the Department of Human Services -  
9 Division of Behavioral Health to continue to provide essential governmental  
10 services; that the provisions of this act will provide the necessary monies  
11 for the Department of Human Services - Division of Behavioral Health to  
12 continue such services; and that a delay in the effective date of this Act  
13 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of  
14 essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared  
15 to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the  
16 public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and  
17 after the date of its passage and approval.

18 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall  
19 become effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the  
20 Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the  
21 veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house  
22 overrides the veto.

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