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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 247

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 INSTITUTIONS OF  
10 HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

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14 AN ACT FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER  
15 EDUCATION REAPPROPRIATION.  
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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20 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO -  
21 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State  
22 University, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor  
23 fund or fund accounts, for the Arkansas State University the following:

24 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
25 in Item (A) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for constructing, equipping,  
26 landscaping, parking lot, and other construction related costs of completing  
27 a liberal arts teaching building, in a sum not to exceed.....\$3,491,677.

28 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (B) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction of a Humanities and  
30 Social Sciences Building, in a sum not to exceed.....\$4,000,000.

31 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (C) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
33 maintenance, equipment and operating expenses of the various institutions and  
34 entities of the Arkansas State University System, in a sum not to exceed  
35 .....\$14,800,000.

36 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided



1 in Item (D) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
2 not to exceed.....\$4,100,000.

3 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
4 in Item (E) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for personal services, operating  
5 expenses, and grants for the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium  
6 University Center Initiatives, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,142,664.

7 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
8 in Item (F) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for renovation of the System office,  
9 in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,050,000.

10 (G) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
11 in Item (G) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for renovation of Wilson Hall, in a  
12 sum not to exceed.....\$3,000,000.

13 (H) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Item (H) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for the purchase, replacement, and  
15 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,890,484.

16 (I) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
17 in Item (I) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
18 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
19 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
20 .....\$3,000,000.

21 (J) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
22 in Item (J) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
23 maintenance, equipment, and operational expenses of the various institutions  
24 and entities of the Arkansas State University System, in a sum not to exceed  
25 .....\$500,000.

26 (K) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
27 in Item (K) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
28 maintenance, personal services, operations, critical maintenance, and  
29 equipment for the Hemingway - Pfeiffer Museum and Educational Center, in a  
30 sum not to exceed.....\$100,000.

31 (L) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (M) Section 4 of Act 34 of 2014, for remodeling, renovation,  
33 refurbishing, equipment, furnishings, replacement of  
34 plumbing/electrical/heating and cooling systems, and exhibit expenses of  
35 Lakeport Plantation facilities, in a sum not to exceed.....\$10,000.

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1 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO -  
2 TRUST - HISTORICAL DYESS COLONY. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
3 Arkansas State University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and  
4 Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the Arkansas State University  
5 the following:

6 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
7 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
8 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
9 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$750,000.

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11 SECTION 3. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO -  
12 TRUST - V.C. HAYS HOUSE RESTORATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
13 Arkansas State University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and  
14 Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the Arkansas State University  
15 the following:

16 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
17 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
18 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
19 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$200,000.

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21 SECTION 4. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY - GENERAL  
22 IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Tech University,  
23 to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund  
24 accounts, for the Arkansas Tech University the following:

25 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (A) Section 6 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction of an academic  
27 classroom facility, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,500,000.

28 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (B) Section 6 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
30 not to exceed.....\$1,610,000.

31 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (C) Section 6 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance at the  
33 Ozark Campus, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,036,812.

34 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (D) Section 6 of Act 34 of 2014, for electrical systems upgrade at  
36 the Ozark Campus, in a sum not to exceed.....\$193,188.

1 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
2 in Item (E) Section 6 of Act 34 of 2014, for renovation and critical  
3 maintenance to education and general buildings, in a sum not to  
4 exceed.....\$2,500,000.

5 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
6 in Item (F) Section 6 of Act 34 of 2014, for purchase, replacement, and  
7 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,208,094.

8 (G) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
9 in Item (G) Section 6 of Act 34 of 2014, for the purchase, replacement, and  
10 renewal of library holdings for the Ozark Campus, in a sum not to  
11 exceed.....\$122,350.

12 (H) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
13 in Item (H) Section 6 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
14 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
15 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to  
16 exceed.....\$2,870,558.

17 (I) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
18 in Item (J) Section 6 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
19 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
20 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to  
21 exceed.....\$10,000,000.

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23 SECTION 5. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY - TRUST -  
24 RENOVATION OF WILSON HALL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas  
25 Tech University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural  
26 Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the Arkansas Tech University the  
27 following:

28 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
30 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
31 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$500,000.

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33 SECTION 6. REAPPROPRIATION - HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY - GENERAL  
34 IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Henderson State  
35 University, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor  
36 fund or fund accounts, for the Henderson State University the following:

1 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
2 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance expenses,  
3 in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,746,000.

4 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
5 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 34 of 2014, for local area network  
6 infrastructure expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$654,000.

7 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
8 in Item (C) Section 1 of Act 34 of 2014, for the Phase I Campus Renovation  
9 expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$4,250,000.

10 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
11 in Item (D) Section 1 of Act 34 of 2014, for the purchase, replacement, and  
12 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$546,168.

13 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Item (E) Section 1 of Act 34 of 2014, for underground electrical  
15 distribution expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$346,000.

16 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
17 in Item (F) Section 1 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
18 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
19 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
20 .....\$8,900,000.

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22 SECTION 7. REAPPROPRIATION - HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY - TRUST -  
23 PROCTOR HALL RENOVATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Henderson  
24 State University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural  
25 Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the Henderson State University the  
26 following:

27 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
28 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
29 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
30 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$285,366.

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32 SECTION 8. REAPPROPRIATION - SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY - SUSTAINABLE  
33 BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Southern  
34 Arkansas University, to be payable from the Sustainable Building Design  
35 Revolving Loan Fund, for the Southern Arkansas University the following:

36 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Section 13 of Act 58 of 2014, for renovation of state owned property, in a  
2 sum not to exceed.....\$53,744.

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4 SECTION 9. REAPPROPRIATION - SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY - GENERAL  
5 IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Southern Arkansas  
6 University, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor  
7 fund or fund accounts, for the Southern Arkansas University the following:

8 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
9 in Item (A) Section 3 of Act 34 of 2014, for expenses of a lignite  
10 feasibility study, in a sum not to exceed.....\$32,194.

11 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
12 in Item (B) Section 3 of Act 34 of 2014, for constructing, equipping,  
13 personal services, maintenance and operating expenses of a Natural Resources  
14 Research Center for research of lignite and other natural resources in the  
15 State, in a sum not to exceed.....\$75,000.

16 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
17 in Item (C) Section 3 of Act 34 of 2014, for Bruce Center conversion  
18 expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$850,000.

19 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
20 in Item (D) Section 3 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction of agricultural  
21 instructional lab facilities, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,300,000.

22 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
23 in Item (E) Section 3 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance expenses,  
24 in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,570,000.

25 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (F) Section 3 of Act 34 of 2014, for renovation of the Engineering  
27 Training center, in a sum not to exceed.....\$850,000.

28 (G) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (G) Section 3 of Act 34 of 2014, for technology upgrade expenses, in  
30 a sum not to exceed.....\$2,500,000.

31 (H) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (H) Section 3 of Act 34 of 2014, for the purchase, replacement, and  
33 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$496,133.

34 (I) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (I) Section 3 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
36 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,

1 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
2 .....\$140,047.  
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4 SECTION 10. REAPPROPRIATION - SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY - TRUST -  
5 GREEK THEATER RESTORATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Southern  
6 Arkansas University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural  
7 Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the Southern Arkansas University the  
8 following:

9 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
10 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
11 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
12 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$119,000.  
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14 SECTION 11. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL  
15 SCIENCES - CASH - W.P. ROCKEFELLER CANCER RESEARCH - MYELOMA INSTITUTE FOR  
16 RESEARCH AND THERAPY. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
17 Arkansas for Medical Sciences, to be payable from the cash funds as defined  
18 by Arkansas Code 19-4-801, for the University of Arkansas for Medical  
19 Sciences the following:

20 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
21 in Item (A) Section 16 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction of the Winthrop P.  
22 Rockefeller Cancer Research Institute - Myeloma Institute for Research and  
23 Therapy of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, in a sum not to  
24 exceed.....\$15,000,000.  
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26 SECTION 12. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL  
27 SCIENCES - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
28 University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, to be payable from the General  
29 Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the University  
30 of Arkansas for Medical Sciences the following:

31 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (I) Section 17 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
33 not to exceed.....\$8,680,000.

34 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (J) Section 17 of Act 34 of 2014, for purchase, replacement, and  
36 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,360,814.

1 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
2 in Item (K) Section 17 of Act 34 of 2014, for renovation and remodeling of  
3 the Oral Health Center - Phase 2, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,518,710.

4 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
5 in Item (L) Section 17 of Act 34 of 2014, for renovation of Ed II building  
6 infrastructure/facilities, in a sum not to exceed.....\$4,981,290.

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8 SECTION 13. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE -  
9 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
10 Arkansas, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor  
11 fund or fund accounts, for the University of Arkansas the following:

12 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
13 in Item (F) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Archeological Survey Archives  
14 and Photo Preservation equipment and technology upgrade, in a sum not to  
15 exceed.....\$17,448.

16 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
17 in Item (G) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Archeological Survey Building  
18 roof critical maintenance, in a sum not to exceed.....\$163,277.

19 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
20 in Item (H) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Archeological Survey Cemetery  
21 Preservation equipment and technology upgrade, in a sum not to exceed  
22 .....\$26,196.

23 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
24 in Item (I) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Archeological Survey deferred  
25 maintenance, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,003,079.

26 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
27 in Item (J) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Ark. Research and Educational  
28 Optical Network technology and equipment replacement, in a sum not to exceed  
29 .....\$1,000,000.

30 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
31 in Item (K) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Ark. School of Math., Sciences,  
32 and the Arts Cedar Street building renovation, in a sum not to exceed  
33 .....\$700,000.

34 (G) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (L) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Ark. School of Math., Sciences,  
36 and the Arts construction, renovation, maintenance, personal services,



1 equipment, and operations, in a sum not to exceed.....\$6,000,000.

2 (H) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
3 in Item (M) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Ark. School of Math., Sciences,  
4 and the Arts Multi-purpose building construction, in a sum not to exceed  
5 .....\$300,000.

6 (I) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
7 in Item (N) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Clinton School Lecture Hall  
8 construction, in a sum not to exceed.....\$275,000.

9 (J) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
10 in Item (O) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Criminal Justice Institute  
11 building construction, in a sum not to exceed.....\$601,500.

12 (K) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
13 in Item (P) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Criminal Justice Institute  
14 facility equipment upgrade expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$301,000.

15 (L) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
16 in Item (Q) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Criminal Justice Institute  
17 Forensic Laboratory and classroom equipment expenses, in a sum not to exceed  
18 .....\$97,500.

19 (M) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
20 in Item (R) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Div. of Agriculture -  
21 Cooperative Extension Service - Lonoke Agriculture Center construction, in a  
22 sum not to exceed.....\$500,000.

23 (N) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
24 in Item (S) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Div. of Agriculture - Marianna  
25 Soil Testing and Research Laboratory technology expenses, in a sum not to  
26 exceed.....\$1,375,000.

27 (O) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
28 in Item (T) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Div. of Agriculture deferred  
29 maintenance, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,685,000.

30 (P) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
31 in Item (U) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Div. of Agriculture Plant  
32 Science and Genomics building construction, in a sum not to exceed  
33 .....\$1,900,000.

34 (Q) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (V) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Fayetteville Campus deferred  
36 maintenance, in a sum not to exceed.....\$9,230,000.

1 (R) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
2 in Item (W) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Kimpel Hall renovation, in a sum  
3 not to exceed.....\$8,000,000.

4 (S) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
5 in Item (X) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for Nanoscale Material Science and  
6 Engineering building construction, in a sum not to exceed.....\$15,797,035.

7 (T) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
8 in Item (Y) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for purchase, replacement, renewal  
9 of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$3,821,449.

10 (U) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
11 in Item (Z) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for U of A - System Cammack Campus  
12 critical maintenance, in a sum not to exceed.....\$570,000.

13 (V) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Item (AA) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for U of A - System deferred  
15 maintenance, in a sum not to exceed.....\$420,000.

16 (W) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
17 in Item (BB) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for U of A - System technology  
18 upgrade, in a sum not to exceed.....\$100,000.

19 (X) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
20 in Item (CC) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for U of A - System, various  
21 institutions and entities, construction, renovation, maintenance, equipment,  
22 and operational expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,874,490.

23 (Y) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
24 in Item (DD) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
25 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
26 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
27 .....\$1,433,672.

28 (Z) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (GG) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, equipment,  
30 maintenance, deferred maintenance, renovation, personal services and  
31 operating expenses of the Criminal Justice Institute, in a sum not to exceed  
32 .....\$26,433.

33 (AA) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
34 in Item (LL) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for scholarships, operations,  
35 equipment, improvements, and renovations for the Clinton School of Public  
36 Service, in a sum not to exceed.....\$106,500.

1 (BB) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
2 in Item (MM) Section 8 of Act 34 of 2014, for personal services and general  
3 operating expenses of the Partners for Inclusive Communities - Sickle Cell  
4 Anemia Task Force, in a sum not to exceed.....\$60,000.

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6 SECTION 14. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE -  
7 TRUST - PREHISTORIC HERITAGE OF SOUTHERN ARK. There is hereby appropriated,  
8 to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and  
9 Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas the  
10 following:

11 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
12 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
13 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
14 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$42,333.

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16 SECTION 15. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE -  
17 TRUST - AUTOMATION FOR ARCHEOLOGICAL SITES. There is hereby appropriated, to  
18 the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and  
19 Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas the  
20 following:

21 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
22 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
23 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
24 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$34,356.

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26 SECTION 16. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE -  
27 TRUST - RESTORE CHI OMEGA GREEK THEATER. There is hereby appropriated, to  
28 the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and  
29 Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas the  
30 following:

31 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
33 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
34 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$650,000.

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36 SECTION 17. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE -

1 TRUST - JACKSONPORT/WASHINGTON STATE PARK. There is hereby appropriated, to  
2 the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and  
3 Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas the  
4 following:

5 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
6 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
7 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
8 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$155,000.

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10 SECTION 18. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - LITTLE ROCK -  
11 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
12 Arkansas at Little Rock, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or  
13 its successor fund or fund accounts, for the University of Arkansas at Little  
14 Rock the following:

15 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
16 in Item (A) Section 13 of Act 34 of 2014, for building infrastructure and  
17 critical maintenance expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$4,000,000.

18 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
19 in Item (B) Section 13 of Act 34 of 2014, for classroom technology  
20 improvement expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,500,000.

21 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
22 in Item (C) Section 13 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
23 not to exceed.....\$4,390,000.

24 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
25 in Item (D) Section 13 of Act 34 of 2014, for Nanotechnology Center expenses,  
26 in a sum not to exceed.....\$3,910,700.

27 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
28 in Item (E) Section 13 of Act 34 of 2014, for purchase, replacement, and  
29 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,950,554.

30 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
31 in Item (F) Section 13 of Act 34 of 2014, for technology infrastructure  
32 improvement expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,500,000.

33 (G) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
34 in Item (G) Section 13 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
35 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
36 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to

1 exceed.....\$1,810,855.

2 (H) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
3 in Item (H) Section 13 of Act 34 of 2014, for operations, maintenance,  
4 equipment and facilities of the Nanotechnology Center at the University of  
5 Arkansas at Little Rock, in a sum not to exceed.....\$3,160.

6 (I) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
7 in Item (I) Section 13 of Act 34 of 2014, for personal services and operating  
8 expenses, research, and development of viable technologies by the UALR  
9 Nanotechnology Center, in a sum not to exceed.....\$6,270.

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11 SECTION 19. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - LITTLE ROCK -  
12 TRUST - JOE JONES MURAL RESTORATION PHASE III. There is hereby appropriated,  
13 to the University of Arkansas at Little Rock, to be payable from the Arkansas  
14 Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of  
15 Arkansas at Little Rock the following:

16 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
17 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
18 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
19 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$180,000.

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21 SECTION 20. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - LITTLE ROCK -  
22 TRUST - CONSERVATION OF OSAGE ARTWORK. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
23 University of Arkansas at Little Rock, to be payable from the Arkansas  
24 Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of  
25 Arkansas at Little Rock the following:

26 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
27 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
28 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
29 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$18,000.

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31 SECTION 21. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - MONTICELLO -  
32 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
33 Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or  
34 its successor fund or fund accounts, for the University of Arkansas at  
35 Monticello the following:

36 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Item (A) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for grants to cities, counties,  
2 planning and development districts, and other eligible entities for land  
3 acquisition, improvements, construction, renovation, major maintenance, and  
4 purchase of equipment, industrial site development costs including,  
5 construction, renovation, and equipment acquisition, development of  
6 intermodal facilities, including port and waterway projects, rail spur  
7 construction and road and highway improvements, environmental mitigation  
8 projects, and construction and improvement of water and sewer systems, in a  
9 sum not to exceed.....\$25,000.

10 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
11 in Item (C) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for Academic Learning Center  
12 construction, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.

13 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Item (D) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for costs to re-cable campus  
15 buildings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$300,000.

16 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
17 in Item (E) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
18 not to exceed.....\$1,330,000.

19 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
20 in Item (F) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for expenses of a new telephone  
21 system, in a sum not to exceed.....\$250,000.

22 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
23 in Item (G) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for Music Building renovation  
24 expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,300,000.

25 (G) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (H) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for purchase, replacement, and  
27 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$373,213.

28 (H) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (I) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for renovation of the Math and  
30 Science Center, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,500,000.

31 (I) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (J) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for wireless access point and  
33 controller expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$150,000.

34 (J) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (K) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
36 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,

1 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
2 .....\$500,696.

3 (K) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
4 in Item (L) Section 18 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
5 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
6 technology upgrades/equipment and furnishings of the Music Building, in a sum  
7 not to exceed.....\$107,712.

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9 SECTION 22. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - MONTICELLO -  
10 TRUST - HOLLYWOOD PLANTATION-TAYLOR HOUSE. There is hereby appropriated, to  
11 the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the Arkansas  
12 Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of  
13 Arkansas at Monticello the following:

14 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
15 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
16 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
17 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$186,500.

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19 SECTION 23. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - PINE BLUFF.  
20 There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, to  
21 be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund  
22 accounts, for the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff the following:

23 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
24 in Item (A) Section 20 of Act 34 of 2014, for campus renovation and repair  
25 costs, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,950,000.

26 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
27 in Item (B) Section 20 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
28 not to exceed.....\$1,180,000.

29 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
30 in Item (C) Section 20 of Act 34 of 2014, for purchase, replacement, and  
31 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$449,310.

32 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
33 in Item (D) Section 20 of Act 34 of 2014, for STEM conference center  
34 construction, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,866,852.

35 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
36 in Item (E) Section 20 of Act 34 of 2014, for technology upgrade expenses, in

1 a sum not to exceed.....\$550,000.

2 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
3 in Item (F) Section 20 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
4 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
5 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
6 .....\$364,371.

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8 SECTION 24. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH -  
9 SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
10 University of Arkansas - Fort Smith, to be payable from the Sustainable  
11 Building Design Revolving Loan Fund, for the University of Arkansas - Fort  
12 Smith the following:

13 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Section 13 of Act 58 of 2014, for renovation of state owned property, in a  
15 sum not to exceed.....\$2,672.

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17 SECTION 25. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH -  
18 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
19 Arkansas - Fort Smith, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its  
20 successor fund or fund accounts, for the University of Arkansas - Fort Smith  
21 the following:

22 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
23 in Item (A) Section 23 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
24 not to exceed.....\$1,090,000.

25 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (B) Section 23 of Act 34 of 2014, for Education Building  
27 construction, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,500,000.

28 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (C) Section 23 of Act 34 of 2014, for Fine Arts building  
30 construction, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,500,000.

31 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (D) Section 23 of Act 34 of 2014, for Math - Science building  
33 renovation, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,500,000.

34 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (E) Section 23 of Act 34 of 2014, for personal services, operating  
36 expenses, and grants for the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium



1 University Center Initiatives, in a sum not to exceed.....\$269,119.

2 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
3 in Item (F) Section 23 of Act 34 of 2014, for purchase, replacement, and  
4 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$884,200.

5 (G) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
6 in Item (G) Section 23 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
7 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
8 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
9 .....\$1,500,000.

10 (H) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
11 in Item (H) Section 23 of Act 34 of 2014, for design development,  
12 construction, land acquisition, equipment, renovation, and operating expenses  
13 for the Mallalieu Center for Academic Excellence, in a sum not to exceed  
14 .....\$50,000.

15 (I) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
16 in Item (I) Section 23 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
17 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
18 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
19 .....\$100,000.

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21 SECTION 26. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS - GENERAL  
22 IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Central  
23 Arkansas, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor  
24 fund or fund accounts, for the University of Central Arkansas the following:

25 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (A) Section 21 of Act 34 of 2014, for construction, renovation,  
27 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
28 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
29 .....\$547,724.

30 (B) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
31 in Item (C) Section 21 of Act 34 of 2014, for cabling upgrade expenses, in a  
32 sum not to exceed.....\$700,000.

33 (C) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
34 in Item (D) Section 21 of Act 34 of 2014, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
35 not to exceed.....\$3,170,000.

36 (D) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Item (E) Section 21 of Act 34 of 2014, for Lewis Science Center  
2 replacement construction, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,723,128.

3 (E) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
4 in Item (F) Section 21 of Act 34 of 2014, for Old Main renovation, in a sum  
5 not to exceed.....\$3,300,000.

6 (F) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
7 in Item (G) Section 21 of Act 34 of 2014, for purchase, replacement, and  
8 renewal of library holdings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,714,461.

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10 SECTION 27. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS - TRUST -  
11 MCASTLAIN HALL RENOVATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the University  
12 of Central Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural  
13 Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Central Arkansas the  
14 following:

15 (A) Effective July 1, 2015, the balance of the appropriation provided  
16 in Item (01) Section 30 of Act 273 of 2014, for acquisition, management,  
17 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
18 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$800,000.

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20 SECTION 28. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor  
21 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects  
22 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available  
23 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and  
24 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and  
25 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or  
26 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State  
27 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects  
28 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds  
29 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General  
30 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall  
31 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

32 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing  
33 Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue  
34 Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State  
35 and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration,  
36 as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any

1 funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

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SECTION 29. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

SECTION 30. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2015 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2015 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2015.