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5 By: Joint Budget Committee

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For An Act To Be Entitled

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AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL

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IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF

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FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER; AND

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FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

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Subtitle

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AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND

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ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER

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REAPPROPRIATION.

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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

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22 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - MAJOR MAINTENANCE. There is hereby
23 appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing
24 Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor
25 fund or fund accounts, for the Department of Finance and Administration -
26 Disbursing Officer the following:

27 (A) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
28 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 197 of 2015, for major maintenance, renovation,
29 repair or construction to provide contingency appropriation for capital
30 projects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$500,000.

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32 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - STATE MOTOR VEHICLE ACQUISITION. There is
33 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -
34 Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its
35 successor fund or fund accounts, for the Department of Finance and
36 Administration - Disbursing Officer the following:



1 (A) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
 2 in Item (A) Section 2 of Act 197 of 2015, for State Motor Vehicle
 3 Acquisition, in a sum not to exceed.....\$12,000,000.
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5 SECTION 3. REAPPROPRIATION - CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS. There is
 6 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -
 7 Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its
 8 successor fund or fund accounts, for the Department of Finance and
 9 Administration - Disbursing Officer the following:

10 (A) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
 11 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 125 of 2015, for State Motor Vehicle
 12 Acquisition, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,895,070.
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14 SECTION 4. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PLANNING AND
 15 DEVELOPMENT GRANTS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of
 16 Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the
 17 General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the
 18 Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer the following:

19 (A) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
 20 in Item (E) Section 1 of Act 246 of 2015, for the Southwest Economic
 21 Development District of Arkansas, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$65,000.

22 (B) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
 23 in Item (F) Section 1 of Act 246 of 2015, for the Western Arkansas Economic
 24 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$20,000.

25 (C) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
 26 in Item (G) Section 1 of Act 246 of 2015, for the West Central Arkansas
 27 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$20,000.

28 (D) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
 29 in Item (D) Section 1 of Act 253 of 2015, for the Southeast Arkansas Economic
 30 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$20,000.

31 (E) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
 32 in Item (E) Section 1 of Act 253 of 2015, for the Southwest Economic
 33 Development District of Arkansas, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$70,000.

34 (F) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
 35 in Item (G) Section 1 of Act 253 of 2015, for the West Central Arkansas
 36 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$25,000.

1 (G) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
2 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 416 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
3 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$40,000.

4 (H) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
5 in Item (C) Section 1 of Act 426 of 2015, for the Northeast Arkansas Economic
6 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$55,000.

7 (I) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
8 in Item (D) Section 1 of Act 435 of 2015, for the Southeast Arkansas Economic
9 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$56,000.

10 (J) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
11 in Item (E) Section 1 of Act 435 of 2015, for the Southwest Economic
12 Development District of Arkansas, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$41,000.

13 (K) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
14 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 444 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
15 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$50,000.

16 (L) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
17 in Item (C) Section 1 of Act 469 of 2015, for the Northeast Arkansas Economic
18 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$75,000.

19 (M) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
20 in Item (E) Section 1 of Act 470 of 2015, for the Southwest Economic
21 Development District of Arkansas, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$225,000.

22 (N) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
23 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 471 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
24 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$225,000.

25 (O) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
26 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 473 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
27 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$225,000.

28 (P) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
29 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 474 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
30 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$80,000.

31 (Q) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
32 in Item (G) Section 1 of Act 476 of 2015, for the West Central Arkansas
33 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$92,500.

34 (R) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
35 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 481 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
36 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$47,500.

1 (S) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
2 in Item (G) Section 1 of Act 481 of 2015, for the West Central Arkansas
3 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$95,000.

4 (T) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
5 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 482 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
6 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$85,000.

7 (U) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
8 in Item (F) Section 1 of Act 482 of 2015, for the Western Arkansas Economic
9 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$200,000.

10 (V) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
11 in Item (F) Section 1 of Act 486 of 2015, for the Western Arkansas Economic
12 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$142,500.

13 (W) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
14 in Item (G) Section 1 of Act 486 of 2015, for the West Central Arkansas
15 Economic Development District, Inc. , in a sum not to exceed.....\$142,500.

16 (X) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
17 in Item (C) Section 1 of Act 496 of 2015, for the Northeast Arkansas Economic
18 *Development District, Inc., or for grants to any of the planning and*
19 *development districts designated in A.C.A. § 14-166-202, in a sum not to*
20 *exceed.....\$297,500.*

21 (Y) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
22 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 503 of 2015, for the North Central Arkansas
23 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$206,000.

24 (Z) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
25 in Item (H) Section 1 of Act 514 of 2015, for the Central Arkansas Economic
26 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$205,000.

27 (AA) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
28 in Item (H) Section 1 of Act 551 of 2015, for the Central Arkansas Economic
29 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$285,000.

30 (BB) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
31 in Item (H) Section 1 of Act 612 of 2015, for the Central Arkansas Economic
32 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$70,000.

33 (CC) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
34 in Item (H) Section 1 of Act 619 of 2015, for the Central Arkansas Economic
35 Development District, Inc. , in a sum not to exceed.....\$275,000.

36 (DD) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Item (E) Section 1 of Act 622 of 2015, for the Southwest Economic
2 Development District of Arkansas, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$25,000.

3 (EE) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
4 in Item (H) Section 1 of Act 622 of 2015, for the Central Arkansas Economic
5 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$200,000.

6 (FF) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
7 in Item (D) Section 1 of Act 641 of 2015, for the Southeast Arkansas Economic
8 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$235,000.

9 (GG) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
10 in Item (D) Section 1 of Act 647 of 2015, for the Southeast Arkansas Economic
11 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$50,000.

12 (HH) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
13 in Item (G) Section 1 of Act 647 of 2015, for the West Central Arkansas
14 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$235,000.

15 (II) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
16 in Item (H) Section 1 of Act 654 of 2015, for the Central Arkansas Economic
17 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$260,000.

18 (JJ) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
19 in Item (D) Section 1 of Act 745 of 2015, for the Southeast Arkansas Economic
20 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$188,000.

21 (KK) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
22 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 748 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
23 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$185,000.

24 (LL) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
25 in Item (F) Section 1 of Act 760 of 2015, for the Western Arkansas Economic
26 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$285,000.

27 (MM) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
28 in Item (C) Section 1 of Act 763 of 2015, for the Northeast Arkansas Economic
29 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$147,500.

30 (NN) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
31 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 765 of 2015, for the North Central Arkansas
32 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$150,000.

33 (OO) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
34 in Item (D) Section 1 of Act 765 of 2015, for the Southeast Arkansas Economic
35 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$35,000.

36 (PP) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 766 of 2015, for the North Central Arkansas
2 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$285,000.

3 (QQ) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
4 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 786 of 2015, for the North Central Arkansas
5 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$71,250.

6 (RR) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
7 in Item (G) Section 1 of Act 786 of 2015, for the West Central Arkansas
8 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$71,250.

9 (SS) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
10 in Item (H) Section 1 of Act 786 of 2015, for the Central Arkansas Economic
11 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$142,500.

12 (TT) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
13 in Item (F) Section 1 of Act 800 of 2015, for the Western Arkansas Economic
14 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$285,000.

15 (UU) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
16 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 818 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
17 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,375,000.

18 (VV) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
19 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 818 of 2015, for the North Central Arkansas
20 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$537,500.

21 (WW) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
22 in Item (C) Section 1 of Act 818 of 2015, for the Northeast Arkansas Economic
23 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$950,000.

24 (XX) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
25 in Item (D) Section 1 of Act 818 of 2015, for the Southeast Arkansas Economic
26 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$500,000.

27 (YY) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
28 in Item (E) Section 1 of Act 818 of 2015, for the Southwest Economic
29 Development District of Arkansas, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$612,500.

30 (ZZ) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
31 in Item (F) Section 1 of Act 818 of 2015, for the Western Arkansas Economic
32 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$737,500.

33 (BA) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
34 in Item (G) Section 1 of Act 818 of 2015, for the West Central Arkansas
35 Economic Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$737,500.

36 (BB) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Item (H) Section 1 of Act 818 of 2015, for the Central Arkansas Economic
2 Development District, Inc., in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,550,000.

3 SECTION 5. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby
4 appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing
5 Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor
6 fund or fund accounts, the following:

7 (A) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
8 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 254 of 2015, for grants to the Arkansas Hunger
9 Relief Alliance to support hunger relief efforts throughout the state, in a
10 sum not to exceed.....\$15,000.

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12 SECTION 6. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PLANNING AND
13 DEVELOPMENT WORK COLLEGE GRANTS. There is hereby appropriated, to the
14 Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer, to be payable
15 from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for
16 Work College grants to planning and development districts, the following:

17 (A) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided
18 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 417 of 2015, for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
19 Development District, Inc. for grants to work colleges, as defined by U.S.C.,
20 Title 42, Section 2756b, that is part of the Work Colleges Consortium, for
21 personal services and operating expenses, scholarships, research, development
22 and delivery of education coursework and math and science coursework, costs
23 associated with athletic programs, land acquisition, equipment acquisition,
24 infrastructure costs, including site development costs, construction,
25 improvements, landscaping, renovation, dorm renovation, major maintenance,
26 building of roads and/or parking *lots or personal services and operating*
27 *expenses, improvements, construction, renovation, major maintenance, purchase*
28 *of equipment, or building or repairing parking lots for the Northwest*
29 *Arkansas Economic Development District, Inc.,* in a sum not to
30 exceed.....\$33,000.

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32 SECTION 7. REAPPROPRIATION - LITTLE ROCK ZOO IMPROVEMENTS GRANT. There
33 is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -
34 Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its
35 successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

36 (A) Effective July 1, 2016, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 427 of 2015, for a grant for improvements to the
2 education building, an Arkansas Farm Exhibit, general grounds maintenance,
3 equipment, construction, renovation and operating expenses for the Little
4 Rock Zoo, in a sum not to exceed.....\$60,000.

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6 SECTION 8. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
7 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. As
8 referenced in Section 1 (C) of Act 496 of 2015, and Section 3(c) of Act 1147
9 of 2015, the authorized funding for grants for the Northeast Arkansas
10 Economic Development District, Inc., shall be deemed to also include grants
11 to any of the planning and development districts designated in A.C.A. § 14-
12 166-202.

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14 SECTION 9. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED
15 SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS
16 ADMINISTRATIVE FEE AND MATCHING REQUIREMENT RESTRICTION. (a) Notwithstanding
17 any other rules, regulations or provision of law to the contrary, the
18 appropriation and funding authorized in Item (X) of Section 4 and Section 8
19 of this Act, respectively, shall not be restricted by rules or requirements
20 that may be applicable to other programs currently administered. (b) The
21 full amount of appropriation and funding authorized in Item (X) of Section 4
22 and Section 8 of this Act, respectively, shall be distributed as grants
23 without requirements such as administrative fees, administrative cost
24 reimbursements or any matching requirements. (c) New rules and regulations
25 may be adopted to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the
26 appropriations authorized in this Act which comply with (b) herein.

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28 SECTION 10. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
29 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. As
30 referenced in Section 1 (A) of Act 417 of 2015, and Section 3(c) of Act 1147
31 of 2015, the authorized funding for the Northwest Arkansas Economic
32 Development District, Inc. for grants to work colleges, as defined by U.S.C.,
33 Title 42, Section 2756b, that is part of the Work Colleges Consortium, for
34 personal services and operating expenses, scholarships, research, development
35 and delivery of education coursework and math and science coursework, costs
36 associated with athletic programs, land acquisition, equipment acquisition,

1 infrastructure costs, including site development costs, construction,
2 improvements, landscaping, renovation, dorm renovation, major maintenance,
3 building of roads and/or parking lots, shall be deemed to also include
4 personal services and operating expenses, improvements, construction,
5 renovation, major maintenance, purchase of equipment, or building or
6 repairing parking lots for the Northwest Arkansas Economic Development
7 District, Inc."

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9 SECTION 11. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
10 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
11 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
12 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
13 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
14 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
15 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
16 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
17 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
18 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
19 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
20 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

21 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State
22 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the
23 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of
24 this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and
25 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in
26 disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided
27 otherwise by law.

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

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2 SECTION 13. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the
3 General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits
4 the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
5 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2016 is essential to the operation of
6 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
7 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
8 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2016 could work irreparable harm
9 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
10 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
11 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
12 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2016.

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