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SENATE BILL 397

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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13 AN ACT FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER  
14 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, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
25 in Item (A) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction of a Humanities and  
26 Social Sciences Building, in a sum not to exceed.....\$209,380.

27 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
28 in Item (C) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for renovation of Wilson Hall, in a  
29 sum not to exceed.....\$3,000,000.

30 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
31 in Item (D) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction of a Studio Arts  
32 addition to the College of Fine Arts, in a sum not to exceed  
33 .....\$3,000,000.

34 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (E) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for renovation of the International  
36 Student Center building, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,000,000.



1 (E) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
2 in Item (F) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
3 not to exceed.....\$4,620,000.

4 (F) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
5 in Item (G) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase, replacement, and  
6 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
7 .....\$2,273,164.

8 (G) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
9 in Item (H) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
10 maintenance, equipment, personal services and operating expenses of the  
11 various institutions and entities of the Arkansas State University System, in  
12 a sum not to exceed.....\$15,000,000.

13 (H) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Item (I) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
15 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
16 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to  
17 exceed.....\$500,000.

18 (I) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
19 in Item (K) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for remodeling, renovation,  
20 refurbishing, equipment, furnishings, replacement of  
21 plumbing/electrical/heating and cooling systems, and exhibit expenses of  
22 Lakeport Plantation facilities, in a sum not to exceed.....\$10,000.

23 (J) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
24 in Item (N) Section 5 of Act 18 of 2016, for capital improvements including  
25 completion of theatre reconstruction, parking and landscaping at Colony  
26 Center, adjacent outdoor stage, parking at Cash home, construction of  
27 outbuildings, including barn for classrooms and restrooms, and colony house  
28 to be used for security/maintenance, in a sum not to exceed.....\$75,000.  
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30 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO -  
31 NCRC - V.C. KAYS HOUSE HERITAGE SITE. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
32 Arkansas State University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and  
33 Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the Arkansas State University  
34 System the following:

35 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
36 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,

1 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
2 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$181,935.

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4 SECTION 3. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY - GENERAL

5 IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Tech University,  
6 to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund  
7 accounts, for the Arkansas Tech University the following:

8 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
9 in Item (A) Section 7 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction of an Academic  
10 Classroom Facility, in a sum not to exceed.....\$3,000,000.

11 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
12 in Item (B) Section 7 of Act 18 of 2016, for the provision of Instructional  
13 Technology on the Ozark Campus, in a sum not to exceed.....\$177,713.

14 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
15 in Item (C) Section 7 of Act 18 of 2016, for replacement of the Technology  
16 and Academic Support building roof on the Ozark Campus, in a sum not to  
17 exceed.....\$787,549.

18 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
19 in Item (D) Section 7 of Act 18 of 2016, for technology infrastructure  
20 improvements and upgrades, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,500,000.

21 (E) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
22 in Item (E) Section 7 of Act 18 of 2016, for renovation and critical  
23 maintenance of educational and general buildings, in a sum not to exceed  
24 .....\$1,935,716.

25 (F) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (F) Section 7 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance at the  
27 Ozark Campus, in a sum not to exceed.....\$180,000.

28 (G) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (G) Section 7 of Act 18 of 2016, for purchase, replacement, and  
30 renewal of equipment and library holdings at the Ozark Campus, in a sum not  
31 to exceed.....\$160,150.

32 (H) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
33 in Item (H) Section 7 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
34 not to exceed.....\$2,120,000.

35 (I) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
36 in Item (I) Section 7 of Act 18 of 2016, for purchase, replacement, and

1 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
2 .....\$1,318,855.

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4 SECTION 4. REAPPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY - NCRC -  
5 RENOVATION OF WILLIAMSON HALL. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas  
6 Tech University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural  
7 Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the Arkansas Tech University the  
8 following:

9 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
10 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,  
11 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
12 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$600,000.

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14 SECTION 5. REAPPROPRIATION - HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY - GENERAL  
15 IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Henderson State  
16 University, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor  
17 fund or fund accounts, for the Henderson State University the following:

18 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
19 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 18 of 2016, for Phase I renovation to various  
20 campus buildings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$3,000,000.

21 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
22 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction of a School of  
23 Business building and renovation of Mooney Hall, in a sum not to exceed  
24 .....\$2,000,000.

25 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (C) Section 1 of Act 18 of 2016, for upgrade and replacement of  
27 campus network infrastructure, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,800,000.

28 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (D) Section 1 of Act 18 of 2016, for furnishings and equipment for  
30 the Hot Springs Education Center, in a sum not to exceed.....\$200,000.

31 (E) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (E) Section 1 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
33 not to exceed.....\$1,690,000.

34 (F) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (F) Section 1 of Act 18 of 2016, for purchase, replacement, and  
36 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed

1 .....\$596,197.

2 (G) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
3 in Item (G) Section 1 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
4 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
5 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
6 .....\$62,500.

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8 SECTION 6. REAPPROPRIATION - HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY - NCRC - CADD  
9 CENTER CAFETERIA RENOVATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Henderson  
10 State University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural  
11 Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the Henderson State University the  
12 following:

13 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,  
15 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
16 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$602,005.

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

22 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
23 in Item (C) Section 3 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance expenses,  
24 in a sum not to exceed.....\$35,004.

25 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (D) Section 3 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
27 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
28 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
29 .....\$140,047.

30 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
31 in Item (E) Section 3 of Act 18 of 2016, for constructing and equipping  
32 mechanical and electrical engineering laboratories and classrooms, in a sum  
33 not to exceed.....\$2,333,950.

34 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (F) Section 3 of Act 18 of 2016, for technology infrastructure  
36 improvements and upgrades, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,666,050.

1 (E) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
2 in Item (G) Section 3 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction of agricultural  
3 instructional lab facilities, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,405,500.

4 (F) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
5 in Item (H) Section 3 of Act 18 of 2016, for renovation and upgrades to the  
6 Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics training center, in a sum  
7 not to exceed.....\$594,500.

8 (G) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
9 in Item (I) Section 3 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
10 not to exceed.....\$1,660,000.

11 (H) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
12 in Item (J) Section 3 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase, replacement, and  
13 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
14 .....\$516,183.  
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16 SECTION 8. REAPPROPRIATION - SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY - NCRC -  
17 OZMER FARMSTEAD. There is hereby appropriated, to the Southern Arkansas  
18 University, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources  
19 Grant and Trust Fund, for the Southern Arkansas University the following:

20 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
21 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,  
22 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
23 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$150,000.  
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25 SECTION 9. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE -  
26 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
27 Arkansas, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor  
28 fund or fund accounts, for the University of Arkansas the following:

29 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
30 in Item (A) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for personal services and general  
31 operating expenses of the Partners for Inclusive Communities - Sickle Cell  
32 Anemia Task Force, in a sum not to exceed.....\$60,000.

33 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
34 in Item (B) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for Nanoscale Material Science and  
35 Engineering building construction, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,001,041.

36 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Item (E) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of constructing an  
2 Agricultural Experiment Station Headquarters for the Division of Agriculture,  
3 in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,500,000.

4 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
5 in Item (F) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for renovation of the Kimpel Hall  
6 building, furnishings, and systems, in a sum not to exceed.....\$9,000,000.

7 (E) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
8 in Item (G) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for upgrades to the servers and  
9 production equipment of the Clinton School, in a sum not to exceed  
10 .....\$20,000.

11 (F) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
12 in Item (H) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase of laboratory and  
13 classroom equipment for the Criminal Justice Institute, in a sum not to  
14 exceed.....\$124,500.

15 (G) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
16 in Item (I) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase of a towing rig for  
17 geophysical equipment, a GPS guidance system, and a GPS guided unmanned  
18 aerial vehicle with digital and infrared camera packages for photogrammetric  
19 documentation for the Arkansas Archeological Survey, in a sum not to exceed  
20 .....\$59,150.

21 (H) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
22 in Item (J) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction of high-count  
23 underground fiber optic cable along a path between Fayetteville to Alma to  
24 Fort Smith for the AERON, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.

25 (I) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (K) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction of a Creativity and  
27 Innovation Complex for the ASMSA, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.

28 (J) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (L) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for repairs, remodeling, and  
30 construction of the U of A - System Cammack Campus Complex, in a sum not to  
31 exceed.....\$570,000.

32 (K) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
33 in Item (M) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for technology upgrades at the U of  
34 A - System Office, in a sum not to exceed.....\$100,000.

35 (L) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
36 in Item (N) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of constructing a Multi-

1 Purpose Building & Community Hall for the ASMSA, in a sum not to exceed  
2 .....\$500,000.

3 (M) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
4 in Item (O) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance for the U  
5 of A - Archeological Survey, in a sum not to exceed.....\$70,000.

6 (N) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
7 in Item (P) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for technology and equipment  
8 upgrades of the Criminal Justice Institute, in a sum not to exceed  
9 .....\$240,000.

10 (O) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
11 in Item (Q) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
12 not to exceed.....\$8,430,000.

13 (P) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Item (R) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of bank stabilization of  
15 Coleman Creek for the Division of Agriculture - Cooperative Extension Service  
16 headquarters, in a sum not to exceed.....\$200,000.

17 (Q) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
18 in Item (S) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for upgrades and renovations to the  
19 Agricultural Research and Extension Centers and Stations of the Division of  
20 Agriculture, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.

21 (R) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
22 in Item (T) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase, replacement, and  
23 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
24 .....\$4,592,908.

25 (S) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (U) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of expansion of office and  
27 storage space at the U of A - System Office, in a sum not to exceed  
28 .....\$330,000.

29 (T) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
30 in Item (V) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance at the U of  
31 A - System, in a sum not to exceed.....\$50,000.

32 (U) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
33 in Item (W) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of constructing and  
34 equipping a Food Innovation Center of the Division of Agriculture, in a sum  
35 not to exceed.....\$300,000.

36 (V) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided



1 in Item (X) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance of the  
2 Division of Agriculture, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,510,000.

3 (W) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
4 in Item (Y) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
5 maintenance, equipment, personal services and operating expenses of the  
6 various institutions and entities of the University of Arkansas System, in a  
7 sum not to exceed.....\$15,000,000.

8 (X) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
9 in Item (Z) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for personal services and operating  
10 expenses in support of providing a positive 4-H youth development experience  
11 for Arkansas youth between the ages of 5 and 19, in a sum not to exceed  
12 .....\$10,000.

13 (Y) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Item (BB) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
15 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements, personal  
16 services, operating expenses, technology upgrades/equipment and library  
17 resources of the Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences and the Arts, in a  
18 sum not to exceed.....\$25,000.

19 (Z) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
20 in Item (CC) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for personal services and general  
21 operating expenses, construction, renovation, maintenance, critical  
22 maintenance, equipment, security enhancements, technology upgrades/equipment  
23 and library resources for U of A - Fayetteville - Partners for Inclusive  
24 Communities, in a sum not to exceed.....\$50,000.

25 (AA) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (EE) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for U of A Fayetteville Partners  
27 for Inclusive Communities Autism Awareness Supporting Grants, in a sum not to  
28 exceed.....\$50,000.

29 (AB) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
30 in Item (HH) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for transfer of funds and  
31 appropriation by the President of the University of Arkansas to the various  
32 institutions and entities of the University of Arkansas System for  
33 construction, renovation, maintenance, equipment, personal services, and  
34 operating expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$20,000,000.

35 (AC) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
36 in Item (II) Section 9 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,

1 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
2 technology upgrades/equipment, personal services and operating expenses of  
3 the Division of Agriculture, in a sum not to exceed.....\$7,000.  
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5 SECTION 10. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE -  
6 NCRC - DIGITAL PRESERVATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the University  
7 of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources  
8 Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas the following:

9 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
10 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,  
11 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
12 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$150,000.  
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14 SECTION 11. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE -  
15 NCRC - FAY JONES RESIDENCE RESTORATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
16 University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural and Cultural  
17 Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas the following:

18 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
19 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,  
20 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
21 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$331,121.  
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23 SECTION 12. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FAYETTEVILLE -  
24 NCRC - PRESERVING PREHISTORIC HERITAGE OF SOUTHERN ARKANSAS. There is hereby  
25 appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the Arkansas  
26 Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of  
27 Arkansas the following:

28 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,  
30 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
31 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$31,232.  
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33 SECTION 13. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH -  
34 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
35 Arkansas - Fort Smith, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its  
36 successor fund or fund accounts, for the University of Arkansas - Fort Smith

1 the following:

2 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
3 in Item (B) Section 24 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of constructing and  
4 equipping an Education Building, in a sum not to exceed.....\$3,500,000.

5 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
6 in Item (C) Section 24 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of designing, renovating,  
7 and equipping the Math-Science building, in a sum not to exceed  
8 .....\$3,000,000.

9 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
10 in Item (D) Section 24 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
11 not to exceed.....\$1,320,000.

12 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
13 in Item (E) Section 24 of Act 18 of 2016, for purchase, replacement, and  
14 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
15 .....\$909,520.

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17 SECTION 14. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH -  
18 NCRC - WILHAUF HOUSE RESTORATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
19 University of Arkansas - Fort Smith, to be payable from the Arkansas Natural  
20 and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of Arkansas -  
21 Fort Smith the following:

22 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
23 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,  
24 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
25 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$250,000.

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27 SECTION 15. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - LITTLE ROCK -  
28 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
29 Arkansas at Little Rock, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or  
30 its successor fund or fund accounts, for the University of Arkansas at Little  
31 Rock the following:

32 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
33 in Item (A) Section 16 of Act 18 of 2016, for building infrastructure and  
34 critical maintenance expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$3.

35 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
36 in Item (B) Section 16 of Act 18 of 2016, for Nanotechnology Center expenses,

1 in a sum not to exceed.....\$11,782.

2 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
3 in Item (C) Section 16 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
4 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
5 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to exceed  
6 .....\$283,384.

7 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
8 in Item (D) Section 16 of Act 18 of 2016, for improvements to technology  
9 infrastructure, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,822,188.

10 (E) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
11 in Item (E) Section 16 of Act 18 of 2016, for the costs of improving building  
12 infrastructure and performing critical maintenance, in a sum not to exceed  
13 .....\$3,000,000.

14 (F) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
15 in Item (F) Section 16 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of constructing and  
16 equipping an innovation center, in a sum not to exceed.....\$2,000,000.

17 (G) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
18 in Item (G) Section 16 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
19 not to exceed.....\$4,860,000.

20 (H) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
21 in Item (H) Section 16 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase, replacement, and  
22 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
23 .....\$2,139,365.

24 (I) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
25 in Item (I) Section 16 of Act 18 of 2016, for personal services and operating  
26 expenses, research, and development of viable technologies by the UALR  
27 Nanotechnology Center, in a sum not to exceed.....\$36,372.

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29 SECTION 16. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL  
30 SCIENCES - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the  
31 University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, to be payable from the General  
32 Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the University  
33 of Arkansas for Medical Sciences the following:

34 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
35 in Item (A) Section 18 of Act 18 of 2016, for the development of a  
36 comprehensive Student Information System, in a sum not to exceed

1 .....\$4,635,381.

2 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
3 in Item (B) Section 18 of Act 18 of 2016, for an on-campus expansion of the  
4 Integrated Clinical Information System Platform, in a sum not to exceed  
5 .....\$3,364,619.

6 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
7 in Item (C) Section 18 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
8 not to exceed.....\$9,910,000.

9 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
10 in Item (D) Section 18 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase, replacement, and  
11 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
12 .....\$1,777,240.

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14 SECTION 17. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - MONTICELLO -

15 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
16 Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or  
17 its successor fund or fund accounts, for the University of Arkansas at  
18 Monticello the following:

19 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
20 in Item (A) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for grants to cities, counties,  
21 planning and development districts, and other eligible entities for land  
22 acquisition, improvements, construction, renovation, major maintenance, and  
23 purchase of equipment, industrial site development costs including,  
24 construction, renovation, and equipment acquisition, development of  
25 intermodal facilities, including port and waterway projects, rail spur  
26 construction and road and highway improvements, environmental mitigation  
27 projects, and construction and improvement of water and sewer systems, in a  
28 sum not to exceed.....\$20,500.

29 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
30 in Item (B) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for wireless access point and  
31 controller expenses, in a sum not to exceed.....\$144,000.

32 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
33 in Item (C) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
34 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
35 technology upgrades/equipment and library resources, in a sum not to  
36 exceed.....\$110,666.

1 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
2 in Item (D) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of construction of a new  
3 Math and Science Center, in a sum not to exceed.....\$4,000,000.

4 (E) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
5 in Item (E) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of construction of a  
6 Workforce/Collegiate Center at the Crossett Campus, in a sum not to  
7 exceed.....\$1,000,000.

8 (F) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
9 in Item (F) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of construction of a  
10 General Education Building at the McGehee Campus, in a sum not to  
11 exceed.....\$1,000,000.

12 (G) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
13 in Item (G) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance at the  
14 McGehee Campus, in a sum not to exceed.....\$100,000.

15 (H) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
16 in Item (H) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance at the  
17 Crossett Campus, in a sum not to exceed.....\$80,000.

18 (I) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
19 in Item (I) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of renovation of the  
20 Music Building, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.

21 (J) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
22 in Item (J) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of renovation of the Fine  
23 Arts Building, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.

24 (K) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
25 in Item (K) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for purchase, replacement, and  
26 renewal of equipment and library holdings at the Crossett Campus, in a sum  
27 not to exceed.....\$54,485.

28 (L) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (L) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase, replacement, and  
30 renewal of equipment and library holdings at the McGehee Campus, in a sum not  
31 to exceed.....\$50,175.

32 (M) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
33 in Item (M) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
34 not to exceed.....\$1,480,000.

35 (N) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
36 in Item (N) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase, replacement, and

1 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
2 .....\$382,106.

3 (O) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
4 in Item (O) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
5 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
6 technology upgrades/equipment and furnishings for the UAM - Crossett campus,  
7 in a sum not to exceed.....\$25,000.

8 (P) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
9 in Item (P) Section 19 of Act 18 of 2016, for construction, renovation,  
10 maintenance, critical maintenance, equipment, security enhancements,  
11 technology upgrades/equipment and furnishings for the UAM - McGehee campus,  
12 in a sum not to exceed.....\$25,000.

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14 SECTION 18. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - MONTICELLO -  
15 NCRC - HOLLYWOOD PLANTATION-TAYLOR HOUSE. There is hereby appropriated, to  
16 the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the Arkansas  
17 Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the University of  
18 Arkansas at Monticello the following:

19 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
20 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,  
21 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
22 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$600,000.

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24 SECTION 19. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - PINE BLUFF -  
25 GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of  
26 Arkansas at Pine Bluff, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or  
27 its successor fund or fund accounts, for the University of Arkansas at Pine  
28 Bluff the following:

29 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
30 in Item (B) Section 21 of Act 18 of 2016, for the costs of campus wide  
31 renovations and repairs, in a sum not to exceed.....\$4,000,000.

32 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
33 in Item (C) Section 21 of Act 18 of 2016, for the costs of constructing and  
34 equipping a Nanotechnology/Biotechnology Center, in a sum not to exceed  
35 .....\$1,000,000.

36 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided

1 in Item (D) Section 21 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of construction of a Life  
2 Sciences facility, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.

3 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
4 in Item (E) Section 21 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
5 not to exceed.....\$1,370,000.

6 (E) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
7 in Item (F) Section 21 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase, replacement, and  
8 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
9 .....\$382,673.

10 (F) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
11 in Item (G) Section 21 of Act 18 of 2016, for matching funds for the 1890  
12 Research and Extension Programs, in a sum not to exceed.....\$690,503.

13 (G) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
14 in Item (H) Section 21 of Act 18 of 2016, for matching funds for the 1890  
15 Research and Extension Programs, in a sum not to exceed.....\$700,000.

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

21 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
22 in Item (A) Section 22 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of construction for an  
23 addition to, renovation of, and equipment for the Lewis Science Center, in a  
24 sum not to exceed.....\$3,250,000.

25 (B) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
26 in Item (B) Section 22 of Act 18 of 2016, for the costs of optic fiber  
27 replacement, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,750,000.

28 (C) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (C) Section 22 of Act 18 of 2016, for costs of construction for an  
30 addition to, renovation of, and equipment for the Department of Nursing and  
31 Department of Communication Sciences and Disorders building, in a sum not to  
32 exceed.....\$3,000,000.

33 (D) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
34 in Item (D) Section 22 of Act 18 of 2016, for deferred maintenance, in a sum  
35 not to exceed.....\$3,460,000.

36 (E) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided



1 in Item (E) Section 22 of Act 18 of 2016, for the purchase, replacement, and  
2 renewal of equipment and library holdings, in a sum not to exceed  
3 .....\$1,974,261.  
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5 SECTION 21. REAPPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS - NCRC -  
6 MCALISTER HALL MIRROR ROOM AND VET MEMORIAL GARDEN. There is hereby  
7 appropriated, to the University of Central Arkansas, to be payable from the  
8 Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources Grant and Trust Fund, for the  
9 University of Central Arkansas the following:

10 (A) Effective July 1, 2017, the balance of the appropriation provided  
11 in Item (01) Section 24 of Act 253 of 2016, for acquisition, management,  
12 stewardship or preservation of state owned lands, historic sites, buildings,  
13 structures or objects, in a sum not to exceed.....\$239,690.  
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15 SECTION 22. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor  
16 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects  
17 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available  
18 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and  
19 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and  
20 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or  
21 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State  
22 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects  
23 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds  
24 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General  
25 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall  
26 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

27 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State  
28 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the  
29 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of  
30 this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and  
31 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in  
32 disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided  
33 otherwise by law.  
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35 SECTION 23. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
36 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations

1 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
2 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
3 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
4 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
5 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
6 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.  
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8 SECTION 24. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the  
9 General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits  
10 the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the  
11 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2017 is essential to the operation of  
12 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
13 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the  
14 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2017 could work irreparable harm  
15 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
16 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
17 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health  
18 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2017.  
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