

State of Arkansas  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 338

By: Joint Budget Committee

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL  
IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF  
FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER; AND  
FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND  
ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER  
REAPPROPRIATION.

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

SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - MAJOR MAINTENANCE. There is hereby  
appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing  
Officer, to be payable from the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the  
Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer the following:  
(A) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided  
in Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 45 of 2018, for major maintenance,  
renovation, repair or construction to provide contingency appropriation for  
capital projects, in a sum not to exceed .....\$500,000.

SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - STATE MOTOR VEHICLE ACQUISITION. There is  
hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -  
Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the Development and Enhancement Fund,  
for the Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer the  
following:

(A) Effective July 1, 2019, the balance of the appropriation provided



1 in Item (A) of Section 2 of Act 45 of 2018, for State Motor Vehicle  
2 Acquisition, in a sum not to exceed .....\$15,700,000.  
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4 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor  
5 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects  
6 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available  
7 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and  
8 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and  
9 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or  
10 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State  
11 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects  
12 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds  
13 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General  
14 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall  
15 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

16 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State  
17 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the  
18 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of  
19 this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and  
20 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in  
21 disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided  
22 otherwise by law.  
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24 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
25 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
26 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
27 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
28 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
29 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
30 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
31 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.  
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33 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
34 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
35 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the  
36 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2019 is essential to the operation of

1 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
2 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the  
3 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2019 could work irreparable harm  
4 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
5 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
6 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health  
7 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2019.