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# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1414

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 DEPARTMENT OF  
10 HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING, ADULT, AND  
11 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

14 AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN  
15 SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING, ADULT, AND  
16 BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES  
17 REAPPROPRIATION.  
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21 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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23 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - DIVISION OF AGING, ADULT, AND BEHAVIORAL  
24 HEALTH SERVICES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human  
25 Services, to be payable from the Development and Enhancement Fund, for the  
26 Department of Human Services - Division of Aging, Adult, and Behavioral  
27 Health Services the following:

28 (A) Effective July 1, 2021, the balance of the appropriation provided  
29 in Item (A) of Section 1 of Act 112 of 2020, for replacement of patient  
30 furnishings at the Arkansas State Hospital, in a sum not to exceed ..\$76,000.

31 (B) Effective July 1, 2021, the balance of the appropriation provided  
32 in Item (B) of Section 1 of Act 112 of 2020, for replacement of kitchen  
33 appliances and equipment at the Arkansas State Hospital, in a sum not to  
34 exceed .....\$51,000.

35 (C) Effective July 1, 2021, the balance of the appropriation provided  
36 in Item (C) of Section 1 of Act 112 of 2020, for replacement of exterior



awnings at the Arkansas State Hospital, in a sum not to exceed .....\$50,000.

(D) Effective July 1, 2021, the balance of the appropriation provided in Item (D) of Section 1 of Act 112 of 2020, for replacement of generators and electrical materials and equipment at the Arkansas Health Center, in a sum not to exceed .....\$800,000.

(E) Effective July 1, 2021, the balance of the appropriation provided in Item (E) of Section 1 of Act 112 of 2020, for costs associated with construction, replacement, renovation, upgrade, and addition of a warehouse distribution building for the Arkansas Health Center, in a sum not to exceed .....\$1,500,000.

(F) Effective July 1, 2021, the balance of the appropriation provided in Item (F) of Section 1 of Act 112 of 2020, for replacement of the Arkansas Health Center shuttlebus, in a sum not to exceed .....\$200,000.

SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - DIVISION OF AGING, ADULT, AND BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES - RENOVATION FUND. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services, to be payable from the Department of Human Services Renovation Fund, for the Department of Human Services - Division of Aging, Adult, and Behavioral Health Services the following:

(A) Effective July 1, 2021, the balance of the appropriation provided in Item (A) of Section 2 of Act 112 of 2020, for costs associated with construction, replacement, renovation, upgrade, and addition of a warehouse distribution building for the Arkansas Health Center, in a sum not to exceed .....\$2,000,000.

(B) Effective July 1, 2021, the balance of the appropriation provided in Item (B) of Section 2 of Act 112 of 2020, for repair or replacement of roofs at the Arkansas State Hospital, in a sum not to exceed .....\$1,175,065.

SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects

1 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds  
2 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General  
3 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall  
4 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

5 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State  
6 Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the  
7 Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of  
8 this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and  
9 Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in  
10 disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided  
11 otherwise by law.

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13 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General  
14 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations  
15 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for  
16 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive  
17 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget  
18 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or  
19 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative  
20 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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22 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
23 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
24 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the  
25 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2021 is essential to the operation of  
26 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in  
27 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the  
28 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2021 could work irreparable harm  
29 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental  
30 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act  
31 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health  
32 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2021.