



**STATE OF ARKANSAS**  
ASA HUTCHINSON  
GOVERNOR

March 6, 2018

Senator Larry Teague, Co-Chair  
Representative Lane Jean, Co-Chair  
Joint Budget Committee  
Arkansas General Assembly  
State Capitol Building  
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Co-Chairs:

I respectfully request approval of the Joint Budget Committee, as required by A.C.A. §19-5-1262(c)(2), to transfer from the Rainy Day Fund to the following fund authorized by the General Assembly, the following amount:

Department of Finance and Administration Disbursing Officer

State Drug Crime Enforcement and Prosecution Grant Fund - \$600,000

This release will be used to support the multi-jurisdictional drug crime task forces that investigate and prosecute drug crimes within the State of Arkansas.

I appreciate your consideration in this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Asa Hutchinson", written over a large, stylized initial "A".

Asa Hutchinson

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cc: Larry W. Walther, Director  
Arkansas Department of Finance and Administration