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91st General Assembly  
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# A Bill

SENATE BILL 72

By: Joint Budget Committee

## For An Act To Be Entitled

AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2019; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

## Subtitle

AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO APPROPRIATION FOR THE 2018-2019 FISCAL YEAR.

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

SECTION 1. REGULAR SALARIES - OPERATIONS. There is hereby established for the University of Arkansas at Monticello for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees.

| Item No.   | Title                                  | Maximum No. of Employees | Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2018-2019 |
|--|--|--------------------------|--|
| <u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS</u> |  |                          |  |
| (1)  | Chancellor, U of A Monticello          | 1                        | \$228,150  |
| (2)  | Vice-Chanc. for Acad Affairs & Provost | 1                        | \$158,327  |
| (3)  | Vice-Chanc. for Finance & Admin.       | 1                        | \$152,837  |
| (4)  | V/C Univ. Advanc. & Public Serv.       | 1                        | \$148,247  |
| (5)  | Vice Chanc. for Student Affairs        | 1                        | \$148,247  |



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|------|---|----|------------|
| (6)  | Dean of Schools                             | 7  | \$136,787  |
| (7)  | Director of Information Technology          | 1  | \$114,495  |
| (8)  | Registrar                                   | 1  | \$112,384  |
| (9)  | Director of Physical Plant                  | 1  | \$112,252  |
| (10) | Assoc. Vice-Chanc. for Acad. Affairs        | 2  | \$111,683  |
| (11) | Asst. to the Chancellor                     | 1  | \$111,683  |
| (12) | Assoc. Vice-Chanc. For Finance & Adm        | 2  | \$111,683  |
| (13) | Project/Program Administrator               | 13 |            |
|      | Project/Program Director                    |    | \$106,767  |
|      | Project/Program Manager                     |    | \$96,757   |
|      | Project/Program Specialist                  |    | \$83,481   |
| (14) | Director of University Relations            | 1  | \$104,275  |
| (15) | Director of Institutional Research          | 1  | \$104,274  |
| (16) | Director of Engineering Systems             | 1  | \$101,288  |
| (17) | Director of Adm. & Enrollment Mgmt.         | 1  | \$99,278   |
| (18) | Director of Student Financial Aid           | 1  | \$99,278   |
| (19) | Director of Special Events                  | 1  | \$95,894   |
| (20) | Director of Grants                          | 1  | \$95,894   |
| (21) | Director of Community Education             | 1  | \$95,894   |
| (22) | Director of Alumni Services                 | 1  | \$95,894   |
| (23) | Asst. V-C of Stud. Aff./Dean of Students    | 1  | \$94,279   |
| (24) | Director of Admin. Services                 | 1  | \$91,452   |
| (25) | Director of Distance Learning               | 1  | \$83,953   |
| (26) | Dir. of Recruitment & Orientation           | 1  | \$83,953   |
| (27) | Asst. Dir. Info. Tech. System Mgmt.         | 2  | \$83,953   |
| (28) | Administrator of Grants & Contracts         | 1  | \$83,150   |
| (29) | Dir. of Student Prog & Activities           | 1  | \$79,363   |
| (30) | Dir. Of Academic Advising                   | 1  | \$77,605   |
| (31) | Dir. Of Retention Services                  | 1  | \$77,605   |
| (32) | Director of Disability Services             | 1  | \$77,605   |
| (33) | Academic Advisor                            | 5  | \$60,706   |
|      | <u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u> |    |            |
|      | <u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>                 |    |            |
| (34) | Assistant Controller                        | 1  | GRADE C124 |
| (35) | Systems Analyst                             | 1  | GRADE C122 |
| (36) | Information Technology Manager              | 1  | GRADE C120 |

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|------|-------------------------------|----|------------|
| (37) | Campus Maintenance Supervisor | 2  | GRADE C119 |
| (38) | Computer Support Specialist   | 1  | GRADE C119 |
| (39) | Payroll Services Coordinator  | 1  | GRADE C119 |
| (40) | Procurement Coordinator       | 1  | GRADE C119 |
| (41) | Network Support Analyst       | 1  | GRADE C118 |
| (42) | Fiscal Support Supervisor     | 1  | GRADE C118 |
| (43) | Coord of Sports Information   | 1  | GRADE C117 |
| (44) | Grants Analyst                | 1  | GRADE C117 |
| (45) | HE Public Safety Supervisor   | 1  | GRADE C117 |
| (46) | Human Resources Analyst       | 1  | GRADE C117 |
| (47) | Accountant I                  | 5  | GRADE C116 |
| (48) | Buyer                         | 1  | GRADE C116 |
| (49) | Director of Alumni            | 1  | GRADE C116 |
| (50) | HEI Program Coordinator       | 1  | GRADE C116 |
| (51) | Occupational Safety Coord     | 1  | GRADE C116 |
| (52) | Public Safety Officer         | 7  | GRADE C116 |
| (53) | Skilled Trades Supervisor     | 2  | GRADE C116 |
| (54) | Assistant Registrar           | 1  | GRADE C115 |
| (55) | Computer Support Technician   | 1  | GRADE C115 |
| (56) | Financial Aid Analyst         | 4  | GRADE C115 |
| (57) | Fiscal Support Analyst        | 3  | GRADE C115 |
| (58) | Library Supervisor            | 1  | GRADE C115 |
| (59) | Skilled Tradesman             | 11 | GRADE C115 |
| (60) | Boiler Operator               | 4  | GRADE C114 |
| (61) | Commercial Graphic Artist     | 1  | GRADE C114 |
| (62) | Computer Operator             | 1  | GRADE C114 |
| (63) | Warehouse Manager             | 1  | GRADE C114 |
| (64) | Administrative Support Supv   | 1  | GRADE C113 |
| (65) | Student Recruit Specialist    | 3  | GRADE C113 |
| (66) | Administrative Specialist III | 12 | GRADE C112 |
| (67) | Fiscal Support Specialist     | 4  | GRADE C112 |
| (68) | Special Events Coordinator    | 1  | GRADE C112 |
| (69) | Coordinator of Housekeeping   | 1  | GRADE C111 |
| (70) | Administrative Specialist II  | 16 | GRADE C109 |
| (71) | Heavy Equipment Operator      | 1  | GRADE C109 |
| (72) | Library Technician            | 3  | GRADE C109 |

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|------|-------------------------------|----|------------|
| (73) | Cashier                       | 2  | GRADE C108 |
| (74) | Maintenance Assistant         | 5  | GRADE C108 |
| (75) | Registrars Assistant          | 2  | GRADE C107 |
| (76) | Administrative Specialist I   | 12 | GRADE C106 |
| (77) | HE Public Safety Dispatcher   | 1  | GRADE C106 |
| (78) | Purchasing Assistant          | 1  | GRADE C106 |
| (79) | Warehouse Worker              | 1  | GRADE C106 |
| (80) | Academic Lab Assistant        | 1  | GRADE C105 |
| (81) | Apprentice Tradesman          | 3  | GRADE C105 |
| (82) | Equipment Operator            | 4  | GRADE C105 |
| (83) | Institutional Svcs Supervisor | 2  | GRADE C104 |
| (84) | Institutional Svcs Assistant  | 17 | GRADE C103 |

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
ACADEMIC POSITIONS

|      |                                  |   |           |
|------|----------------------------------|---|-----------|
| (85) | Chair Agri. & Dir. SEREC         | 1 | \$179,868 |
| (86) | Dean, Forest Resources/Dir. AFRC | 1 | \$179,868 |
| (87) | Department Chairperson           | 4 | \$125,948 |
| (88) | Research Associate               | 2 | \$111,752 |
| (89) | Director of Library              | 1 | \$106,770 |
| (90) | Forest Manager                   | 1 | \$96,151  |
| (91) | Assoc. Librarian                 | 1 | \$86,578  |
| (92) | Asst. Librarian                  | 4 | \$76,090  |
| (93) | Learning Skills Specialist       | 1 | \$76,090  |
| (94) | Research Assistant               | 8 | \$66,359  |

NINE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
ACADEMIC POSITIONS

|       |                              |     |           |
|-------|------------------------------|-----|-----------|
| (95)  | Distinguished Professor      | 1   | \$127,282 |
| (96)  | Faculty                      | 140 |           |
|       | Professor                    |     | \$117,732 |
|       | Assoc. Professor             |     | \$104,026 |
|       | Asst. Professor              |     | \$95,807  |
|       | Instructor                   |     | \$79,366  |
| (97)  | Clinical Associate Professor | 2   | \$104,026 |
| (98)  | Clinical Assistant Professor | 2   | \$95,807  |
| (99)  | Clinical Instructor          | 2   | \$79,366  |
| (100) | Lecturer                     | 6   | \$49,230  |

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|-------|--------------------|----|----------|
| (101) | Part-Time Faculty  | 50 | \$44,081 |
| (102) | Graduate Assistant | 38 | \$21,152 |

TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES

NON-CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

|       |                              |   |           |
|-------|------------------------------|---|-----------|
| (103) | Director of Athletics        | 1 | \$125,723 |
| (104) | Head Coach                   | 9 | \$114,869 |
| (105) | Asst. Coach                  | 9 | \$90,298  |
| (106) | Asst Athl Dir for Compliance | 1 | \$90,298  |
| (107) | Head Athletic Trainer        | 1 | \$90,298  |
| (108) | Bookstore Manager            | 1 | \$82,500  |
| (109) | Assistant Athletic Trainer   | 1 | \$38,970  |

TWELVE MONTH AUXILIARY ENTERPRISES

CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

|       |                              |   |            |
|-------|------------------------------|---|------------|
| (110) | Registered Nurse             | 2 | GRADE C120 |
| (111) | UAM Director of Housing      | 1 | GRADE C117 |
| (112) | Asst Bookstore Manager       | 1 | GRADE C112 |
| (113) | Resident Hall Specialist     | 4 | GRADE C111 |
| (114) | Innkeeper Specialist         | 1 | GRADE C109 |
| (115) | Institutional Svcs Assistant | 8 | GRADE C103 |

UAM-COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY - MCGEHEE

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL

ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

|       |                                      |   |           |
|-------|--------------------------------------|---|-----------|
| (116) | Vice-Chancellor - McGehee            | 1 | \$136,787 |
| (117) | Project Coordinator                  | 1 | \$95,894  |
| (118) | Business Development Cntr Coord      | 1 | \$86,424  |
| (119) | Director of Vocational Counseling    | 1 | \$84,688  |
| (120) | Director of Student Progs & Activ.   | 1 | \$79,363  |
| (121) | Coll. of Tech Campus Info Tech Coord | 1 | \$79,060  |

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL

CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

|       |                               |   |            |
|-------|-------------------------------|---|------------|
| (122) | Public Safety Officer         | 1 | GRADE C116 |
| (123) | Maintenance Supervisor        | 1 | GRADE C115 |
| (124) | Computer Operator             | 1 | GRADE C114 |
| (125) | Human Resources Specialist    | 1 | GRADE C113 |
| (126) | Administrative Specialist III | 3 | GRADE C112 |
| (127) | Fiscal Support Specialist     | 1 | GRADE C112 |

|       |                              |   |            |
|-------|------------------------------|---|------------|
| (128) | Administrative Specialist II | 2 | GRADE C109 |
| (129) | Maintenance Assistant        | 2 | GRADE C108 |
| (130) | Child Care Technician        | 5 | GRADE C105 |

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
ACADEMIC POSITIONS

|       |                                  |    |           |
|-------|----------------------------------|----|-----------|
| (131) | Tech. Center Dir. Of Instructors | 1  | \$115,627 |
| (132) | Workforce Ed Instructor          | 23 | \$87,790  |
| (133) | Workforce Ed Part-time Faculty   | 20 | \$42,038  |

UAM-COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY - CROSSETT  
TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

|       |  |   |           |
|-------|--|---|-----------|
| (134) | Vice-Chancellor - Crossett             | 1 | \$136,787 |
| (135) | Project Coordinator                    | 1 | \$95,894  |
| (136) | Business and Industry Coordinator      | 1 | \$86,454  |
| (137) | Director of Vocational Counseling      | 1 | \$84,688  |
| (138) | Dir. of Student Progs & Activities     | 1 | \$79,363  |
| (139) | Coll. of Tech. Campus Info Tech Coord. | 1 | \$79,060  |

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
CLASSIFIED POSITIONS

|       |                               |   |            |
|-------|-------------------------------|---|------------|
| (140) | Public Safety Officer         | 1 | GRADE C116 |
| (141) | Maintenance Supervisor        | 1 | GRADE C115 |
| (142) | Administrative Specialist III | 2 | GRADE C112 |
| (143) | Fiscal Support Specialist     | 2 | GRADE C112 |
| (144) | Administrative Specialist I   | 1 | GRADE C106 |
| (145) | Institutional Svcs Assistant  | 1 | GRADE C103 |

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
ACADEMIC POSITIONS

|       |                                  |    |           |
|-------|----------------------------------|----|-----------|
| (146) | Tech. Center Dir. Of Instructors | 1  | \$115,627 |
| (147) | Workforce Ed Instructor          | 20 | \$87,790  |
| (148) | Workforce Ed Part-time Faculty   | 28 | \$42,038  |

ARKANSAS HEAVY EQUIPMENT OPERATOR  
TRAINING ACADEMY - WARREN CENTER

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL  
ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

|       |                  |   |          |
|-------|------------------|---|----------|
| (149) | Director, AHEOTA | 1 | \$93,378 |
|-------|------------------|---|----------|

TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL

|   |                                |          |            |
|---|--------------------------------|----------|------------|
| <u>CLASSIFIED POSITIONS</u>                 |                                |          |            |
| (150)                                       | Accountant I                   | 1        | GRADE C116 |
| (151)                                       | Administrative Specialist I    | 1        | GRADE C106 |
| <u>TWELVE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u> |                                |          |            |
| <u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>                   |                                |          |            |
| (152)                                       | AHEOTA Coordinator/Recruiter   | 1        | \$71,148   |
| <u>NINE MONTH EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL</u>   |                                |          |            |
| <u>ACADEMIC POSITIONS</u>                   |                                |          |            |
| (153)                                       | Workforce Ed. Instructor       | 2        | \$87,791   |
| (154)                                       | Workforce Ed Part-time Faculty | <u>1</u> | \$42,038   |
|   | MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES          | 653      |            |

SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS - MONTICELLO. There is hereby authorized, for the University of Arkansas at Monticello for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: seven hundred ninety (790) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 3. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS - MCGEHEE. There is hereby authorized, for the University of Arkansas at Monticello - McGehee for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: thirty-six (36) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 4. EXTRA HELP - OPERATIONS - CROSSETT. There is hereby authorized, for the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Crossett for the 2018-2019 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: thirty-six (36) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform

Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification.

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS - MONTICELLO. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the following:

| ITEM<br>NO.                     | FISCAL YEAR<br>2018-2019 |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES           | \$11,820,000             |
| (02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING | 820,000                  |
| (03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION    |                          |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE               | 1,850,551                |
| (B) CONF. & TRAVEL              | 0                        |
| (C) PROF. FEES                  | 0                        |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY                 | 100,000                  |
| (E) DATA PROC.                  | <u>0</u>                 |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED       | <u>\$14,590,551</u>      |

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUNDS - MONTICELLO. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the University of Arkansas at Monticello, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the following:

| ITEM<br>NO.                     | FISCAL YEAR<br>2018-2019 |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES           | \$10,698,960             |
| (02) EXTRA HELP                 | 2,250,000                |
| (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING | 3,080,800                |
| (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION    |                          |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE               | 12,000,000               |
| (B) CONF. & TRAVEL              | 650,000                  |

|   |                            |
|---|----------------------------|
| (C) PROF. FEES                                  | 1,650,000                  |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY                                 | 10,000,000                 |
| (E) DATA PROC.                                  | 0                          |
| (05) CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS                       | 13,082,620                 |
| (06) DEBT SERVICE                               | 1,000,000                  |
| (07) FUND TRANSFERS, REFUNDS AND<br>INVESTMENTS | 700,000                    |
| (08) OVERTIME                                   | <u>50,000</u>              |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED                       | <u><u>\$55,162,380</u></u> |

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS - MCGEHEE. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello - McGehee for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the following:

| ITEM                            | FISCAL YEAR               |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <u>NO.</u>                      | <u>2018-2019</u>          |
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES           | \$1,495,000               |
| (02) EXTRA HELP                 | 330,000                   |
| (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING | 50,000                    |
| (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION    |                           |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE               | 546,139                   |
| (B) CONF. & TRAVEL              | 0                         |
| (C) PROF. FEES                  | 0                         |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY                 | 0                         |
| (E) DATA PROC.                  | <u>0</u>                  |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED       | <u><u>\$2,421,139</u></u> |

SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUNDS - MCGEHEE. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the University of Arkansas at Monticello, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello - McGehee for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the following:

| ITEM                            | FISCAL YEAR               |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <u>NO.</u>                      | <u>2018-2019</u>          |
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES           | \$744,240                 |
| (02) EXTRA HELP                 | 75,000                    |
| (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING | 196,060                   |
| (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION    |                           |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE               | 740,000                   |
| (B) CONF. & TRAVEL              | 25,000                    |
| (C) PROF. FEES                  | 50,000                    |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY                 | 50,000                    |
| (E) DATA PROC.                  | <u>0</u>                  |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED       | <u><u>\$1,880,300</u></u> |

SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS - CROSSETT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from the University of Arkansas at Monticello Fund, for personal services and operating expenses of the University of Arkansas at Monticello - Crossett for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the following:

| ITEM                            | FISCAL YEAR               |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <u>NO.</u>                      | <u>2018-2019</u>          |
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES           | \$1,125,000               |
| (02) EXTRA HELP                 | 320,000                   |
| (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING | 50,000                    |
| (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION    |                           |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE               | 308,064                   |
| (B) CONF. & TRAVEL              | 0                         |
| (C) PROF. FEES                  | 0                         |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY                 | 0                         |
| (E) DATA PROC.                  | <u>0</u>                  |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED       | <u><u>\$1,803,064</u></u> |

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUNDS - CROSSETT. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Monticello, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the University of Arkansas at Monticello, for personal services and operating expenses of the University

of Arkansas at Monticello - Crossett for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2019, the following:

| ITEM<br>NO.                     | FISCAL YEAR<br>2018-2019  |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| (01) REGULAR SALARIES           | \$774,240                 |
| (02) EXTRA HELP                 | 75,000                    |
| (03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING | 258,080                   |
| (04) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION    |                           |
| (A) OPER. EXPENSE               | 725,000                   |
| (B) CONF. & TRAVEL              | 25,000                    |
| (C) PROF. FEES                  | 50,000                    |
| (D) CAP. OUTLAY                 | 50,000                    |
| (E) DATA PROC.                  | 0                         |
| (05) DEBT SERVICE               | <u>50,000</u>             |
| TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED       | <u><u>\$2,007,320</u></u> |

SECTION 11. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary Procedures and Restrictions Act, the Higher Education Expenditures Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

SECTION 13. EFFECTIVE DATE. This act is effective on and after July 1, 2018.