

Stricken language would be deleted from and underlined language would be added to the law as it existed prior to this session of the General Assembly.

1 State of Arkansas  
2 84th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2003  
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*As Engrossed: S3/11/03*  
**A Bill**

SENATE BILL 619

5 By: Senator Bisbee  
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8 **For An Act To Be Entitled**

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION WHICH SHALL BE  
10 SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS  
11 APPROPRIATED BY THE EIGHTY-FOURTH GENERAL  
12 ASSEMBLY FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION  
13 TO PAY SMALL CONTROVERSIAL AND NON-CONTROVERSIAL  
14 CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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17 **Subtitle**

18 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS  
19 COMMISSION - ADDITIONAL APPROVED SMALL  
20 CONTROVERSIAL AND NON-CONTROVERSIAL  
21 CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE SUPPLEMENTAL  
22 APPROPRIATION.  
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25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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27 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - APPROVED CLAIMS. There is hereby appropriated,  
28 to the Arkansas State Claims Commission, to be payable from the Miscellaneous  
29 Revolving Fund, for payment of awards made by the Arkansas State Claims  
30 Commission of the Arkansas State Claims Commission, as provided by law, on  
31 small controversial and non-controversial claims, which shall be supplemental  
32 and in addition to those funds appropriated by the Eighty-Fourth General  
33 Assembly, the following:  
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35 ITEM	FISCAL YEARS
36 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>



1 (01) APPROVED CLAIMS \$ 200,000

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3 SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS. There is  
 4 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Information Systems, to be payable  
 5 from the General Improvement Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against  
 6 the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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8 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
9 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
10 (01) NORTEL NETWORKS	\$ 146,144.86
11 (02) NORTEL NETWORKS	<u>170,579.68</u>
12 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 316,724.54</u>

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14 SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS. There is  
 15 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Information Systems, to be payable  
 16 from the Department of Information Systems Revolving Fund, for the purpose of  
 17 paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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19 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
20 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
21 (01) COMPUWARE CORPORATION	<u>\$ 67,427.29</u>
22 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 67,427.29</u>

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24 SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - CHILDREN AND  
 25 FAMILY SERVICES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human  
 26 Services - Division of Children and Family Services, to be payable from  
 27 paying accounts as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for  
 28 the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set  
 29 out herein:

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31 ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
32 <u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
33 (01) ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	\$ 11,921.01
34 (02) ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	\$ 92,508.91
35 (03) ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	\$ 51,392.57
36 (04) ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	\$ 30,193.03

1	(05) ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	\$ 24,270.95
2	(06) ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	\$ 53,088.41
3	(07) ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	\$ 61,310.76
4	(08) ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	<u>\$ 47,448.14</u>
5	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 372,133.78</u>

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7 SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - DHS - CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES. There is  
8 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of  
9 Children and Family Services, to be payable from the Children and Family  
10 Services Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of  
11 Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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13	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
14	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
15	(01) PINEY RIDGE CENTER, INC.	<u>\$ 18,060</u>
16	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 18,060</u>

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18 SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - COUNTY  
19 OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services  
20 - Division of County Operations, to be payable from federal funds as  
21 designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for the purpose of  
22 paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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24	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
25	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
26	(01) FORT SMITH SCHOOL DISTRICT	<u>\$ 9,750</u>
27	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 9,750</u>

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29 SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF  
30 MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of  
31 Human Services - Division of Mental Health Services, to be payable from  
32 paying accounts as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for  
33 the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set  
34 out herein:

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36	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
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1	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
2	(01) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL SCIENCES	\$ 47,072.56
3	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 47,072.56</u>

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5 SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION - DFA - REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION. There is

6 hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration -

7 Revenue Services Division, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Revolving

8 Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the

9 payee set out herein:

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11	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
12	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
13	(01) OAKWOOD MOBILE HOMES, INC.	\$ 9,153
14	(02) SPRINT PCS	9,572
15	(03) HALIBURTON ENERGY SERVICES, INC.	<u>9,400</u>
16	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 28,125</u>

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18 SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION -

19 REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of

20 Finance and Administration - Revenue Services Division to be payable from the

21 Corporate Income Tax Withholding Fund, for the purpose of paying claims

22 against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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24	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
25	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
26	(01) CAMDEN MEDICAL SUPPLY, INC.	\$ 33,000
27	(02) NATURAL GAS PIPELINE CO. OF AMERICA	60,688
28	(03) PROMETRIC, INC.	30,885
29	(04) GNB INDUSTRIAL BATTERY CO.	17,425
30	(05) CEDENT MOBILITY SERVICES	<u>15,000</u>
31	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 156,998</u>

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33 SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION -

34 REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of

35 Finance and Administration - Revenue Services Division to be payable from the

36 Individual Income Tax Withholding Fund, for the purpose of paying claims

1 against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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3	<i>ITEM</i>	<i>FISCAL YEAR</i>
4	<u><i>NO.</i></u>	<u><i>2002-2003</i></u>

5 (01) NAVISTAR INTERNATIONAL TRANSPORTATION

6 CORP. \$ 32,705.96

7 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$ 32,705.96

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9 SECTION 11. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT  
 10 (AHTD). There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and  
 11 Transportation Department, to be payable from the State Highway and  
 12 Transportation Department Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the  
 13 State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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15	<i>ITEM</i>	<i>FISCAL YEAR</i>
16	<u><i>NO.</i></u>	<u><i>2002-2003</i></u>

17 (01) HARDY CONSTRUCTION COMPANY, INC. \$ 85,916.28

18 (02) GREAT AMERICAN INSURANCE 29,109.88

19 (03) ENTERGY CORPORATION 53,275.12

20 (04) BOBBIE PHIPPS 10,000.00

21 (05) MONICA KING DBA K & K TRUCKING 9,435.80

22 (06) SHELLIE GRICE 19,133.00

23 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$ 206,870.08

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25 SECTION 12. APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH. There is hereby  
 26 appropriated, to the Department of Health, to be payable from the Public  
 27 Health Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas  
 28 to the payee set out herein:

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30	<i>ITEM</i>	<i>FISCAL YEAR</i>
31	<u><i>NO.</i></u>	<u><i>2002-2003</i></u>

32 (01) UAMS ARKANSAS CARES \$ 61,500

33 TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED \$ 61,500

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35 SECTION 13. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE POLICE. There is hereby  
 36 appropriated, to the Department of Arkansas State Police, to be payable from

1 the Department of Arkansas State Police Fund, for the purpose of paying  
 2 claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<i>ITEM</i>	<i>FISCAL YEAR</i>
<u><i>NO.</i></u>	<u><i>2002-2003</i></u>
(01) MILDRED SAXTON	\$ <u>9,415.13</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ <u><u>9,415.13</u></u>

9 SECTION 14. APPROPRIATION - UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL SCIENCES. There  
 10 is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas Medical Sciences, to be  
 11 payable from the University of Arkansas Medical Center Fund, for the purpose  
 12 of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<i>ITEM</i>	<i>FISCAL YEAR</i>
<u><i>NO.</i></u>	<u><i>2002-2003</i></u>
(01) JANET MIMS (ADMINISTRATRIX OF HARRY MIMS)	\$ 175,000
(02) ANNETTE SHELTON	<u>75,000</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ <u><u>250,000</u></u>

20 SECTION 15. APPROPRIATION - TWENTY-SECOND DECENNIAL CENSUS - PAYMENT TO  
 21 THE CITY OF PINE BLUFF. There is hereby appropriated, to the City of Pine  
 22 Bluff, Arkansas, to be payable from the Municipal Aid Fund, for the purpose  
 23 of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<i>ITEM</i>	<i>FISCAL YEAR</i>
<u><i>NO.</i></u>	<u><i>2002-2003</i></u>
(01) CITY OF PINE BLUFF, ARKANSAS	\$ <u>3,994.18</u>
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	\$ <u><u>3,994.18</u></u>

30 SECTION 16. APPROPRIATION - TWENTY-SECOND DECENNIAL CENSUS - PAYMENT TO  
 31 THE CITY OF WEST POINT. There is hereby appropriated, to the City of West  
 32 Point, Arkansas, to be payable from the Municipal Aid Fund, for the purpose  
 33 of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

<i>ITEM</i>	<i>FISCAL YEAR</i>
<u><i>NO.</i></u>	<u><i>2002-2003</i></u>

1	(01) CITY OF WEST POINT, ARKANSAS	\$ 2,968.97
2	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 2,968.97</u>

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4 SECTION 17. APPROPRIATION – TWENTY-SECOND DECENNIAL CENSUS – PAYMENT TO  
 5 THE CITY OF ENGLAND. There is hereby appropriated, to the City of England,  
 6 Arkansas, to be payable from the Municipal Aid Fund, for the purpose of  
 7 paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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9	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
10	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
11	(01) CITY OF ENGLAND, ARKANSAS	\$ 2,064.97
12	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 2,064.97</u>

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14 SECTION 18. APPROPRIATION – TWENTY-SECOND DECENNIAL CENSUS – PAYMENT TO  
 15 THE CITY OF DERMOTT. There is hereby appropriated, to the City of Dermott,  
 16 Arkansas, to be payable from the Municipal Aid Fund, for the purpose of  
 17 paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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19	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
20	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
21	(01) CITY OF DERMOTT, ARKANSAS	\$ 25,473.73
22	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 25,473.73</u>

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24 SECTION 19. APPROPRIATION – TWENTY-SECOND DECENNIAL CENSUS – PAYMENT TO  
 25 THE CITY OF MCNAB. There is hereby appropriated, to the City of McNab,  
 26 Arkansas, to be payable from the Municipal Aid Fund, for the purpose of  
 27 paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

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29	ITEM	FISCAL YEAR
30	<u>NO.</u>	<u>2002-2003</u>
31	(01) CITY OF MCNAB, ARKANSAS	\$ 4,236.68
32	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	<u>\$ 4,236.68</u>

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34 SECTION 20. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized  
 35 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds  
 36 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the

1 restrictions of the State Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and  
2 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
3 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
4 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
5 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
6 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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8 SECTION 21. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General Assembly  
9 that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations contained  
10 in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for which this act  
11 was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive Recommendations  
12 and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget manuals prepared by  
13 the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or summarized oral  
14 testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative Council or  
15 Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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17 SECTION 22. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
18 Assembly, that funds provided by the General Assembly for the operations of  
19 the Arkansas State Claims Commission are, due to unforeseen circumstances,  
20 insufficient for the Arkansas State Claims Commission to continue to provide  
21 essential governmental services; that the provisions of this act will provide  
22 the necessary monies for the Arkansas State Claims Commission to continue  
23 such services; and that a delay in the effective date of this Act could work  
24 irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential  
25 governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist  
26 and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public  
27 peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after the  
28 date of its passage and approval. If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed  
29 by the Governor, it shall become effective on the expiration of the period of  
30 time during which the Governor may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by  
31 the Governor and the veto is overridden, it shall become effective on the  
32 date the last house overrides the veto.

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34 /s/ Bisbee  
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