

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 85th General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 2005

# A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1977

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5 By: Joint Budget Committee  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

9 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR NATIONAL  
10 GUARD ARMORY MAINTENANCE FOR THE STATE MILITARY  
11 DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.  
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## Subtitle

15 AN ACT FOR THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT  
16 - NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY MAINTENANCE  
17 APPROPRIATION.  
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20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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22 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - NATIONAL GUARD ARMORY MAINTENANCE. There is  
23 hereby appropriated, to the State Military Department, to be payable from the  
24 State Military Department Fund Account, for critically needed maintenance for  
25 National Guard Armories statewide of the State Military Department, the sum  
26 of .....\$900,000.  
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28 SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS  
29 CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUND  
30 TRANSFER. Immediately upon the effective date of this Act, the Chief Fiscal  
31 Officer of the State shall transfer on his or her books and those of the  
32 State Treasurer and Auditor of the State the sum of nine hundred thousand  
33 dollars (\$900,000) from the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund to the  
34 State Military Department Fund Account to provide funds for the National  
35 Guard Armory Maintenance appropriation authorized in the Act.  
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1 SECTION 3. COMPLIANCE WITH OTHER LAWS. Disbursement of funds authorized  
 2 by this act shall be limited to the appropriation for such agency and funds  
 3 made available by law for the support of such appropriations; and the  
 4 restrictions of the State Procurement Law, the General Accounting and  
 5 Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue Stabilization Law, the Regular Salary  
 6 Procedures and Restrictions Act, or their successors, and other fiscal  
 7 control laws of this State, where applicable, and regulations promulgated by  
 8 the Department of Finance and Administration, as authorized by law, shall be  
 9 strictly complied with in disbursement of said funds.

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

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 20 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General  
 21 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the  
 22 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the  
 23 effectiveness of this Act on the date of its passage and approval is  
 24 essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this  
 25 Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular  
 26 Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond the date of its  
 27 passage and approval could work irreparable harm upon the proper  
 28 administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore,  
 29 an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the  
 30 immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in  
 31 full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval.  
 32 If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, it shall become  
 33 effective on the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor  
 34 may veto the bill. If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is  
 35 overridden, it shall become effective on the date the last house overrides  
 36 the veto.