

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 86th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2007
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As Engrossed: H2/22/07

A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1515

5 By: Representatives Hall, Flowers, E. Brown, Blount, T. Baker, T. Bradford, Chesterfield, Dickinson,
6 Dunn, L. Evans, George, Harrelson, House, D. Johnson, Moore, Norton, Overbey, Pace, Pierce, Powers,
7 Rainey, Reep, J. Roebuck, Sample, Saunders, Sullivan, Walters, Webb, Wells, *Allen, Davis*
8 By: *Senators Brown, Crumbly, Steele, J. Taylor, Wilkins*
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For An Act To Be Entitled

12 AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ESTABLISHING
13 THE SWEET POTATO FOUNDATION SEED PROGRAM FOR THE
14 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF -
15 AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PROGRAM FOR
16 THE BIENNIAL PERIOD ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR
17 OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

21 AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS
22 AT PINE BLUFF - AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH
23 AND EXTENSION PROGRAM APPROPRIATION FOR
24 THE 2007-2009 BIENNIUM.

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

29 SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - SWEET POTATO FOUNDATION SEED PROGRAM. There is
30 hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, to be
31 payable from the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Fund, for personal
32 services, operating and other expenses associated with establishing the Sweet
33 Potato Foundation Seed Program of the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff -
34 Agriculture Research and Extension Program for the biennial period ending
35 June 30, 2009, the following:
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ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEARS	
	2007-2008	2008-2009
(01) PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING AND OTHER EXPENSES	\$ 200,000	\$ 200,000

SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING USE RESTRICTION. Additional funding provided by the 86th General Assembly shall be used for the Sweet Potato Foundation Seed Program as enumerated in this Act and no funding provided for other institutional appropriations shall be used for the purposes of this Act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2007 through June 30, 2009.

SECTION 3. 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 4. 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 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the

1 appropriation of funds for more than a two (2) year period; that the
2 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2007 is essential to the operation of
3 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
4 the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective
5 date of this Act beyond July 1, 2007 could work irreparable harm upon the
6 proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs.
7 Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being
8 necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and
9 safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2007.

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