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A Bill

HOUSE BILL 1008

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

8 AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL
9 IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS BUILDING
10 AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.
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Subtitle

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13 AN ACT FOR THE ARKANSAS BUILDING
14 AUTHORITY REAPPROPRIATION.
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18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:
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20 SECTION 1. REAPPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND. There is hereby
21 appropriated, to the Arkansas Building Authority, to be payable from the
22 General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the
23 Arkansas Building Authority the following:

24 (A) Effective July 1, 2014, the balance of the appropriation provided
25 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 252 of 2013, for maintenance, renovation,
26 equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair
27 projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, in a sum not to
28 exceed.....\$386,824.

29 (B) Effective July 1, 2014, the balance of the appropriation provided
30 in Item (B) Section 1 of Act 252 of 2013, for maintenance, renovation,
31 equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair
32 projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, in a sum not to
33 exceed.....\$218,000.

34 (C) Effective July 1, 2014, the balance of the appropriation provided
35 in Item (A) Section 1 of Act 268 of 2013, for maintenance, renovation,
36 equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair



1 projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, in a sum not to
2 exceed.....\$40,000,000.

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4 SECTION 2. REAPPROPRIATION - CRITICAL MAINTENANCE. There is hereby
5 appropriated, to the Arkansas Building Authority, to be payable from the
6 Arkansas Building Authority Maintenance Fund, for the Arkansas Building
7 Authority the following:

8 (A) Effective July 1, 2014, the balance of the appropriation provided
9 in Item (A) Section 2 of Act 252 of 2013, for critical maintenance of various
10 state buildings, in a sum not to exceed.....\$1,000,000.

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12 SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
13 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
14 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
15 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
16 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
17 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
18 funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
19 Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
20 enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
21 otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
22 Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
23 not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

24 (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing
25 Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue
26 Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State
27 and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration,
28 as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any
29 funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.

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31 SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
32 Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
33 contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
34 which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
35 Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
36 manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or

1 summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
2 Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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4 SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General
5 Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the
6 appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the
7 effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2014 is essential to the operation of
8 the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in
9 the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the
10 effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2014 could work irreparable harm
11 upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental
12 programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act
13 being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health
14 and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2014.