1 State of Arkansas
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A Bill

SENATE BILL 388

5 By: Senator D. Johnson

For An Act To Be Entitled

8   AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY
9   OF ARKANSAS FOR CLINTON SCHOOL OF PUBLIC SERVICE
10   SCHOLARSHIPS, OPERATIONS AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR
11   OTHER PURPOSES.

Subtitle

15   AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS -
16   CLINTON SCHOOL OF PUBLIC SERVICE
17   SCHOLARSHIPS, OPERATIONS AND EQUIPMENT
18   GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION.

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

23   SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - CLINTON SCHOOL OF PUBLIC SERVICE. There is
24 hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the
25 General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the
26 following:
27   (A) for scholarships, operations, equipment, improvements and
28 renovations for the Clinton School of Public Service, in a sum not to exceed
29 ....$250,000.

31   SECTION 2. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
32 obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
33 described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
34 therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
35 agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
36 donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or

1   funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State

2   Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects

3   enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds

4   otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General

5   Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall

6   not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.

7   (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State

8   Purchasing Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the

9   Revenue Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of

10   this State and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and

11   Administration, as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in

12   disbursement of any funds provided by this act unless specifically provided

13   otherwise by law.

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15   SECTION 3. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General

16   Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations

17   contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for

18   which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive

19   Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget

20   manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or

21   summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative

22   Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.

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24   SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General

25   Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the

26   appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the

27   effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2011 is essential to the operation of

28   the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in

29   the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the

30   effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2011 could work irreparable harm

31   upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental

32   programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act

33   being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health

34   and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2011.

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