Stricken language will be deleted and underlined language will be added. Act 816 of the Regular Session

1 2	State of Arkansas 89th General Assembly	A Bill	
3	Regular Session, 2013		SENATE BILL 473
4	110841411 5 0 5 5 1 5 1 5 1 5		
5	By: Senator Holland		
6	Ž		
7	For An Act To Be Entitled		
8	AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF		
9	HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES		
10	FOR AGING SERVICES GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.		
11			
12			
13		Subtitle	
14	AN	ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN	
15	SE	RVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT	
16	SERVICES - AGING SERVICES GRANTS GENERAL		
17	IM	IPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION.	
18			
19			
20	BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:		
21			
22	SECTION 1. API	PROPRIATION - AGING SERVICES GRANTS. The	re is hereby
23	appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Aging and		
24	Adult Services, to h	be payable from the General Improvement F	und or its
25	successor fund or fu	und accounts, the following:	
26	(A) for a gran	nt to Area Agencies on Aging for construc	tion, renovation,
27	-	nd operating expenses, purchase of equipm	
28		or Citizen Centers, in a sum not to excee	
29		• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	
30	_	s for personal services and operating exp	
31	construction, renovation, and the purchase of equipment to provide various		
32	community-based senior services, including but not limited to, congregate and		
33	home-delivered meals, client representation, information and assistance,		
34	socialization, adult day care and transportation, in a sum not to exceed		
35	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	\$1,000,000.
36			

```
1
           SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS
 2
     CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW.
     Notwithstanding any other rules, regulations or provision of law to the
 3
 4
     contrary the appropriations authorized in this Act shall not be restricted by
 5
     requirements that may be applicable to other programs currently administered.
 6
     New rules and regulations may be adopted to carry out the intent of the
 7
     General Assembly regarding the appropriations authorized in this Act.
 8
9
           SECTION 3. DISBURSEMENT CONTROLS. (A) No contract may be awarded nor
10
     obligations otherwise incurred in relation to the project or projects
11
     described herein in excess of the State Treasury funds actually available
12
     therefor as provided by law. Provided, however, that institutions and
13
     agencies listed herein shall have the authority to accept and use grants and
14
     donations including Federal funds, and to use its unobligated cash income or
15
     funds, or both available to it, for the purpose of supplementing the State
16
     Treasury funds for financing the entire costs of the project or projects
17
     enumerated herein. Provided further, that the appropriations and funds
18
     otherwise provided by the General Assembly for Maintenance and General
19
     Operations of the agency or institutions receiving appropriation herein shall
20
     not be used for any of the purposes as appropriated in this act.
21
     (B) The restrictions of any applicable provisions of the State Purchasing
22
     Law, the General Accounting and Budgetary Procedures Law, the Revenue
23
     Stabilization Law and any other applicable fiscal control laws of this State
24
     and regulations promulgated by the Department of Finance and Administration,
25
     as authorized by law, shall be strictly complied with in disbursement of any
26
     funds provided by this act unless specifically provided otherwise by law.
27
28
           SECTION 4. LEGISLATIVE INTENT. It is the intent of the General
29
     Assembly that any funds disbursed under the authority of the appropriations
30
     contained in this act shall be in compliance with the stated reasons for
31
     which this act was adopted, as evidenced by the Agency Requests, Executive
32
     Recommendations and Legislative Recommendations contained in the budget
33
     manuals prepared by the Department of Finance and Administration, letters, or
34
     summarized oral testimony in the official minutes of the Arkansas Legislative
35
     Council or Joint Budget Committee which relate to its passage and adoption.
```

1	SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General		
2	Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the		
3	appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the		
4	effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2013 is essential to the operation of		
5	the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in		
6	the event of an extension of the legislative session, the delay in the		
7	effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2013 could work irreparable harm		
8	upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental		
9	programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act		
10	being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health		
11	and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2013.		
12			
13			
14	APPROVED: 04/05/2013		
15			
16			
17			
18			
19			
20			
21			
22			
23			
24			
25			
26			
27			
28			
29			
30			
31			
32			
33			
34			
35			
36			