

ENROLLED HOUSE  
BILL NO. 2434

By: Miller and Jones of the  
House

and

Johnson (Mike),  
Crutchfield, Myers and  
Adelson of the Senate

An Act relating to the Scenic Rivers Commission;  
requiring budgeting in certain categories and  
amounts; providing for duties and compensation of  
employees; limiting salary of Administrator;  
providing budgetary limitations; making certain  
employee positions contingent upon receipt of grant  
funds; directing certain transfer; providing lapse  
dates; requiring and prohibiting certain budget  
procedures; providing an effective date; and  
declaring an emergency.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA:

SECTION 1. For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, the Scenic Rivers Commission shall budget all funds in the following categories and amounts:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Appropriation</u>	<u>Total</u>
General Operations	\$345,322.00	\$1,500,000.00

SECTION 2. The duties and compensation of employees, not otherwise prescribed by law, necessary to perform the duties imposed upon the Scenic Rivers Commission by law shall be set by the Administrator of the Scenic Rivers Commission. The salary of the Administrator of the Scenic Rivers Commission shall not exceed Forty-nine Thousand Seventy-eight Dollars (\$49,078.00) per annum,

payable monthly for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009. The Scenic Rivers Commission, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, shall be subject to the following budgetary limitations on full-time-equivalent employees and expenditures excluding expenditures for capital and special projects, except as may be authorized pursuant to the provisions of Section 3603 of Title 74 of the Oklahoma Statutes:

<u>Budgetary Limitation</u>	<u>Amount</u>
Full-time-equivalent Employees, Excluding Seasonal Employees and Project Labor	10.0
Lease-Purchase Agreements	\$0.00

SECTION 3. Of the ten (10.0) full-time-equivalent employee positions authorized in this act, two (2.0) full-time-equivalent employee positions shall be filled contingent upon receipt of grant funds for the purposes set forth in Section 1461 of Title 82 of the Oklahoma Statutes which establishes the Scenic Rivers Commission.

SECTION 4. TRANSFER The Scenic Rivers Commission shall transfer the sum of Three Hundred Forty-five Thousand Three Hundred Twenty-two Dollars (\$345,322.00) from the funds appropriated in Section 129 of Enrolled House Bill Number No. 2276 of the 2nd Session of the 51st Oklahoma Legislature to the Scenic Rivers Commission Revolving Fund for the Illinois River, Flint Creek and Barren Fork Creek established pursuant to Section 1462A of Title 82 of the Oklahoma Statutes, to be expended in accordance with law.

SECTION 5. Appropriations made by Section 129 of Enrolled House Bill No. 2276 of the 2nd Session of the 51st Oklahoma Legislature, not including appropriations made for capital outlay purposes, may be budgeted for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009 (hereafter FY-09) or may be budgeted for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010 (hereafter FY-10). Funds budgeted for FY-09 may be encumbered only through June 30, 2009, and must be expended by November 15, 2009. Any funds remaining after November 15, 2009, and not budgeted for FY-10, shall lapse to the credit of the proper fund for the then current fiscal year. Funds budgeted for FY-10 may be encumbered only through June 30, 2010. Any funds remaining after November 15, 2010, shall lapse to the credit of the proper fund for the then current fiscal year. These appropriations may not be budgeted in both fiscal years simultaneously. Funds budgeted in FY-09, and not

required to pay obligations for that fiscal year, may be budgeted for FY-10, after the agency to which the funds have been appropriated has prepared and submitted a budget work program revision removing these funds from the FY-09 budget work program and after such revision has been approved by the Office of State Finance.

SECTION 6. This act shall become effective July 1, 2008.

SECTION 7. It being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety, an emergency is hereby declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

Passed the House of Representatives the 13th day of May, 2008.

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Presiding Officer of the House of  
Representatives

Passed the Senate the 14th day of May, 2008.

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