By: Senator(s) Butler (36th), Turner-Ford, To: Appropriations Simmons (13th)

SENATE BILL NO. 2463

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION OF CORONAVIRUS STATE FISCAL 2 RECOVERY FUNDS TO ALCORN STATE UNIVERSITY TO DEFRAY EXPENSES FOR 3 EXPANDING THE UNIVERSITY'S FIBER-OPTIC BROADBAND NETWORK FOR FISCAL YEAR 2024.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI: 5

6 SECTION 1. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be

7 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the

Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Fund to Alcorn State University 8

9 to defray expenses for expanding the university's fiber-optic

10 broadband network to provide high-speed connectivity across the

entire Lorman and Natchez campuses for the fiscal year beginning

12 July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024.....\$ 6,000,000.00.

13 SECTION 2. The money appropriated by this act shall be paid

14 by the State Treasurer out of any money in the Coronavirus State

Fiscal Recovery Fund not otherwise appropriated, upon warrants 15

issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal Officer 16

17 shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the proper

18 person, officer or officers in the manner provided by law.

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- 19 **SECTION 3.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 20 and after July 1, 2023.

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