

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

SENATE BILL NO. 2127

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
4 FISCAL YEAR 2023; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
7 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the
8 Coronavirus State Fiscal Recovery Funds to Alcorn State University
9 to defray expenses for expanding the university's fiber-optic
10 broadband network to provide high-speed connectivity across the
11 entire Lorman and Natchez campuses for the fiscal year beginning
12 July 1, 2022, and ending June 30, 2023.....\$ 6,000,000.00.

13 **SECTION 2.** The money herein appropriated shall be paid by
14 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the
15 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon
16 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer, and the State Fiscal
17 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the
18 proper person, officer or officers, in the manner provided by law.



19 **SECTION 3.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
20 and after July 1, 2022.

