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OSAGE NATION CONGRESS

3rd Session of the 1st Congress

BILL NUMBER ONCA 07-49

ENROLLED

September 27, 2007

SPONSOR: Shannon Edwards

CO-SPONSORS: Jerri Jean Branstetter, Mark Freeman, Raymond Red Corn, Eddy Red Eagle Jr., William "Kugee" Supernaw

An Act

To provide an appropriation to the Judicial Branch for Fiscal Year 2008; Declaring an Emergency; and Establishing an Effective Date.

Be it enacted by the Congress of the Osage Nation:

SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE

This Act may be cited as the "Fiscal Year 2008 Judicial Branch Appropriation Act."

SECTION 2. FINDINGS; PURPOSE

- A. The Osage Nation Congress is mandated by the Constitution of the Osage Nation, Article VI, Section 23 to enact, by law, an annual expenditure of funds which shall include an appropriation of operating funds for each branch of the government for each fiscal year.
- B. The Legislation seeks to fulfill the requirements of the Constitution of the Osage Nation regarding annual expenditure of funds for entities, divisions, departments and programs included, effective October 1, 2007 pursuant to Article VI, Section 13 of the Osage Nation Constitution.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION

For the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2007 and ending September 30, 2008, there is appropriated the sum of five hundred and thirty thousand four hundred and sixty dollars (\$530,460) to the Osage Nation Judicial Branch from the General Treasury Fund from the following sources:

47	Federal Funding	\$ 90,548
48	State Funding	\$ 0
49	Co-Op Funding	\$ 0
50	Other Funding	\$ 8,500
51	Tribal Funding	\$431,412
52	Total Funding	\$530,460

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 54 To carry out the responsibilities and duties of the Branch, through its entities,
 55 divisions, departments, and programs in accordance with all authorizing legislation as
 56 follows:

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58	Salaries & Wages	\$ 75,936
59	Fringe Benefits	\$ 30,063
60	Travel	\$ 33,500
61	Supplies	\$ 7,000
62	Other	\$100,000
63	Indirect Costs	\$ 44,961
64	Equipment	\$ 37,000
65	Construction	\$ 0
66	Personnel Contractual	\$202,000
67	Total Expenses	\$530,460

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 69 **SECTION 3. FISCAL YEAR LIMITATIONS – LAPSE DATE**

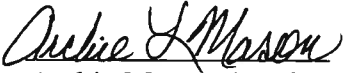
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 71 The appropriations made by this act shall be subject to budgetary limitations and
 72 fiscal year limitations and may be encumbered through September 30, 2008. All funds
 73 appropriated that are unexpended at the end of the term shall lapse and be unencumbered
 74 for future appropriations.

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 76 **SECTION 4. DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY AND EFFECTIVE DATE**

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 78 • An emergency exists. This bill is effective upon signature of the Principal Chief
 79 or upon signature of the Speaker of the Osage Nation Congress following legislative
 80 override.

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 83 ENACTED by the Osage Nation Congress on this 27TH day of September, 2007.

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 86 IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Speaker of the Osage Nation Congress has hereto
 87 attached his signature.

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 91 Archie Mason, Speaker
 92 Osage Nation Congress


CERTIFICATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING IS A TRUE EXTRACT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE Osage Nation Congress comprised of twelve members and one ex-officio member with 12 members attending this meeting on the 25TH day of September, 2007, and that the above is in conformity with the provisions therein adopted by a vote of 10 in favor, 1 against, 0 abstentions, and 1 absent.

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Faren Revard Anderson	yes
Jerri Jean Branstetter	yes
Shannon Edwards	absent
Mark Freeman	yes
Debra Littleton	yes
Archie Mason	yes
Raymond Red Corn	yes
Eddy Red Eagle, Jr.	yes
Doug Revard	yes
Anthony Shackelford	yes
Mark Simms	no
William Supernaw	yes

Said Bill has not been rescinded or amended in any way and the above is the signature of the Speaker of the Osage Nation Congress.


Alexis Rencountre, Clerk
Osage Nation Congress

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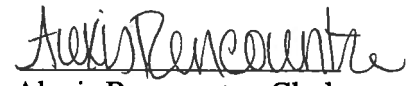
EFFECTIVE DATE CERTIFICATION

I, THE UNDERSIGNED, CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING EFFECTIVE DATE was approved by a two-thirds vote of the Osage Nation Congress in accordance with the Constitution of the Osage Nation Article VI, Section 13. This provision was adopted by a vote of 11 in favor, 0 against, 0 abstentions, and 1 absent.

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Eddy Red Eagle, Jr.	yes
Doug Revard	yes
Anthony Shackelford	yes

139 Mark Simms yes
140 William Supernaw yes


Alexis Rencountre, Clerk
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147 **APPROVAL**

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149 I, the Principal Chief of the Osage Nation, hereby affix my signature this 2nd day of
150 October, 2007, to the above Bill No. ONCA 07-49 authorizing it to become a law
151 under the Constitution of the Osage Nation.

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Jim R. Gray, Principal Chief
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