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Introduced by
Senators Fernandez: Alston, Diaz, Gabaldón, Hatathlie, Sundareshan

AN ACT

APPROPRIATING MONIES TO YUMA/LA PAZ COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Appropriations; Yuma/La Paz community college
3 district; exemption

4 A. The following sums are appropriated from the state general fund
5 in fiscal year 2024-2025 to the Yuma/La Paz community college district for
6 the following purposes:

7 1. \$3,000,000 to modernize the fire academy program to serve the
8 communities of San Luis, Somerton and Parker.

9 2. \$2,000,000 to create a hydrogen fuel, electric vehicle and
10 hybrid curriculum for automotive education.

11 3. \$1,500,000 to start a commercial driver's license program to
12 support the Marine Corps air station Yuma and the Yuma proving grounds.

13 4. \$2,250,000 to establish a new heating, ventilation and air
14 conditioning skills training program for incarcerated individuals.

15 5. \$500,000 to support apprenticeship programs in targeted
16 industries facing skilled worker shortages.

17 B. The appropriations made in subsection A of this section are
18 exempt from the provisions of section 35-190, Arizona Revised Statutes,
19 relating to lapsing of appropriations.