## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

No. 1406 Session of 2017

INTRODUCED BY COX, PETRARCA, DRISCOLL, FRANKEL, GODSHALL, HILL-EVANS, JAMES, MILLARD, O'BRIEN, ROEBUCK, SCHLOSSBERG AND WATSON, MAY 19, 2017

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, MAY 19, 2017

## AN ACT

Amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), entitled "An act relating to tax reform and State taxation by codifying 1 2 and enumerating certain subjects of taxation and imposing 3 taxes thereon; providing procedures for the payment, collection, administration and enforcement thereof; providing 5 for tax credits in certain cases; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue, certain 7 employers, fiduciaries, individuals, persons, corporations 8 and other entities; prescribing crimes, offenses and penalties," in personal income tax, repealing provisions 10 relating to contribution for Korea/Vietnam Memorial National 11 Education Center and further providing for operational 12 13 provisions. 14 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 15 hereby enacts as follows: 16 Section 1. Section 315.6 of the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, 17 No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, is repealed: [Section 315.6. Contribution for Korea/Vietnam Memorial 18 19 National Education Center. -- (a) For tax years 1997, 1998, 1999, 20 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004, the department shall provide a 21 space on the face of the Pennsylvania individual income tax 22 return form whereby an individual may voluntarily designate a 23 contribution of any amount from the individual's tax refund to

- 1 the Korea/Vietnam Memorial National Education Center.
- 2 (b) The amount designated by an individual on the
- 3 Pennsylvania individual income tax return form shall be deducted
- 4 from the tax refund to which the individual is entitled and
- 5 shall not constitute a charge against the income tax revenues
- 6 due the Commonwealth.
- 7 (c) The department shall determine annually the total amount
- 8 designated by individual taxpayers under this section and shall
- 9 report the amount to the State Treasurer, who shall prepare the
- 10 appropriate documentation and transfer the designated amount
- 11 from the General Fund to the Korea/Vietnam Memorial National
- 12 Education Center.
- 13 (d) The department shall provide adequate information
- 14 regarding the center and its purposes in its instructions for
- 15 tax years 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004
- 16 which accompany Pennsylvania individual income tax return forms
- 17 to include the address of the Korea/Vietnam Memorial National
- 18 Education Center to which contributions may be sent by taxpayers
- 19 who wish to make additional contributions to the center.
- 20 (e) On or before March 31 of each year, the Korea/Vietnam
- 21 Memorial National Education Center shall submit a report
- 22 detailing contributions received and activities undertaken
- 23 during the prior calendar year to the Military and Veterans'
- 24 Affairs Committee of the Senate and the Veterans Affairs and
- 25 Emergency Preparedness Committee of the House of
- 26 Representatives.
- 27 (f) This section shall expire December 31, 2005.]
- 28 Section 2. Section 315.9(c) of the act is amended to read:
- 29 Section 315.9. Operational Provisions.--
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- 1 (c) Sections 315.3[, 315.4] and 315.8 shall expire January
- 2 1, 2018.
- 3 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.