THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, FEBRUARY 5, 2024

AN ACT

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14	Amending the act of March 3, 1978 (P.L.6, No.3), entitled "An act to promote the general welfare and stimulate the economy of the Commonwealth by requiring that all public bodies, including the Commonwealth, its political subdivisions, and all authorities, include in all contracts for construction, reconstruction, alteration, repair, improvement or maintenance of improvements of a permanent or temporary nature, a provision that if any steel products are to be used in the performance of the contract only steel products produced in the United States shall be used, and imposing liability for violation of this act," further providing for contracts for public works to use or supply steel products and for restrictions on payments by public agencies under certain circumstances.
15	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
16	hereby enacts as follows:
17	Section 1. Sections 4 and 5 of the act of March 3, 1978
18	(P.L.6, No.3), known as the Steel Products Procurement Act, are
19	amended by adding subsections to read:
20	Section 4. * * *
21	(a.1) Any person initiating a project involving
22	construction, reconstruction, alteration, repair, improvement or
23	maintenance for which the person has received or will receive

1	public funding or tax incentives from a public agency, shall use
2	steel products as herein defined if any steel products are to be
3	used or supplied in the completion of the project. This
4	subsection shall apply to any subcontracts thereunder.
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6	Section 5. * * *
7	(a.1) No public agency shall authorize, provide for or make
8	any payments to any person of public funds, grants, tax credits
9	or other tax incentives from a public agency unless, when
10	unidentified steel products are supplied, such person has
11	provided documentation, including, but not limited to, invoices,
12	bills of lading and mill certification that the steel was melted
13	and manufactured in the United States, which establishes that
14	such person has fully complied with such provision. If a steel
15	product is identifiable from its face, such person must submit
16	certification which satisfies the public agency that such person
17	has fully complied with the provision required under section 4.
18	Any such payments made to any person by any public agency which
19	should not have been made as a result of this section shall be
20	recoverable directly from the contractor, subcontractor,
21	manufacturer or supplier who did not comply with section 4 by
22	either such public agency or the Attorney General of
23	<u>Pennsylvania.</u>
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25	Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.

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