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SENATOR CORMAN, APPROPRIATIONS, IN SENATE, RE-REPORTED AS
AMENDED, JUNE 30, 2014

AN ACT

1 ~~Amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.343, No.176), entitled, <--~~
2 ~~as amended, "An act relating to the finances of the State~~
3 ~~government; providing for the settlement, assessment,~~
4 ~~collection, and lien of taxes, bonus, and all other accounts~~
5 ~~due the Commonwealth, the collection and recovery of fees and~~
6 ~~other money or property due or belonging to the Commonwealth,~~
7 ~~or any agency thereof, including escheated property and the~~
8 ~~proceeds of its sale, the custody and disbursement or other~~
9 ~~disposition of funds and securities belonging to or in the~~
10 ~~possession of the Commonwealth, and the settlement of claims~~
11 ~~against the Commonwealth, the resettlement of accounts and~~
12 ~~appeals to the courts, refunds of moneys erroneously paid to~~
13 ~~the Commonwealth, auditing the accounts of the Commonwealth~~
14 ~~and all agencies thereof, of all public officers collecting~~
15 ~~moneys payable to the Commonwealth, or any agency thereof,~~
16 ~~and all receipts of appropriations from the Commonwealth,~~
17 ~~authorizing the Commonwealth to issue tax anticipation notes~~
18 ~~to defray current expenses, implementing the provisions of~~
19 ~~section 7(a) of Article VIII of the Constitution of~~
20 ~~Pennsylvania authorizing and restricting the incurring of~~
21 ~~certain debt and imposing penalties; affecting every~~
22 ~~department, board, commission, and officer of the State~~
23 ~~government, every political subdivision of the State, and~~
24 ~~certain officers of such subdivisions, every person,~~
25 ~~association, and corporation required to pay, assess, or~~
26 ~~collect taxes, or to make returns or reports under the laws~~
27 ~~imposing taxes for State purposes, or to pay license fees or~~
28 ~~other moneys to the Commonwealth, or any agency thereof,~~
29 ~~every State depository and every debtor or creditor of the~~
30 ~~Commonwealth," further providing, in general budget~~

1 ~~implementation, for the Department of Public Welfare.~~ <--
2 AMENDING THE ACT OF APRIL 9, 1929 (P.L.343, NO.176), ENTITLED,
3 AS AMENDED, "AN ACT RELATING TO THE FINANCES OF THE STATE
4 GOVERNMENT; PROVIDING FOR THE SETTLEMENT, ASSESSMENT,
5 COLLECTION, AND LIEN OF TAXES, BONUS, AND ALL OTHER ACCOUNTS
6 DUE THE COMMONWEALTH, THE COLLECTION AND RECOVERY OF FEES AND
7 OTHER MONEY OR PROPERTY DUE OR BELONGING TO THE COMMONWEALTH,
8 OR ANY AGENCY THEREOF, INCLUDING ESCHEATED PROPERTY AND THE
9 PROCEEDS OF ITS SALE, THE CUSTODY AND DISBURSEMENT OR OTHER
10 DISPOSITION OF FUNDS AND SECURITIES BELONGING TO OR IN THE
11 POSSESSION OF THE COMMONWEALTH, AND THE SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS
12 AGAINST THE COMMONWEALTH, THE RESETTLEMENT OF ACCOUNTS AND
13 APPEALS TO THE COURTS, REFUNDS OF MONEYS ERRONEOUSLY PAID TO
14 THE COMMONWEALTH, AUDITING THE ACCOUNTS OF THE COMMONWEALTH
15 AND ALL AGENCIES THEREOF, OF ALL PUBLIC OFFICERS COLLECTING
16 MONEYS PAYABLE TO THE COMMONWEALTH, OR ANY AGENCY THEREOF,
17 AND ALL RECEIPTS OF APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE COMMONWEALTH,
18 AUTHORIZING THE COMMONWEALTH TO ISSUE TAX ANTICIPATION NOTES
19 TO DEFRAY CURRENT EXPENSES, IMPLEMENTING THE PROVISIONS OF
20 SECTION 7 (A) OF ARTICLE VIII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF
21 PENNSYLVANIA AUTHORIZING AND RESTRICTING THE INCURRING OF
22 CERTAIN DEBT AND IMPOSING PENALTIES; AFFECTING EVERY
23 DEPARTMENT, BOARD, COMMISSION, AND OFFICER OF THE STATE
24 GOVERNMENT, EVERY POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE, AND
25 CERTAIN OFFICERS OF SUCH SUBDIVISIONS, EVERY PERSON,
26 ASSOCIATION, AND CORPORATION REQUIRED TO PAY, ASSESS, OR
27 COLLECT TAXES, OR TO MAKE RETURNS OR REPORTS UNDER THE LAWS
28 IMPOSING TAXES FOR STATE PURPOSES, OR TO PAY LICENSE FEES OR
29 OTHER MONEYS TO THE COMMONWEALTH, OR ANY AGENCY THEREOF,
30 EVERY STATE DEPOSITORY AND EVERY DEBTOR OR CREDITOR OF THE
31 COMMONWEALTH," IN DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, PROVIDING FOR BANK
32 SHARES TAX SURCHARGE; IN TREASURY DEPARTMENT, FURTHER
33 PROVIDING FOR INVESTMENT OF MONEY; IN RESETTLEMENT OF
34 ACCOUNTS, REVIEW AND APPEAL, PROVIDING FOR EXCLUSIVE APPEAL
35 PROCEDURE FOR SHARES TAXES; IN DISPOSITION OF ABANDONED AND
36 UNCLAIMED PROPERTY, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR DEFINITIONS, FOR
37 PROPERTY HELD BY FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS, FOR PROPERTY HELD BY
38 INSURERS, FOR PROPERTY HELD BY UTILITIES, FOR PROPERTY HELD
39 BY BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS, FOR PROPERTY HELD BY FIDUCIARIES,
40 FOR PROPERTY HELD BY COURTS AND PUBLIC OFFICERS AND AGENCIES,
41 FOR MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY HELD FOR OR OWING TO ANOTHER AND
42 FOR REPORT OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO CUSTODY AND CONTROL OF THE
43 COMMONWEALTH, PROVIDING FOR CERTIFICATE OF FINDER
44 REGISTRATION, FOR REVOCATION OF FINDER REGISTRATION AND FOR
45 APPEALS, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR EXAMINATION OF RECORDS, FOR
46 PROCEEDING TO COMPEL REPORTING OR DELIVERY AND FOR PENALTIES,
47 AND PROVIDING FOR RELATION TO ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES IN GLOBAL
48 AND NATIONAL COMMERCE ACT; IN INQUISITORIAL POWERS OF FISCAL
49 OFFICERS, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR EXAMINATION AND ADJUSTMENT OF
50 PUBLIC ACCOUNTS AND THE COLLECTION OF AMOUNTS DUE THE
51 COMMONWEALTH; IN OIL AND GAS WELLS, PROVIDING FOR LEGISLATIVE
52 FINDINGS AND FURTHER PROVIDING FOR APPROPRIATION, FOR THE
53 DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES AND FOR
54 ADDITIONAL TRANSFERS; IN SPECIAL FUNDS, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR
55 FUNDING, ESTABLISHING THE H2O PA ACCOUNT, AND PROVIDING FOR
56 OTHER GRANTS; IN ADDITIONAL SPECIAL FUNDS, FURTHER PROVIDING
57 FOR USE OF FUND, PROVIDING FOR TERMINATION, FOR TRANSFER TO
58 PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM, AND FURTHER
59 PROVIDING FOR DISTRIBUTIONS FROM PENNSYLVANIA RACE HORSE
60 DEVELOPMENT FUND; IN GENERAL BUDGET IMPLEMENTATION, FURTHER

1 PROVIDING FOR DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC
2 DEVELOPMENT AND PROVIDING FOR ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD;
3 FURTHER PROVIDING FOR STATE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION;
4 PROVIDING FOR SURCHARGES AND FOR OTHER AGENCIES; PROVIDING
5 FOR RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE FOR UNDERSERVED COUNTIES, FOR
6 2014-2015 BUDGET IMPLEMENTATION AND FOR 2014-2015
7 RESTRICTIONS ON APPROPRIATIONS FOR FUNDS AND ACCOUNTS; AND
8 MAKING RELATED REPEALS.

9 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
10 hereby enacts as follows:

11 ~~Section 1. Section 1729 E of the act of April 9, 1929~~ <--
12 ~~(P.L.343, No.176), known as The Fiscal Code, amended or added~~
13 ~~July 17, 2007 (P.L.141, No.42) and July 2, 2012 (P.L.823,~~
14 ~~No.87), is amended to read:~~

15 ~~Section 1729 E. Department of Public Welfare.~~

16 ~~The following shall apply to appropriations for the~~
17 ~~Department of Public Welfare:~~

18 ~~(1) Any rule, regulation or policy for the Federal or~~
19 ~~State appropriations for the cash assistance, outpatient,~~
20 ~~inpatient, capitation, behavioral health, long term care and~~
21 ~~Supplemental Grants to the Aged, Blind and Disabled, Child~~
22 ~~Care and Attendant Care programs adopted by the Secretary of~~
23 ~~Public Welfare during the fiscal year which adds to the cost~~
24 ~~of any public assistance program shall be effective only from~~
25 ~~and after the date upon which it is approved as to the~~
26 ~~availability of funds by the Governor.~~

27 ~~(2) Federal and State medical assistance payments. The~~
28 ~~following shall apply:~~

29 ~~(i) No funds appropriated for approved capitation~~
30 ~~plans shall be used to pay a provider who fails to supply~~
31 ~~information in a form required by the department in order~~
32 ~~to facilitate claims for Federal financial participation~~
33 ~~for services rendered to general assistance clients.~~

34 ~~(ii) (Reserved).~~

1 ~~(iii) (Reserved).~~

2 ~~(iv) (Reserved).~~

3 ~~(v) (Reserved).~~

4 ~~(vi) [(Reserved).]~~

5 ~~(A) The department shall reimburse a "critical~~
6 ~~access hospital," as defined in section 1861(mm)(1)~~
7 ~~of the Social Security Act (49 Stat. 620, 42 U.S.C. §~~
8 ~~1395x(mm)(1)), which is qualified to participate~~
9 ~~under Title XIX of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.~~
10 ~~§ 1396 et seq.) at 101% of medical assistance~~
11 ~~allowable costs for:~~

12 ~~(I) "inpatient critical access hospital~~
13 ~~services," as defined in section 1861(mm)(2) of~~
14 ~~the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1395x(mm)(2)),~~
15 ~~provided to a medical assistance recipient; and~~

16 ~~(II) "outpatient critical access hospital~~
17 ~~services," as defined in section 1861(mm)(3) of~~
18 ~~the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. § 1395x(mm)~~
19 ~~(3)), provided to a medical assistance recipient.~~

20 ~~(B) The payments to the critical access~~
21 ~~hospitals shall be the sum of the difference between~~
22 ~~101% of medical assistance allowable cost and medical~~
23 ~~assistance payments received toward those costs as~~
24 ~~calculated for each critical access hospital, in the~~
25 ~~most recent year for which complete data is~~
26 ~~available.~~

27 ~~(vii) The following shall apply to eligibility~~
28 ~~determinations for services under medical assistance:~~

29 ~~(A) Unless the custodial parent or legally~~
30 ~~responsible adult has provided to the department, at~~

1 ~~application or redetermination, information required~~
2 ~~by the department for inclusion in the annual report~~
3 ~~under clause (B), no funds from an appropriation for~~
4 ~~medical assistance shall be used to pay for medical~~
5 ~~assistance services for a child under 21 years of~~
6 ~~age:~~

7 ~~(I) who has a Supplemental Security Income~~
8 ~~(SSI) level of disability; and~~

9 ~~(II) whose parental income is not currently~~
10 ~~considered in the eligibility determination~~
11 ~~process.~~

12 ~~(B) The department shall submit to the Public~~
13 ~~Health and Welfare Committee of the Senate and the~~
14 ~~Health and Human Services Committee of the House of~~
15 ~~Representatives an annual report including the~~
16 ~~following data:~~

17 ~~(I) Family size.~~

18 ~~(II) Household income.~~

19 ~~(III) County of residence.~~

20 ~~(IV) Length of residence in this~~
21 ~~Commonwealth.~~

22 ~~(V) Third party insurance information.~~

23 ~~(VI) Diagnosis and type and cost of services~~
24 ~~paid for by the medical assistance program on~~
25 ~~behalf of each eligible and enrolled child~~
26 ~~described in clause (A).~~

27 ~~Section 2. The amendment of section 1729 E of the act shall~~
28 ~~apply to fiscal years beginning after June 30, 2013.~~

29 ~~Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.~~

30 SECTION 1. THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS AND DECLARES AS

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1 FOLLOWS:

2 (1) THE INTENT OF THIS ACT IS TO PROVIDE FOR THE
3 IMPLEMENTATION OF THE 2014-2015 COMMONWEALTH BUDGET.

4 (2) THE CONSTITUTION OF PENNSYLVANIA CONFERS NUMEROUS
5 EXPRESS DUTIES UPON THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, INCLUDING THE
6 PASSAGE OF A BALANCED BUDGET FOR THE COMMONWEALTH.

7 (3) SECTION 24 OF ARTICLE III OF THE CONSTITUTION OF
8 PENNSYLVANIA REQUIRES THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ADOPT ALL
9 APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE OPERATION OF GOVERNMENT IN THE
10 COMMONWEALTH, REGARDLESS OF THEIR SOURCE. THE SUPREME COURT
11 HAS REPEATEDLY AFFIRMED THAT, "IT IS FUNDAMENTAL WITHIN
12 PENNSYLVANIA'S TRIPARTITE SYSTEM THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
13 ENACTS THE LEGISLATION ESTABLISHING THOSE PROGRAMS WHICH THE
14 STATE PROVIDES FOR ITS CITIZENS AND APPROPRIATES THE FUNDS
15 NECESSARY FOR THEIR OPERATION."

16 (4) PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OF ARTICLE VIII OF THE
17 CONSTITUTION OF PENNSYLVANIA, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS
18 EXPLICITLY REQUIRED TO ADOPT A BALANCED COMMONWEALTH BUDGET.
19 GIVEN THE UNPREDICTABILITY AND POTENTIAL INSUFFICIENCY OF
20 REVENUE COLLECTIONS, VARIOUS CHANGES IN STATE LAW RELATING TO
21 SOURCES OF REVENUE, THE COLLECTION OF REVENUE AND THE
22 IMPLEMENTATION OF STATUTES WHICH IMPACT REVENUE MAY BE
23 REQUIRED TO DISCHARGE THIS CONSTITUTIONAL OBLIGATION.

24 (5) SECTION 11 OF ARTICLE III OF THE CONSTITUTION OF
25 PENNSYLVANIA REQUIRES THE ADOPTION OF A GENERAL APPROPRIATION
26 BILL THAT EMBRACES "NOTHING BUT APPROPRIATIONS." WHILE ACTUAL
27 APPROPRIATIONS CAN BE CONTAINED IN A GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS
28 ACT, THE ACHIEVEMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A COMPREHENSIVE
29 BUDGET INVOLVES MORE THAN APPROPRIATIONS. ULTIMATELY, THE
30 BUDGET HAS TO BE BALANCED UNDER SECTION 13 OF ARTICLE VIII OF

1 THE CONSTITUTION OF PENNSYLVANIA. THIS MAY NECESSITATE
2 CHANGES TO SOURCES OF FUNDING AND ENACTMENT OF STATUTES TO
3 ACHIEVE FULL COMPLIANCE WITH THESE CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS.

4 (6) FOR THE REASONS SET FORTH IN PARAGRAPHS (1), (2),
5 (3), (4) AND (5), IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
6 THROUGH THIS ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE
7 2014-2015 COMMONWEALTH BUDGET.

8 (7) EVERY PROVISION OF THIS ACT RELATES TO THE
9 IMPLEMENTATION OF THE OPERATING BUDGET OF THE COMMONWEALTH
10 FOR THIS FISCAL YEAR, ADDRESSING IN VARIOUS WAYS THE FISCAL
11 OPERATIONS, REVENUES AND POTENTIAL LIABILITIES OF THE
12 COMMONWEALTH. TO THAT END, THIS ACT PLACES CONDITIONS ON
13 APPROPRIATIONS, PROVIDES FOR ACCOUNTABILITY FOR SPENDING AND
14 MAKES ANY NECESSARY TRANSFERS OR OTHER CHANGES NECESSARY TO
15 IMPACT THE AVAILABILITY OF REVENUE OR THE FISCAL CONDITIONS
16 OF THE COMMONWEALTH, IN ORDER TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS OF
17 SECTION 13 OF ARTICLE VIII OF THE CONSTITUTION OF
18 PENNSYLVANIA AND TO IMPLEMENT THE ACT OF _____, 2014
19 (P.L. _____, NO. A), KNOWN AS THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT OF
20 2014.

21 SECTION 1.1. THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING A SECTION TO READ:

22 SECTION 215. POWER AND DUTY OF DEPARTMENT; BANK SHARES TAX
23 SURCHARGE; TEMPORARY REGULATIONS.--(A) IT IS THE INTENTION OF
24 THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT THE RESTRUCTURING OF THE BANK SHARES
25 TAX ENACTED BY THE ACT OF JULY 9, 2013 (P.L.270, NO.52),
26 ENTITLED "AN ACT AMENDING THE ACT OF MARCH 4, 1971 (P.L.6,
27 NO.2), ENTITLED 'AN ACT RELATING TO TAX REFORM AND STATE
28 TAXATION BY CODIFYING AND ENUMERATING CERTAIN SUBJECTS OF
29 TAXATION AND IMPOSING TAXES THEREON; PROVIDING PROCEDURES FOR
30 THE PAYMENT, COLLECTION, ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT THEREOF;

1 PROVIDING FOR TAX CREDITS IN CERTAIN CASES; CONFERRING POWERS
2 AND IMPOSING DUTIES UPON THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE, CERTAIN
3 EMPLOYERS, FIDUCIARIES, INDIVIDUALS, PERSONS, CORPORATIONS AND
4 OTHER ENTITIES; PRESCRIBING CRIMES, OFFENSES AND PENALTIES,' IN
5 TAX FOR EDUCATION, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR DEFINITIONS, FOR
6 EXCLUSIONS FROM TAX, FOR CREDIT AGAINST TAX, FOR LICENSES AND
7 FOR LOCAL RECEIVERS OF USE TAX; PROVIDING FOR REMOTE SALES
8 REPORTS; PROVIDING FOR SPECIAL TAXING AUTHORITY; IN PERSONAL
9 INCOME TAX, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR DEFINITIONS, FOR CLASSES OF
10 INCOME AND FOR TAXABILITY OF PARTNERS; PROVIDING FOR TAX
11 TREATMENT DETERMINED AT PARTNERSHIP LEVEL AND FOR TAX IMPOSED AT
12 PARTNERSHIP LEVEL; FURTHER PROVIDING FOR INCOME OF A
13 PENNSYLVANIA S CORPORATION, FOR INCOME TAXES IMPOSED BY OTHER
14 STATES AND FOR OPERATIONAL PROVISIONS; PROVIDING FOR
15 CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE CHILDREN'S TRUST FUND AND FOR
16 CONTRIBUTIONS FOR AMERICAN RED CROSS; FURTHER PROVIDING FOR
17 GENERAL RULE, FOR RETURN OF PENNSYLVANIA S CORPORATION, FOR
18 REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING RETURNS, NOTICES, RECORDS AND STATEMENTS
19 AND FOR ADDITIONS, PENALTIES AND FEES; PROVIDING FOR CITATION
20 AUTHORITY; IN CORPORATE NET INCOME TAX, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR
21 DEFINITIONS AND FOR REPORTS AND PAYMENT OF TAX; IN CAPITAL STOCK
22 AND FRANCHISE TAX, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR IMPOSITION AND FOR
23 EXPIRATION; IN BANK AND TRUST COMPANY SHARES TAX, FURTHER
24 PROVIDING FOR IMPOSITION OF TAX, FOR ASCERTAINMENT OF TAXABLE
25 AMOUNT AND EXCLUSION OF UNITED STATES OBLIGATIONS, FOR
26 APPORTIONMENT AND FOR DEFINITIONS; IN REALTY TRANSFER TAX,
27 FURTHER PROVIDING FOR DEFINITIONS, FOR IMPOSITION OF TAX, FOR
28 EXCLUDED TRANSACTIONS AND FOR ACQUIRED COMPANY; PROVIDING FOR
29 NONLICENSED CORPORATION PARI-MUTUEL WAGERING TAX; IN FILM
30 PRODUCTION TAX CREDIT, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR DEFINITIONS, FOR

1 CREDIT FOR QUALIFIED FILM PRODUCTION EXPENSES AND FOR CARRYOVER,
2 CARRYBACK AND ASSIGNMENT OF CREDIT; IN EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY
3 SCHOLARSHIP TAX CREDIT, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR SCHOLARSHIPS;
4 REPEALING PROVISIONS RELATING TO COAL WASTE REMOVAL AND
5 ULTRACLEAN FUELS TAX CREDIT; IN JOB CREATION TAX CREDIT, FURTHER
6 PROVIDING FOR TAX CREDITS; MAKING AN EDITORIAL CHANGE; PROVIDING
7 FOR CITY REVITALIZATION AND IMPROVEMENT ZONES, FOR MOBILE
8 TELECOMMUNICATIONS BROADBAND INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT, FOR THE
9 INNOVATE IN PA PROGRAM, FOR NEIGHBORHOOD IMPROVEMENT ZONES AND
10 FOR KEYSTONE SPECIAL DEVELOPMENT ZONE PROGRAM; IN INHERITANCE
11 TAX, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR TRANSFERS NOT SUBJECT TO TAX, FOR
12 EXEMPTION FOR POVERTY, FOR LIABILITIES AND FOR DEDUCTIONS NOT
13 ALLOWED; IN PROCEDURE AND ADMINISTRATION, FURTHER PROVIDING FOR
14 DEFINITIONS AND FOR PETITION FOR REASSESSMENT; PROVIDING FOR THE
15 BOARD OF FINANCE AND REVENUE; FURTHER PROVIDING FOR REVIEW BY
16 THE BOARD OF FINANCE AND REVENUE; PROVIDING FOR A REPORT
17 CONCERNING THE SIGNIFICANT CHANGES IN THE STRUCTURE AND
18 REGULATORY ENVIRONMENT WITHIN THE BANKING INDUSTRY; AND MAKING
19 RELATED REPEALS," BE ACCOMPLISHED IN A MANNER THAT MAINTAINS
20 REVENUES RECEIVED FROM THE BANK SHARES TAX AT NO LESS THAN
21 HISTORIC LEVELS PLUS REASONABLE RATES OF GROWTH. THIS SECTION IS
22 NECESSARY TO PROVIDE STABLE AND PREDICTABLE TAX REVENUES TO THE
23 COMMONWEALTH AND TO ENSURE THAT THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF REVENUES
24 RECEIVED BY THE COMMONWEALTH FROM THE BANK SHARES TAX DO NOT
25 FALL BELOW THE AMOUNTS NECESSARY FOR GENERAL BUDGET
26 IMPLEMENTATION.

27 (B) BY FEBRUARY 15, 2015, EVERY INSTITUTION SUBJECT TO TAX
28 UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE ACT OF MARCH 4, 1971 (P.L.6, NO.2),
29 KNOWN AS THE "TAX REFORM CODE OF 1971," AS OF JANUARY 1, 2014,
30 SHALL PAY A TAX SURCHARGE FOR THE 2014 CALENDAR YEAR DETERMINED

1 BY MULTIPLYING:

2 (1) THE INSTITUTION'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE TOTAL
3 TAXABLE AMOUNT OF SHARES AS DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF
4 REVENUE UNDER SUBSECTION (D); BY

5 (2) THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE SURCHARGE AS DETERMINED BY THE
6 DEPARTMENT UNDER SUBSECTION (C).

7 (B.1) BY FEBRUARY 15, 2016, EVERY INSTITUTION SUBJECT TO TAX
8 UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE ACT OF MARCH 4, 1971 (P.L.6, NO.2),
9 KNOWN AS THE "TAX REFORM CODE OF 1971," AS OF JANUARY 1, 2015,
10 SHALL PAY A TAX SURCHARGE FOR THE 2015 CALENDAR YEAR DETERMINED
11 BY MULTIPLYING:

12 (1) THE INSTITUTION'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE TOTAL
13 TAXABLE AMOUNT OF SHARES AS DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT UNDER
14 SUBSECTION (D); BY

15 (2) THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE SURCHARGE AS DETERMINED BY THE
16 DEPARTMENT UNDER SUBSECTION (C.1).

17 (C) THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE SURCHARGE FOR THE 2014 CALENDAR
18 YEAR SHALL BE TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS (\$20,000,000). THE
19 SECRETARY MAY WAIVE OR REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF THE SURCHARGE FOR
20 THE CALENDAR YEAR IF THE TAX RECEIPTS UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE
21 "TAX REFORM CODE OF 1971" EXCEED THE REVENUE ESTIMATES FOR
22 FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015 UNDER SECTION 618 OF THE ACT OF APRIL 9,
23 1929 (P.L.177, NO.175), KNOWN AS "THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE OF
24 1929."

25 (C.1) THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF THE SURCHARGE FOR THE 2015
26 CALENDAR YEAR SHALL BE TWENTY MILLION DOLLARS (\$20,000,000). THE
27 SECRETARY MAY WAIVE OR REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF THE SURCHARGE FOR
28 THE CALENDAR YEAR IF THE TAX RECEIPTS UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE
29 "TAX REFORM CODE OF 1971" EXCEED THE REVENUE ESTIMATES FOR
30 FISCAL YEAR 2015-2016 UNDER SECTION 618 OF "THE ADMINISTRATIVE

1 CODE OF 1929."

2 (D) AN INSTITUTION'S PROPORTIONATE SHARE OF THE TOTAL
3 TAXABLE AMOUNT OF SHARES SHALL BE DETERMINED AS FOLLOWS:

4 (1) DIVIDE:

5 (I) THE INSTITUTION'S TAXABLE AMOUNT OF SHARES AS REPORTED
6 AND ANY ADDITIONAL TAXABLE AMOUNT OF SHARES ASSESSED UNDER
7 ARTICLE VII OF THE "TAX REFORM CODE OF 1971" FOR THE 2014
8 CALENDAR YEAR; BY

9 (II) THE TOTAL TAXABLE AMOUNT OF SHARES OF ALL INSTITUTIONS
10 AS REPORTED AND ANY ADDITIONAL TAXABLE AMOUNT OF SHARES ASSESSED
11 FOR THE 2014 CALENDAR YEAR.

12 (2) FOR PURPOSES OF THE COMPUTATION UNDER PARAGRAPH (1), THE
13 TAXABLE AMOUNT OF SHARES SHALL BE THE COMBINED TAXABLE AMOUNT OF
14 SHARES APPORTIONED TO THIS COMMONWEALTH FOR THE 2014 CALENDAR
15 YEAR BY THE INSTITUTION, ITS PREDECESSOR AND ANY INSTITUTION
16 ACQUIRED BY, MERGED INTO OR COMBINED OR CONSOLIDATED WITH THE
17 INSTITUTION FOR THE TAX IMPOSED UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE "TAX
18 REFORM CODE OF 1971."

19 (E) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ASSESS EACH INSTITUTION SUBJECT TO
20 THE SURCHARGE UNDER SUBSECTION (C) BY JANUARY 1, 2015.

21 (E.1) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ASSESS EACH INSTITUTION SUBJECT
22 TO THE SURCHARGE UNDER SUBSECTION (C.1) BY JANUARY 15, 2016.

23 (F) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PRESCRIBE FORMS AND PROCEDURES FOR
24 FILING AND PAYING THE TAX SURCHARGE AMOUNTS REQUIRED BY THIS
25 SECTION. PARTS III, IV, V, VI AND VII OF ARTICLE IV OF THE "TAX
26 REFORM CODE OF 1971," ARE INCORPORATED BY REFERENCE INTO THIS
27 SECTION INSOFAR AS THEY ARE CONSISTENT WITH THIS SECTION AND
28 APPLICABLE TO THE SURCHARGE IMPOSED UNDER THIS SECTION.

29 (G) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DEVELOP LIMITED REGULATIONS
30 NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THIS SECTION AND THE AMENDMENTS TO

1 ARTICLE VII OF THE "TAX REFORM CODE OF 1971," ENACTED BY THE ACT
2 OF JULY 9, 2013 (P.L.270, NO.52), AS FOLLOWS:

3 (1) THE LIMITED REGULATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE
4 LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU FOR PUBLICATION WITHIN ONE HUNDRED
5 TWENTY (120) DAYS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION.

6 (2) THE LIMITED REGULATIONS SHALL NOT BE SUBJECT TO ANY OF
7 THE FOLLOWING:

8 (I) SECTIONS 201, 202, 203, 204 OR 205 OF THE ACT OF JULY
9 31, 1968 (P.L.769, NO.240), REFERRED TO AS THE COMMONWEALTH
10 DOCUMENTS LAW.

11 (II) THE ACT OF JUNE 25, 1982 (P.L.633, NO.181), KNOWN AS
12 THE "REGULATORY REVIEW ACT."

13 (III) SECTION 204(B) OF THE ACT OF OCTOBER 15, 1980
14 (P.L.950, NO.164), KNOWN AS THE "COMMONWEALTH ATTORNEYS ACT."

15 (3) THE LIMITED REGULATIONS SHALL APPLY TO THE SURCHARGE
16 IMPOSED UNDER THIS SECTION AND THE TAX IMPOSED FOR CALENDAR
17 YEARS BEGINNING AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2013, AND ENDING BEFORE
18 JANUARY 1, 2016, UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE "TAX REFORM CODE OF
19 1971."

20 (H) REGULATIONS INITIATED AFTER THE LIMITED REGULATIONS
21 UNDER SUBSECTION (G) SHALL BE PROMULGATED AS PROVIDED BY LAW.

22 SECTION 1.2. SECTION 301.1(I)(2) OF THE ACT, AMENDED JULY 6,
23 2010 (P.L.279, NO.46), IS AMENDED TO READ:

24 SECTION 301.1. INVESTMENT OF MONEYS.--* * *

25 (I) * * *

26 (2) THE AUTHORITY TO INVEST OR REINVEST THE MONEYS OF ANY
27 FUND PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION SHALL EXPIRE DECEMBER 31,
28 [2014] 2019. THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT MAY MAINTAIN INVESTMENTS
29 PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION WHICH ARE IN EXISTENCE ON THE
30 EXPIRATION DATE IN THIS PARAGRAPH FOR NOT MORE THAN TWO YEARS

1 FOLLOWING SUCH EXPIRATION DATE.

2 SECTION 1.3. THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING A SECTION TO READ:

3 SECTION 1104.2. EXCLUSIVE APPEAL PROCEDURE; SHARES TAXES.--

4 (A) THIS SECTION APPLIES TO BANK SHARE PAYMENTS.

5 (B) AN INSTITUTION MAY FILE A PETITION FOR REFUND OF A BANK
6 SHARE PAYMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE. THE PETITION MUST
7 BE FILED WITHIN TWO YEARS OF THE DATE OF THE PAYMENT.

8 (C) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION OF THIS ACT OR ANY OTHER
9 LAW TO THE CONTRARY, THE PROCEDURE SET FORTH IN THIS SECTION
10 SHALL CONSTITUTE THE EXCLUSIVE METHOD BY WHICH AN APPEAL MAY BE
11 TAKEN FROM THE ASSESSMENT OF:

12 (1) THE TAX SURCHARGE IMPOSED UNDER SECTION 215; OR

13 (2) THE TAX IMPOSED FOR CALENDAR YEARS BEGINNING AFTER
14 DECEMBER 31, 2013, AND ENDING BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2016, UNDER
15 ARTICLE VII OF THE ACT OF MARCH 4, 1971 (P.L.6, NO.2), KNOWN AS
16 THE "TAX REFORM CODE OF 1971."

17 (D) AS USED IN THIS SECTION, THE TERM "BANK SHARE PAYMENT"
18 MEANS A PAYMENT OF:

19 (1) THE TAX SURCHARGE IMPOSED UNDER SECTION 215; OR

20 (2) THE TAX IMPOSED FOR CALENDAR YEARS BEGINNING AFTER
21 DECEMBER 31, 2013, AND ENDING BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2016, UNDER
22 ARTICLE VII OF THE "TAX REFORM CODE OF 1971."

23 SECTION 1.4. THE DEFINITIONS OF "HOLDER" AND "OWNER" IN
24 SECTION 1301.1 OF THE ACT, AMENDED OR ADDED DECEMBER 9, 1982
25 (P.L.1057, NO.248), JUNE 29, 2002 (P.L.614, NO.91) AND DECEMBER
26 23, 2003 (P.L.243, NO.45), ARE AMENDED AND THE SECTION IS
27 AMENDED BY ADDING DEFINITIONS TO READ:

28 SECTION 1301.1. DEFINITIONS.--AS USED IN THIS ARTICLE,
29 UNLESS THE CONTEXT OTHERWISE REQUIRES:

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1 "ELECTRONIC" SHALL MEAN RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY HAVING
2 ELECTRICAL, DIGITAL, MAGNETIC, WIRELESS, OPTICAL, ELECTROMAGNET
3 OR SIMILAR CAPABILITIES.

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5 "HOLDER" SHALL MEAN A PERSON OBLIGATED TO HOLD FOR THE
6 ACCOUNT OF OR DELIVER OR PAY TO THE OWNER, PROPERTY WHICH IS
7 SUBJECT TO THIS ARTICLE AND SHALL INCLUDE ANY PERSON IN
8 POSSESSION OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THIS ARTICLE BELONGING TO
9 ANOTHER, OR WHO IS A TRUSTEE IN CASE OF A TRUST, OR IS INDEBTED
10 TO ANOTHER ON AN OBLIGATION SUBJECT TO THIS ARTICLE [OR ANY
11 FINANCIAL INSTITUTION WHICH HAS PAID AMOUNTS AND SUMS TO THE
12 STATE TREASURER UNDER SUBSECTION (C) OF SECTION 1301.13 OF THIS
13 ARTICLE] AND THE AGENT OR LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PERSON
14 OBLIGATED, THE PERSON IN POSSESSION, THE TRUSTEE OR THE DEBTOR.

15 "INDICATED AN INTEREST IN PROPERTY" SHALL MEAN ANY CONTACT,
16 COMMUNICATION OR TRANSACTION, RELATED TO PROPERTY, FROM THE
17 OWNER, OR INVOLVING SOME AFFIRMATIVE ACTION BY THE OWNER, WHICH
18 IS DOCUMENTED IN A CONTEMPORANEOUS RECORD PREPARED BY OR ON
19 BEHALF OF THE HOLDER OR IN THE POSSESSION OF THE HOLDER,
20 INCLUDING:

21 (I) A WRITTEN CONTACT, COMMUNICATION OR TRANSACTION;

22 (II) A SECURE OR PASSWORD-PROTECTED ELECTRONIC CONTACT,
23 COMMUNICATION OR TRANSACTION;

24 (III) A VERBAL CONTACT, COMMUNICATION OR TRANSACTION, IN
25 WHICH THE HOLDER TAKES REASONABLE ACTION TO VERIFY THE IDENTITY
26 OF THE OWNER; OR

27 (IV) A CONTACT, COMMUNICATION OR TRANSACTION, WHICH IS
28 EVIDENCED BY OTHER CRITERIA PROVIDED BY THE STATE TREASURER.

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30 "OWNER" SHALL MEAN A PERSON THAT HAS A LEGAL OR EQUITABLE

1 INTEREST IN PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THIS ARTICLE OR A PERSON WHOSE
2 NAME APPEARS ON THE RECORD OF A HOLDER AS THE PERSON ENTITLED TO
3 PROPERTY HELD, ISSUED OR OWING BY THE HOLDER AND SHALL INCLUDE A
4 DEPOSITOR IN CASE OF A DEPOSIT, A CREDITOR, CLAIMANT OR PAYEE IN
5 CASE OF OTHER CHOSSES IN ACTION[, OR ANY OTHER PERSON HAVING A
6 LEGAL OR EQUITABLE INTEREST IN PROPERTY SUBJECT TO THIS ARTICLE,
7 OR HIS] AND A LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PERSON WITH THE
8 INTEREST, THE ENTITLED PERSON, THE DEPOSITOR, THE CREDITOR, THE
9 CLAIMANT OR THE PAYEE.

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11 "RECORD" SHALL MEAN INFORMATION THAT IS INSCRIBED ON A
12 TANGIBLE MEDIUM OR THAT IS STORED IN AN ELECTRONIC OR OTHER
13 MEDIUM AND IS RETRIEVABLE IN PERCEIVABLE FORM.

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15 SECTION 2. SECTION 1301.3 OF THE ACT, AMENDED JUNE 29, 2002
16 (P.L.614, NO.91), IS AMENDED TO READ:

17 SECTION 1301.3. PROPERTY HELD BY FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.--
18 THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY HELD OR OWING BY A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION
19 IS PRESUMED ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED:

20 1. ANY DEMAND, SAVING OR MATURED TIME DEPOSIT IN A FINANCIAL
21 INSTITUTION, OR ANY FUNDS PAID TOWARD THE PURCHASE OF SHARES OR
22 OTHER INTEREST IN A SAVINGS ASSOCIATION, SAVINGS AND LOAN OR
23 BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, EXCLUDING ANY CHARGES THAT MAY
24 LAWFULLY BE WITHHELD, UNLESS WITHIN THE PRECEDING [FIVE (5)]
25 THREE (3) YEARS THE OWNER HAS:

26 (I) INCREASED THE AMOUNT OF THE DEPOSIT, SHARES OR CLAIM,
27 OTHERWISE THAN BY THE CREDITING OF ACCRUED INTEREST, OR
28 DECREASED IT, OR PRESENTED TO THE HOLDER EVIDENCE OF THE
29 DEPOSIT, SHARES OR CLAIM; OR

30 (II) CORRESPONDED IN WRITING WITH THE HOLDER CONCERNING THE

1 DEPOSIT, SHARES OR CLAIM; OR

2 (II.1) AFFIRMATIVELY, IN WRITTEN OR ELECTRONIC

3 COMMUNICATION, CHANGED OR ASSENTED TO A CHANGE IN THE TERMS AND
4 CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE DEPOSIT, SHARES OR CLAIM IS HELD; OR

5 (III) OTHERWISE INDICATED AN INTEREST IN THE DEPOSIT, SHARES
6 OR CLAIM AS EVIDENCED BY A WRITING ON FILE WITH THE HOLDER; OR

7 (IV) RECEIVED TAX REPORTS OR REGULAR STATEMENTS OF THE
8 DEPOSITS, SHARES OR CLAIM BY CERTIFIED MAIL OR OTHER METHOD OF
9 COMMUNICATION THAT WILL PROVIDE THE FINANCIAL INSTITUTION WITH A
10 RECORD THAT SUCH REPORT OR STATEMENT WAS TRANSMITTED AND
11 RECEIVED; OR

12 (V) OWNED OTHER PROPERTY HELD BY THE FINANCIAL INSTITUTION
13 TO WHICH SUBCLAUSE (I), (II), (III) OR (IV) APPLIES.

14 2. A DEPOSIT UNDER CLAUSE 1 SHALL INCLUDE ANY INTEREST OR
15 DIVIDEND WHICH THE FINANCIAL INSTITUTION WOULD PAY TO THE OWNER
16 UPON CLAIM THEREFOR. THE CHARGES WHICH MAY BE EXCLUDED HEREUNDER
17 SHALL NOT INCLUDE ANY CHARGE DUE TO INACTIVITY IMPOSED, DIRECTLY
18 OR INDIRECTLY, AFTER DECEMBER 31, 1981 UNLESS THERE IS A VALID
19 AND ENFORCEABLE WRITTEN CONTRACT BETWEEN THE FINANCIAL
20 INSTITUTION AND THE OWNER OF THE DEPOSIT PURSUANT TO WHICH THE
21 FINANCIAL INSTITUTION MAY IMPOSE SAID CHARGE.

22 3. ANY SUM PAYABLE ON CHECKS OR ON WRITTEN INSTRUMENTS
23 INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, DRAFTS, MONEY ORDERS AND
24 TRAVELERS CHECKS, ON WHICH A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION IS DIRECTLY
25 LIABLE, AND (I) WHICH HAVE BEEN OUTSTANDING FOR MORE THAN [FIVE
26 (5)] THREE (3) YEARS, OR IN THE CASE OF TRAVELERS CHECKS,
27 FIFTEEN (15) YEARS, OR IN THE CASE OF MONEY ORDERS, SIX (6)
28 YEARS IN CALENDAR YEAR 2003 AND SEVEN (7) YEARS IN CALENDAR YEAR
29 2004 AND THEREAFTER, FROM THE DATE PAYABLE OR FROM THE DATE OF
30 ISSUANCE IF PAYABLE ON DEMAND; AND (II) THE OWNER OF WHICH HAS

1 NOT WRITTEN TO THE FINANCIAL INSTITUTION CONCERNING IT, NOR
2 OTHERWISE INDICATED AN INTEREST [AS EVIDENCED BY A WRITING ON
3 FILE WITH THE FINANCIAL INSTITUTION]. AN INDICATION OF INTEREST
4 IN A CHECK OR INSTRUMENT ON WHICH A FINANCIAL INSTITUTION IS
5 DIRECTLY LIABLE SHALL BE RECOGNIZED IF IT IS MADE WITH RESPECT
6 TO THE INTERESTS OF THE REMITTER, THE PAYEE OR A PERSON ENTITLED
7 TO ENFORCE THE INSTRUMENT.

8 4. ANY FUNDS OR OTHER PERSONAL PROPERTY, TANGIBLE OR
9 INTANGIBLE, REMOVED FROM A SAFE DEPOSIT BOX OR ANY OTHER
10 SAFEKEEPING REPOSITORY IN THE COMMONWEALTH ON WHICH THE LEASE OR
11 RENTAL PERIOD HAS EXPIRED DUE TO NONPAYMENT OF RENTAL CHARGES OR
12 OTHER REASON, OR ANY SURPLUS AMOUNTS ARISING FROM THE SALE
13 THEREOF PURSUANT TO LAW, IF THE SAME HAS NOT BEEN CLAIMED BY THE
14 OWNER FOR MORE THAN [FIVE (5)] THREE (3) YEARS FROM THE DATE ON
15 WHICH THE RENTAL PERIOD EXPIRED.

16 5. THE FOLLOWING DEPOSITS DESCRIBED IN CLAUSE 1 SHALL BE
17 EXCLUDED FROM THE PRESUMPTION OF BEING ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED
18 ONLY WHILE THE CONDITIONS DESCRIBED BELOW ARE IN EFFECT:

19 (I) DEPOSITS DURING ANY PERIOD WHEN WITHDRAWALS MAY BE MADE
20 ONLY UPON AN ORDER OF A COURT OF COMPETENT JURISDICTION.

21 (II) DEPOSITS ESTABLISHED UNDER 20 PA.C.S. CH. 53 (RELATING
22 TO PENNSYLVANIA UNIFORM TRANSFERS TO MINORS ACT) OR SIMILAR LAW
23 CONCERNING TRANSFERS TO MINORS WHILE THE CUSTODIANSHIP HAS NOT
24 BEEN TERMINATED.

25 (III) BURIAL RESERVE ACCOUNTS AND SIMILAR DEPOSITS
26 ESTABLISHED UNDER WRITTEN AGREEMENTS TO PROVIDE FOR THE FUNERAL
27 AND/OR BURIAL EXPENSES OF A PERSON WHILE THE PERSON IS STILL
28 ALIVE.

29 SECTION 3. SECTION 1301.4 OF THE ACT, AMENDED DECEMBER 23,
30 2003 (P.L.243, NO.45), IS AMENDED TO READ:

1 SECTION 1301.4. PROPERTY HELD BY INSURERS.--(A) IN THE CASE
2 OF LIFE INSURANCE, THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY HELD OR OWING BY AN
3 INSURER IS PRESUMED ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED:

4 1. ANY MONEYS HELD OR OWING BY AN INSURER AS ESTABLISHED BY
5 ITS RECORDS UNDER ANY CONTRACT OF ANNUITY OR POLICY OF LIFE
6 INSURANCE INCLUDING PREMIUMS RETURNABLE OR DIVIDENDS PAYABLE,
7 UNCLAIMED AND UNPAID FOR MORE THAN [FIVE (5)] THREE (3) YEARS
8 AFTER THE MONEYS HAVE OR SHALL BECOME DUE AND PAYABLE UNDER THE
9 PROVISIONS OF SUCH CONTRACT OF ANNUITY OR POLICY OF INSURANCE. A
10 LIFE INSURANCE POLICY NOT MATURED BY ACTUAL PROOF OF THE DEATH
11 OF THE INSURED IS DEEMED TO BE MATURED AND THE PROCEEDS THEREOF
12 ARE DEEMED TO BE DUE AND PAYABLE IF SUCH POLICY WAS IN FORCE
13 WHEN THE INSURED ATTAINED THE LIMITING AGE UNDER THE MORTALITY
14 TABLE ON WHICH THE RESERVE IS BASED, UNLESS THE PERSON APPEARING
15 ENTITLED THERETO HAS WITHIN THE PRECEDING [FIVE (5)] THREE (3)
16 YEARS, (I) ASSIGNED, READJUSTED OR PAID PREMIUMS ON THE POLICY,
17 OR SUBJECTED THE POLICY TO LOAN, OR (II) CORRESPONDED IN WRITING
18 WITH THE INSURER CONCERNING THE POLICY.

19 2. IF A PERSON OTHER THAN THE INSURED OR ANNUITANT IS
20 ENTITLED TO THE FUNDS AND NO ADDRESS OF SUCH PERSON IS KNOWN TO
21 THE INSURER OR IF IT IS NOT DEFINITE AND CERTAIN FROM THE
22 RECORDS OF THE INSURER WHAT PERSON IS ENTITLED TO THE FUNDS, IT
23 IS PRESUMED THAT THE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF THE PERSON ENTITLED
24 TO THE FUNDS IS THE SAME AS THE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF THE
25 INSURED OR ANNUITANT ACCORDING TO THE RECORDS OF THE INSURER.

26 3. MONEYS OTHERWISE PAYABLE ACCORDING TO THE RECORDS OF THE
27 INSURER ARE DEEMED DUE AND PAYABLE ALTHOUGH THE POLICY OR
28 CONTRACT HAS NOT BEEN SURRENDERED AS REQUIRED.

29 4. PROPERTY DISTRIBUTABLE IN THE COURSE OF A DEMUTUALIZATION
30 OR RELATED REORGANIZATION OF AN INSURANCE COMPANY IS DEEMED

1 ABANDONED TWO (2) YEARS AFTER THE DATE OF THE DEMUTUALIZATION OR
2 REORGANIZATION IF INSTRUMENTS OR STATEMENTS REFLECTING THE
3 DISTRIBUTION ARE EITHER MAILED TO THE OWNER AND RETURNED BY THE
4 POST OFFICE AS UNDELIVERABLE OR NOT MAILED TO THE OWNER BECAUSE
5 OF A KNOWN BAD ADDRESS ON THE BOOKS AND RECORDS OF THE HOLDER.

6 (B) IN THE CASE OF INSURANCE OTHER THAN LIFE INSURANCE, THE
7 FOLLOWING PROPERTY HELD OR OWING BY AN INSURER IS PRESUMED
8 ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED:

9 1. ANY MONEYS HELD OR OWING BY AN INSURER AS ESTABLISHED BY
10 ITS RECORDS UNDER ANY CONTRACT OF INSURANCE OTHER THAN ANNUITY
11 OR LIFE INSURANCE, INCLUDING PREMIUMS OR DEPOSITS RETURNABLE OR
12 DIVIDENDS PAYABLE TO POLICY OR CONTRACT HOLDERS OR OTHER PERSONS
13 ENTITLED THERETO, UNCLAIMED AND UNPAID FOR MORE THAN [FIVE (5)]
14 THREE (3) YEARS AFTER THE MONEYS HAVE OR SHALL BECOME DUE AND
15 PAYABLE UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF SUCH CONTRACTS OF INSURANCE.

16 2. IF A PERSON OTHER THAN THE INSURED, THE PRINCIPAL OR THE
17 CLAIMANT IS ENTITLED TO THE FUNDS AND NO ADDRESS OF SUCH PERSON
18 IS KNOWN TO THE INSURER OR IF IT IS NOT DEFINITE AND CERTAIN
19 FROM THE RECORDS OF THE INSURER WHAT PERSON IS ENTITLED TO THE
20 FUNDS, IT IS PRESUMED THAT THE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF THE PERSON
21 ENTITLED TO THE FUNDS IS THE SAME AS THE LAST KNOWN ADDRESS OF
22 THE INSURED, THE PRINCIPAL OR THE CLAIMANT ACCORDING TO THE
23 RECORDS OF THE INSURER.

24 SECTION 4. SECTION 1301.5 OF THE ACT, AMENDED JUNE 29, 2002
25 (P.L.614, NO.91), IS AMENDED TO READ:

26 SECTION 1301.5. PROPERTY HELD BY UTILITIES.--THE FOLLOWING
27 FUNDS HELD OR OWING BY ANY UTILITY ARE PRESUMED ABANDONED AND
28 UNCLAIMED:

29 1. ANY CUSTOMER ADVANCE, TOLL, DEPOSIT OR COLLATERAL
30 SECURITY OR ANY OTHER PROPERTY HELD BY ANY UTILITY IF UNDER THE

1 TERMS OF AN AGREEMENT THE ADVANCE, TOLL, DEPOSIT, COLLATERAL
2 SECURITY OR OTHER PROPERTY IS DUE TO OR DEMANDABLE BY THE OWNER
3 AND HAS REMAINED UNCLAIMED FOR [FIVE (5)] THREE (3) YEARS OR
4 MORE FROM THE DATE WHEN IT FIRST BECAME DUE TO OR DEMANDABLE BY
5 THE OWNER UNDER THE AGREEMENT.

6 2. ANY SUM WHICH A UTILITY HAS BEEN ORDERED TO REFUND, LESS
7 ANY LAWFUL DEDUCTIONS, AND WHICH HAS REMAINED UNCLAIMED BY THE
8 PERSON APPEARING ON THE RECORDS OF THE UTILITY ENTITLED THERETO
9 FOR TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE AFTER THE DATE IT BECAME PAYABLE IN
10 ACCORDANCE WITH THE FINAL ORDER PROVIDING FOR THE REFUND.

11 SECTION 5. SECTION 1301.6 OF THE ACT, AMENDED NOVEMBER 9,
12 2006 (P.L.1335, NO.138), IS AMENDED TO READ:

13 SECTION 1301.6. PROPERTY HELD BY BUSINESS ASSOCIATIONS.--THE
14 FOLLOWING PROPERTY HELD OR OWING BY A BUSINESS ASSOCIATION IS
15 PRESUMED ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED:

16 1. THE CONSIDERATION PAID FOR A GIFT CERTIFICATE OR GIFT
17 CARD WHICH HAS REMAINED UNREDEEMED FOR TWO (2) YEARS OR MORE
18 AFTER ITS REDEMPTION PERIOD HAS EXPIRED OR AFTER THE MINIMUM
19 PERIOD SPECIFIED IN SECTION 915(C) OF THE CONSUMER CREDIT
20 PROTECTION ACT (PUBLIC LAW 90-321, 15 U.S.C. § 1693L-1(C)),
21 WHICHEVER OCCURS LATER, OR FOR [FIVE (5)] THREE (3) YEARS OR
22 MORE FROM THE DATE OF ISSUANCE IF NO REDEMPTION PERIOD IS
23 SPECIFIED. THE PROVISIONS OF THIS CLAUSE SHALL NOT APPLY TO A
24 QUALIFIED GIFT CERTIFICATE.

25 2. ANY CERTIFICATE OF STOCK OR PARTICIPATING RIGHT IN A
26 BUSINESS ASSOCIATION, FOR WHICH A CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN ISSUED OR
27 IS ISSUABLE BUT HAS NOT BEEN DELIVERED, WHENEVER THE OWNER
28 THEREOF HAS NOT CLAIMED OR INDICATED AN INTEREST IN SUCH
29 PROPERTY[, OR CORRESPONDED IN WRITING WITH THE BUSINESS
30 ASSOCIATION CONCERNING IT,] WITHIN [FIVE (5)] THREE (3) YEARS

1 AFTER THE DATE PRESCRIBED FOR DELIVERY OF THE PROPERTY TO THE
2 OWNER.

3 3. ANY SUM DUE AS A DIVIDEND, PROFIT, DISTRIBUTION, PAYMENT
4 OR DISTRIBUTIVE SHARE OF PRINCIPAL HELD OR OWING BY A BUSINESS
5 ASSOCIATION, WHENEVER THE OWNER HAS NOT CLAIMED OR INDICATED AN
6 INTEREST IN SUCH SUM [OR CORRESPONDED IN WRITING WITH THE
7 BUSINESS ASSOCIATION CONCERNING IT] WITHIN [FIVE (5)] THREE (3)
8 YEARS AFTER THE DATE PRESCRIBED FOR PAYMENT OR DELIVERY.

9 4. ANY SUM DUE AS PRINCIPAL OR INTEREST ON THE BUSINESS
10 ASSOCIATION'S BONDS OR DEBENTURES, OR COUPONS ATTACHED THERETO,
11 WHENEVER THE OWNER HAS NOT CLAIMED OR INDICATED AN INTEREST IN
12 SUCH SUM [OR CORRESPONDED IN WRITING WITH THE BUSINESS
13 ASSOCIATION CONCERNING IT] WITHIN [FIVE (5)] THREE (3) YEARS
14 AFTER THE DATE PRESCRIBED FOR PAYMENT.

15 5. ANY SUM OR CERTIFICATE OR PARTICIPATING RIGHT DUE BY A
16 COOPERATIVE TO A PARTICIPATING PATRON, WHENEVER THE OWNER HAS
17 NOT CLAIMED OR INDICATED AN INTEREST IN SUCH PROPERTY[, OR
18 CORRESPONDED WITH THE COOPERATIVE CONCERNING THE SAME] WITHIN
19 [FIVE (5)] THREE (3) YEARS AFTER THE DATE PRESCRIBED FOR PAYMENT
20 OR DELIVERY.

21 SECTION 6. SECTION 1301.8 OF THE ACT, AMENDED JUNE 29, 2002
22 (P.L.614, NO.91), IS AMENDED TO READ:

23 SECTION 1301.8. PROPERTY HELD BY FIDUCIARIES.--THE FOLLOWING
24 PROPERTY HELD BY FIDUCIARIES IS PRESUMED ABANDONED AND
25 UNCLAIMED:

26 1. ALL PROPERTY HELD IN A FIDUCIARY CAPACITY FOR THE BENEFIT
27 OF ANOTHER PERSON, UNLESS THE OWNER, WITHIN [FIVE (5)] THREE (3)
28 YEARS AFTER IT HAS OR SHALL BECOME PAYABLE OR DISTRIBUTABLE, HAS
29 INCREASED OR DECREASED THE PRINCIPAL, ACCEPTED PAYMENT OF
30 PRINCIPAL OR INCOME[, CORRESPONDED IN WRITING CONCERNING THE

1 PROPERTY] OR OTHERWISE INDICATED AN INTEREST [THEREIN AS
2 EVIDENCED BY A WRITING ON FILE WITH THE FIDUCIARY] IN THE
3 PROPERTY OR IN OTHER PROPERTY OF THE OWNER IN THE POSSESSION,
4 CUSTODY OR CONTROL OF THE HOLDER.

5 2. FOR AN INDIVIDUAL RETIREMENT ACCOUNT, A RETIREMENT PLAN
6 FOR SELF-EMPLOYED INDIVIDUALS OR A SIMILAR ACCOUNT OR PLAN
7 CREATED PURSUANT TO FEDERAL INTERNAL REVENUE LAW OR TO THE LAW
8 OF THIS COMMONWEALTH AND NOT SUBJECT TO A MANDATORY DISTRIBUTION
9 REQUIREMENT, THREE (3) YEARS AFTER THE OWNER HAS:

10 (I) ATTAINED SEVENTY AND ONE HALF (70.5) YEARS OF AGE; OR

11 (II) INDICATED AN INTEREST IN THE ACCOUNT OR PLAN OR IN
12 OTHER PROPERTY OF THE OWNER IN THE POSSESSION, CUSTODY OR
13 CONTROL OF THE HOLDER.

14 SECTION 7. SECTION 1301.9 OF THE ACT, AMENDED NOVEMBER 9,
15 2006 (P.L.1335, NO.138), IS AMENDED TO READ:

16 SECTION 1301.9. PROPERTY HELD BY COURTS AND PUBLIC OFFICERS
17 AND AGENCIES.--THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY IS PRESUMED ABANDONED AND
18 UNCLAIMED:

19 1. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN CLAUSES 2 AND 2.1 OR CLAUSE 6, ALL
20 PROPERTY HELD FOR THE OWNER BY ANY COURT, PUBLIC CORPORATION,
21 PUBLIC AUTHORITY OR INSTRUMENTALITY OF THE UNITED STATES, THE
22 COMMONWEALTH, OR ANY OTHER STATE, OR BY A PUBLIC OFFICER OR
23 POLITICAL SUBDIVISION THEREOF, UNCLAIMED BY THE OWNER FOR MORE
24 THAN [FIVE (5)] THREE (3) YEARS FROM THE DATE IT FIRST BECAME
25 DEMANDABLE OR DISTRIBUTABLE.

26 2. BICYCLES HELD FOR THE OWNER BY A MUNICIPALITY UNCLAIMED
27 BY THE OWNER FOR MORE THAN NINETY (90) DAYS FROM THE DATE IT
28 FIRST BECAME DEMANDABLE OR DISTRIBUTABLE.

29 2.1. ALL TANGIBLE PROPERTY, OTHER THAN BICYCLES, HELD FOR
30 THE OWNER BY A MUNICIPALITY UNCLAIMED BY THE OWNER FOR MORE THAN

1 THREE (3) YEARS FROM THE DATE IT FIRST BECAME DEMANDABLE OR
2 DISTRIBUTABLE.

3 3. THE BICYCLES HELD PURSUANT TO CLAUSE 2 AND TANGIBLE
4 PROPERTY HELD PURSUANT TO CLAUSE 2.1 AND WHICH THE STATE
5 TREASURER REFUSES IN WRITING TO ACCEPT MAY BE DISPOSED OF BY THE
6 MUNICIPALITY TO THE HIGHEST BIDDER AFTER DUE NOTICE BY
7 ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS OR AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT SUCH TIME AND
8 PLACE AS MAY BE DESIGNATED BY THE MUNICIPALITY OR THE GOVERNING
9 BODY MAY, BY RESOLUTION, DONATE THE BICYCLES OR SUCH TANGIBLE
10 PROPERTY TO A CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION. ANY PROCEEDS FROM THE
11 SALE OF THE BICYCLES OR SUCH TANGIBLE PROPERTY SHALL BE RETAINED
12 BY THE MUNICIPALITY AND USED FOR MUNICIPAL PURPOSES.

13 4. BICYCLES HELD BY OR ACQUIRED BY THE COMMONWEALTH FOR
14 NINETY (90) DAYS MAY BE DISPOSED OF AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT SUCH
15 TIME AND PLACE AS MAY BE DESIGNATED BY THE STATE TREASURER.
16 PROCEEDS OF SUCH SALE OR SALES SHALL BE DEPOSITED IN THE GENERAL
17 FUND.

18 5. ALL PROPERTY HELD BY OR SUBJECT TO THE CONTROL OF ANY
19 COURT, PUBLIC CORPORATION, PUBLIC AUTHORITY OR INSTRUMENTALITY
20 OF THE COMMONWEALTH OR BY A PUBLIC OFFICER OR POLITICAL
21 SUBDIVISION THEREOF, WHICH IS WITHOUT A RIGHTFUL OR LAWFUL
22 OWNER, TO THE EXTENT NOT OTHERWISE PROVIDED FOR BY LAW, HELD FOR
23 MORE THAN ONE YEAR.

24 6. RESTITUTION HELD FOR THE OWNER BY ANY COURT, PUBLIC
25 CORPORATION, PUBLIC AUTHORITY OR INSTRUMENTALITY OF THE
26 COMMONWEALTH, OR BY A PUBLIC OFFICER OR POLITICAL SUBDIVISION
27 THEREOF, UNCLAIMED BY THE OWNER FOR MORE THAN [FIVE (5)] THREE
28 (3) YEARS FROM THE DATE IT FIRST BECAME DEMANDABLE OR
29 DISTRIBUTABLE.

30 SECTION 8. SECTION 1301.10 OF THE ACT, AMENDED DECEMBER 23,

1 2003 (P.L.243, NO.45), IS AMENDED TO READ:

2 SECTION 1301.10. MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTY HELD FOR OR OWING TO
3 ANOTHER.--THE FOLLOWING PROPERTY, HELD OR OWING TO ANY OWNER, IS
4 PRESUMED ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED:

5 1. ALL PROPERTY, NOT OTHERWISE COVERED BY THIS ARTICLE,
6 [THAT] WHICH IS ADMITTED IN WRITING BY THE HOLDER AND
7 ADJUDICATED TO BE DUE, [THAT] WHICH IS HELD OR OWING IN THE
8 ORDINARY COURSE OF THE HOLDER'S BUSINESS, [AND THAT] WHICH HAS
9 REMAINED UNCLAIMED BY THE OWNER FOR MORE THAN [FIVE (5)] THREE
10 (3) YEARS AFTER IT BECAME PAYABLE OR DISTRIBUTABLE AND IN WHICH
11 THE OWNER HAS NOT INDICATED AN INTEREST, IS PRESUMED ABANDONED
12 AND UNCLAIMED EXCEPT FOR CLAUSE 2.

13 2. WAGES OR OTHER COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES THAT
14 HAVE REMAINED UNCLAIMED BY THE OWNER FOR MORE THAN TWO (2) YEARS
15 AFTER THE WAGES OR OTHER COMPENSATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES
16 BECOME PAYABLE OR ARE DISTRIBUTED ARE PRESUMED ABANDONED AND
17 UNCLAIMED.

18 SECTION 8.1. SECTION 1301.11(G) OF THE ACT, AMENDED JUNE 29,
19 2002 (P.L.614, NO.91), IS AMENDED TO READ:

20 SECTION 1301.11. REPORT OF PROPERTY SUBJECT TO CUSTODY AND
21 CONTROL OF THE COMMONWEALTH UNDER THIS ARTICLE.--* * *

22 (G) ALL AGREEMENTS OR POWERS OF ATTORNEY TO RECOVER OR
23 COLLECT ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY CONTAINED IN THE
24 REPORTS FILED UNDER THIS ARTICLE SHALL BE VALID AND ENFORCEABLE
25 ONLY IF THE AGREEMENTS:

26 1. ARE IN WRITING AND DULY SIGNED AND ACKNOWLEDGED BY THE
27 OWNER;

28 2. CLEARLY STATE THE FEE OR COMPENSATION TO BE PAID, WHICH
29 SHALL NOT EXCEED FIFTEEN PER CENTUM OF THE VALUE OF THE
30 ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY;

1 3. DISCLOSE THE NATURE AND VALUE OF THE PROPERTY; [AND]

2 4. DISCLOSE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE HOLDER AND, IF
3 KNOWN, WHETHER THE ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY HAS BEEN
4 PAID OR DELIVERED TO THE STATE TREASURER[.];

5 5. IDENTIFY THE NAME, ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF THE
6 PERSON ASSISTING IN THE LOCATION, DELIVERY OR RECOVERY OF THE
7 ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY; AND

8 6. IDENTIFY THE VALID CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION NUMBER
9 ASSIGNED TO THE PERSON ASSISTING IN THE LOCATION, DELIVERY OR
10 RECOVERY OF THE ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY UNDER SECTION
11 1301.11A.

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13 SECTION 8.2. THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING SECTIONS TO READ:
14 SECTION 1301.11A. CERTIFICATE OF FINDER REGISTRATION.--(A)
15 EXCEPT FOR A PERSON WHO IS ADMITTED TO PRACTICE LAW BEFORE A
16 COURT OF A FEDERAL OR STATE JURISDICTION OR SUBJECT TO SECTION
17 1301.11(I), A PERSON MAY NOT ON BEHALF OF ANOTHER:

18 1. ENGAGE IN AN ACTIVITY FOR THE PURPOSE OF LOCATING,
19 DELIVERING, RECOVERING OR ASSISTING IN THE RECOVERY OF ABANDONED
20 OR UNCLAIMED PROPERTY; AND

21 2. RECEIVE A FEE, COMPENSATION, COMMISSION OR OTHER
22 REMUNERATION FOR THE ACTIVITY UNDER CLAUSE 1 WITHOUT FIRST
23 OBTAINING A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION FROM THE STATE TREASURER
24 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SECTION.

25 (B) AN APPLICATION FOR A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION SHALL
26 BE IN WRITING AND ON THE FORM PRESCRIBED BY THE STATE TREASURER
27 AND ACCOMPANIED BY A RECENT FULL FACE COLOR PHOTOGRAPH OF THE
28 APPLICANT. IN ADDITION TO INFORMATION THAT MAY BE REQUESTED BY
29 THE STATE TREASURER, THE APPLICATION SHALL PROVIDE THE
30 FOLLOWING:

1 1. THE APPLICANT'S FULL NAME, TELEPHONE NUMBER, E-MAIL
2 ADDRESS, HOME ADDRESS AND WORK ADDRESS;

3 2. A STATEMENT THAT THE APPLICANT HAS NOT, DURING THE TEN-
4 YEAR PERIOD IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE SUBMISSION OF THE
5 APPLICATION, VIOLATED A PROVISION OF THIS ARTICLE OR HAS BEEN
6 CONVICTED OF A FELONY OR AN OFFENSE OF:

7 (I) THEFT OR OTHER RELATED OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY AS
8 ENUMERATED UNDER 18 PA.C.S. CH. 39 (RELATING TO THEFT AND
9 RELATED OFFENSES) OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF COMMITTED IN ANOTHER
10 JURISDICTION;

11 (II) FORGERY OR OTHER FRAUDULENT PRACTICES AS ENUMERATED IN
12 18 PA.C.S. CH. 41 (RELATING TO FORGERY AND FRAUDULENT PRACTICES)
13 OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF COMMITTED IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION; OR

14 (III) PERJURY, FALSE SWEARING, FRAUD OR OTHER OFFENSE, AS
15 ENUMERATED IN 18 PA.C.S. CH. 49 SUBCH. A (RELATING TO PERJURY
16 AND FALSIFICATION IN OFFICIAL MATTERS) OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF
17 COMMITTED IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION;

18 3. A STATEMENT THAT, TO THE APPLICANT'S KNOWLEDGE, THE
19 APPLICANT IS NOT THE SUBJECT OF AN ONGOING INVESTIGATION OR
20 PROSECUTION INVOLVING AN ALLEGED VIOLATION OF A PROVISION OF
21 THIS ARTICLE OR AN OFFENSE OF:

22 (I) THEFT OR OTHER RELATED OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY AS
23 ENUMERATED UNDER 18 PA.C.S. CH. 39 OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF
24 COMMITTED IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION;

25 (II) FORGERY OR OTHER FRAUDULENT PRACTICES AS ENUMERATED IN
26 18 PA.C.S. CH. 41 OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF COMMITTED IN ANOTHER
27 JURISDICTION; OR

28 (III) PERJURY, FALSE SWEARING, FRAUD OR OTHER OFFENSE AS
29 ENUMERATED IN 18 PA.C.S. CH. 49 SUBCH. A OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF
30 COMMITTED IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION; AND

1 4. THE NOTARIZED SIGNATURE OF THE APPLICANT IMMEDIATELY
2 FOLLOWING AN ACKNOWLEDGMENT THAT A FALSE OR PERJURED STATEMENT
3 SUBJECTS THE APPLICANT TO CRIMINAL LIABILITY.

4 (C) UPON THE FILING OF THE APPLICATION, THE STATE TREASURER
5 MAY INVESTIGATE THE APPLICANT TO VERIFY THE INFORMATION PROVIDED
6 IN THE APPLICATION AND TO DETERMINE THE APPLICANT'S ELIGIBILITY
7 FOR A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION UNDER THIS SECTION. FALSE
8 INFORMATION ON AN APPLICATION IS GROUNDS FOR A DENIAL,
9 NONRENEWAL, SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION OF THE APPLICANT'S
10 CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION.

11 (D) A CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION WITH A UNIQUE REGISTRATION
12 NUMBER MAY BE ISSUED TO AN APPLICANT IF THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS
13 ARE MET:

14 1. DURING THE TEN-YEAR PERIOD IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE
15 SUBMISSION OF THE APPLICATION, THE APPLICANT HAS NOT VIOLATED A
16 PROVISION OF THIS ARTICLE OR HAS BEEN CONVICTED OF A FELONY OR
17 AN OFFENSE OF:

18 (I) THEFT OR OTHER RELATED OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY AS
19 ENUMERATED UNDER 18 PA.C.S. CH. 39 OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF
20 COMMITTED IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION;

21 (II) FORGERY OR OTHER FRAUDULENT PRACTICES AS ENUMERATED IN
22 18 PA.C.S. CH. 41 OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF COMMITTED IN ANOTHER
23 JURISDICTION; OR

24 (III) PERJURY, FALSE SWEARING, FRAUD OR OTHER OFFENSE AS
25 ENUMERATED IN 18 PA.C.S. CH. 49 SUBCH. A OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF
26 COMMITTED IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION; AND

27 2. THE APPLICANT HAS EXECUTED A SWORN STATEMENT THAT IS A
28 COMMITMENT TO CONDUCT HIS ACTIONS AS A FINDER OF ABANDONED AND
29 UNCLAIMED PROPERTY IN COMPLIANCE WITH THIS ARTICLE AND THE
30 REGULATIONS PROMULGATED UNDER THIS ARTICLE.

1 (E) THE CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION ISSUED UNDER THIS
2 SECTION IS FOR A PERIOD OF TWO (2) YEARS AND MAY BE RENEWED
3 EVERY TWO (2) YEARS IF THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS ARE MET:

4 1. THE APPLICANT SUBMITS A RENEWAL APPLICATION FORM
5 PRESCRIBED BY THE STATE TREASURER.

6 2. THE APPLICANT MEETS THE CONDITIONS SET FORTH UNDER
7 SUBSECTION (D).

8 3. THE APPLICANT IS NOT THE SUBJECT OF AN ONGOING
9 INVESTIGATION OR ORDER OF REVOCATION BY THE STATE TREASURER OR
10 THE EQUIVALENT IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION, OR AN ONGOING
11 INVESTIGATION OR PROSECUTION BY A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY
12 INVOLVING AN OFFENSE ENUMERATED UNDER SUBSECTION (D)1.

13 SECTION 1301.11B. REVOCATION OF FINDER REGISTRATION.-- (A)
14 AFTER NOTICE AND AN OPPORTUNITY FOR A HEARING, THE STATE
15 TREASURER MAY REVOKE, SUSPEND OR REFUSE TO ISSUE OR RENEW A
16 CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION IF THE FOLLOWING ARE FOUND:

17 1. THE PERSON VIOLATED A PROVISION OF THIS ARTICLE, THE
18 REGULATIONS PROMULGATED UNDER THIS ARTICLE OR HAS BEEN CONVICTED
19 OF A FELONY OR AN OFFENSE OF:

20 (I) THEFT OR OTHER RELATED OFFENSES AGAINST PROPERTY AS
21 ENUMERATED UNDER 18 PA.C.S. CH. 39 (RELATING TO THEFT AND
22 RELATED OFFENSES) OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF COMMITTED IN ANOTHER
23 JURISDICTION;

24 (II) FORGERY OR OTHER FRAUDULENT PRACTICES AS ENUMERATED IN
25 18 PA.C.S. CH. 41 (RELATING TO FORGERY AND FRAUDULENT PRACTICES)
26 OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF COMMITTED IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION; OR

27 (III) PERJURY, FALSE SWEARING, FRAUD OR OTHER OFFENSE, AS
28 ENUMERATED IN 18 PA.C.S. CH. 49 SUBCH. A (RELATING TO PERJURY
29 AND FALSIFICATION IN OFFICIAL MATTERS) OR ITS EQUIVALENT IF
30 COMMITTED IN ANOTHER JURISDICTION.

1 2. IN THE OPINION OF THE STATE TREASURER, THE PERSON'S
2 CONDUCT AS A FINDER OF ABANDONED OR UNCLAIMED PROPERTY
3 UNDERMINES THE CONFIDENCE OF THE PUBLIC OR WARRANTS THE BELIEF
4 THAT THE PERSON'S BUSINESS WILL NOT BE CONDUCTED HONESTLY AND
5 FAIRLY.

6 (B) THE STATE TREASURER MAY INVESTIGATE AN ALLEGATION OR
7 COMPLAINT OF MISCONDUCT INVOLVING AN APPLICANT FOR OR A PERSON
8 HOLDING A CERTIFICATION OF REGISTRATION.

9 (C) IN CONDUCTING AN INVESTIGATION UNDER THIS SECTION, THE
10 STATE TREASURER MAY COMPEL, BY SUBPOENA, WITNESSES TO TESTIFY IN
11 RELATION TO ANY ALLEGED MISCONDUCT OR COMPLAINT AND MAY REQUIRE
12 THE PRODUCTION OF A BOOK, RECORD OR OTHER DOCUMENT PERTAINING TO
13 THAT MATTER. IF A PERSON FAILS TO FILE A STATEMENT OR REPORT,
14 OBEY A SUBPOENA, GIVE TESTIMONY, PRODUCE A BOOK, RECORD OR OTHER
15 DOCUMENT AS REQUIRED BY A SUBPOENA, OR PERMIT PHOTOCOPYING OF A
16 BOOK, RECORD OR OTHER DOCUMENT SUBPOENAED, THE COMMONWEALTH
17 COURT, UPON APPLICATION MADE TO IT BY THE STATE TREASURER, MAY
18 COMPEL OBEDIENCE BY AN ATTACHMENT PROCEEDING FOR CONTEMPT, AS IN
19 THE CASE OF DISOBEDIENCE OF THE REQUIREMENTS OF A SUBPOENA
20 ISSUED BY THE COURT OR A REFUSAL TO TESTIFY IN THE COURT.

21 (D) IF A PERSON IS ENGAGED IN AN ACTIVITY THAT CONSTITUTES A
22 VIOLATION OF THIS ARTICLE OR HAS ATTEMPTED OR COMMITTED AN
23 OFFENSE IDENTIFIED UNDER SUBSECTION (A)1, THE STATE TREASURER
24 SHALL IMMEDIATELY REVOKE THE CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF THE
25 PERSON.

26 SECTION 1301.11C. APPEALS.-- (A) THE COMMONWEALTH COURT
27 SHALL BE VESTED WITH EXCLUSIVE APPELLATE JURISDICTION TO
28 CONSIDER APPEALS OF A FINAL ORDER, DETERMINATION OR DECISION OF
29 THE STATE TREASURER INVOLVING THE ISSUANCE, NONISSUANCE,
30 RENEWAL, NONRENEWAL, REVOCATION OR SUSPENSION OF A CERTIFICATION

1 OF REGISTRATION UNDER THIS ARTICLE.

2 (B) NOTWITHSTANDING LAW TO THE CONTRARY, ORDERS,
3 DETERMINATIONS OR DECISIONS OF THE STATE TREASURER INVOLVING THE
4 ISSUANCE, NONISSUANCE, RENEWAL, NONRENEWAL, REVOCATION OR
5 SUSPENSION OF A CERTIFICATION OF REGISTRATION UNDER THIS ARTICLE
6 SHALL BE AFFIRMED UNLESS IT IS FOUND THAT THE STATE TREASURER
7 COMMITTED AN ERROR OF LAW OR THAT THE ORDER, DETERMINATION OR
8 DECISION WAS ARBITRARY AND THERE WAS A CAPRICIOUS DISREGARD OF
9 THE EVIDENCE.

10 SECTION 8.3. SECTION 1301.23 OF THE ACT, AMENDED JUNE 29,
11 2002 (P.L.614, NO.91), IS AMENDED TO READ:

12 SECTION 1301.23. EXAMINATION OF RECORDS.--[(A) IF THE STATE
13 TREASURER HAS REASON TO BELIEVE THAT ANY HOLDER HAS FAILED TO
14 REPORT PROPERTY THAT SHOULD HAVE BEEN REPORTED PURSUANT TO THIS
15 ARTICLE, THE STATE TREASURER MAY, AT REASONABLE TIMES AND UPON
16 REASONABLE NOTICE, EXAMINE THE RECORDS OF SUCH PERSON WITH
17 RESPECT TO SUCH PROPERTY.

18 (B) IF A HOLDER FAILS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
19 SUBSECTION TO MAINTAIN THE RECORDS REQUIRED OR THE RECORDS OF
20 THE HOLDER AVAILABLE FOR THE PERIODS SUBJECT TO THIS ACT ARE
21 INSUFFICIENT TO PERMIT THE PREPARATION OF A REPORT, THE STATE
22 TREASURER MAY REQUIRE THE HOLDER TO REPORT AND PAY THE AMOUNT
23 THE STATE TREASURER MAY REASONABLY ESTIMATE ON THE BASIS OF ANY
24 AVAILABLE RECORDS OF THE HOLDER OR ON THE BASIS OF ANY OTHER
25 REASONABLE METHOD OF ESTIMATION THAT THE STATE TREASURER MAY
26 SELECT.]

27 (A) THE STATE TREASURER MAY REQUIRE A PERSON WHO HAS NOT
28 FILED A REPORT, OR A PERSON WHO THE STATE TREASURER BELIEVES HAS
29 FILED AN INACCURATE, INCOMPLETE OR FALSE REPORT, TO FILE A
30 VERIFIED REPORT IN A FORM SPECIFIED BY THE STATE TREASURER. THE

1 REPORT MUST STATE WHETHER THE HOLDER, OR AGENT THEREOF, IS
2 HOLDING PROPERTY REPORTABLE UNDER THIS ARTICLE, DESCRIBE
3 PROPERTY NOT PREVIOUSLY REPORTED OR AS TO WHICH THE STATE
4 TREASURER HAS MADE INQUIRY AND SPECIFICALLY IDENTIFY AND STATE
5 THE AMOUNTS OF PROPERTY THAT MAY BE IN ISSUE.

6 (B) THE STATE TREASURER, AT REASONABLE TIMES AND UPON
7 REASONABLE NOTICE, MAY EXAMINE THE RECORDS OF ANY PERSON OR
8 AGENT THEREOF TO DETERMINE WHETHER THE PERSON HAS COMPLIED WITH
9 THIS ARTICLE. THE ADMINISTRATOR MAY CONDUCT THE EXAMINATION EVEN
10 IF THE PERSON BELIEVES IT IS NOT IN POSSESSION OF ANY PROPERTY
11 THAT MUST BE REPORTED, PAID OR DELIVERED UNDER THIS ARTICLE. THE
12 STATE TREASURER MAY CONTRACT WITH ANY OTHER PERSON TO CONDUCT
13 THE EXAMINATION ON BEHALF OF THE STATE TREASURER, THE SELECTION
14 OF WHOM SHALL NOT BE QUESTIONED.

15 (C) THE STATE TREASURER AT REASONABLE TIMES MAY EXAMINE THE
16 RECORDS OF AN AGENT, INCLUDING A DIVIDEND DISBURSING AGENT OR
17 TRANSFER AGENT, OF A BUSINESS ASSOCIATION OR FINANCIAL
18 ASSOCIATION THAT IS THE HOLDER OF PROPERTY PRESUMED ABANDONED IF
19 THE ADMINISTRATOR HAS GIVEN THE NOTICE REQUIRED BY SUBSECTION
20 (B) TO BOTH THE ASSOCIATION OR ORGANIZATION AND THE AGENT AT
21 LEAST 90 DAYS BEFORE THE EXAMINATION.

22 (D) DOCUMENTS AND WORKING PAPERS OBTAINED OR COMPILED BY THE
23 STATE TREASURER, OR THE STATE TREASURER'S AGENTS, EMPLOYEES OR
24 DESIGNATED REPRESENTATIVES, IN THE COURSE OF CONDUCTING AN
25 EXAMINATION ARE CONFIDENTIAL AND ARE NOT PUBLIC RECORDS, BUT THE
26 DOCUMENTS AND PAPERS MAY BE:

27 1. USED BY THE STATE TREASURER IN THE COURSE OF AN ACTION TO
28 COLLECT UNCLAIMED PROPERTY OR OTHERWISE ENFORCE THIS ARTICLE;

29 2. USED IN JOINT EXAMINATIONS CONDUCTED WITH OR PURSUANT TO
30 AN AGREEMENT WITH ANOTHER STATE, THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT OR ANY

1 OTHER GOVERNMENTAL SUBDIVISION, AGENCY OR INSTRUMENTALITY;
2 3. PRODUCED PURSUANT TO SUBPOENA OR COURT ORDER; OR
3 4. DISCLOSED TO THE ABANDONED PROPERTY OFFICE OF ANOTHER
4 STATE FOR THAT STATE'S USE IN CIRCUMSTANCES EQUIVALENT TO THOSE
5 DESCRIBED IN THIS SUBDIVISION, IF THE OTHER STATE IS BOUND TO
6 KEEP THE DOCUMENTS AND PAPERS CONFIDENTIAL.

7 (E) IF AN EXAMINATION OF THE RECORDS OF A HOLDER RESULTS IN
8 THE DISCLOSURE OF PROPERTY REPORTABLE UNDER THIS ARTICLE, THE
9 STATE TREASURER MAY ASSESS THE COST OF THE EXAMINATION AGAINST
10 THE HOLDER AT THE RATE OF \$200 A DAY FOR EACH EXAMINER, OR A
11 GREATER AMOUNT THAT IS REASONABLE AND WAS INCURRED, BUT THE
12 ASSESSMENT MAY NOT EXCEED THE VALUE OF THE PROPERTY FOUND TO BE
13 REPORTABLE. THE COST OF AN EXAMINATION MADE PURSUANT TO
14 SUBSECTION (C) MAY BE ASSESSED ONLY AGAINST THE BUSINESS
15 ASSOCIATION OR FINANCIAL INSTITUTION.

16 (F) IF, AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION, A HOLDER
17 DOES NOT MAINTAIN THE ADEQUATE RECORDS AND THE RECORDS OF THE
18 HOLDER THAT ARE AVAILABLE ARE INSUFFICIENT TO PERMIT THE
19 PREPARATION OF A REPORT, THE STATE TREASURER MAY REQUIRE THE
20 HOLDER TO REPORT AND PAY TO THE STATE TREASURER THE AMOUNT THE
21 STATE TREASURER REASONABLY ESTIMATES, ON THE BASIS OF ANY
22 AVAILABLE RECORDS OF THE HOLDER OR BY ANY OTHER REASONABLE
23 METHOD OF ESTIMATION THAT THE STATE TREASURER MAY SELECT.

24 SECTION 8.4. SECTIONS 1301.24 AND 1301.25 OF THE ACT ARE
25 AMENDED BY ADDING SUBSECTIONS TO READ:

26 SECTION 1301.24. PROCEEDING TO COMPEL REPORTING OR
27 DELIVERY.--* * *

28 (C) IF A HOLDER FAILS, WITHOUT PROPER CAUSE, TO REPORT OR TO
29 PAY AND DELIVER TO THE STATE TREASURER PROPERTY SUBJECT TO
30 CUSTODY AND CONTROL OF THE COMMONWEALTH UNDER THIS ARTICLE, THE

1 HOLDER SHALL PAY A PENALTY NOT TO EXCEED ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS
2 (\$1,000) PER DAY TO THE STATE TREASURER BEGINNING WITH THE DAY
3 AFTER THE REPORT SHOULD HAVE BEEN FILED AND CONTINUING EACH DAY
4 THEREAFTER UNTIL A PROPER REPORT IS FILED WITH THE STATE
5 TREASURER. THE STATE TREASURER MAY WAIVE ALL OR A PORTION OF THE
6 PENALTY FOR GOOD CAUSE.

7 SECTION 1301.25. PENALTIES.--* * *

8 (D) A PERSON WHO IS FOUND TO HAVE VIOLATED SECTION 1301.11
9 OR 1301.11A, IN ADDITION TO OTHER SANCTIONS UNDER THIS ARTICLE,
10 SHALL BE GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR OF THE THIRD DEGREE AND SHALL,
11 UPON CONVICTION, BE SENTENCED TO PAY A FINE NOT TO EXCEED ONE
12 THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000) FOR THE FIRST OFFENSE. A PERSON WHO IS
13 FOUND GUILTY OF A SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE SHALL BE SUBJECT TO A FINE
14 NOT TO EXCEED FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000).

15 SECTION 8.5. THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING A SECTION TO READ:

16 SECTION 1301.28B. RELATION TO ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES IN
17 GLOBAL AND NATIONAL COMMERCE ACT.-- (A) EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN
18 SUBSECTION (B), THIS ARTICLE MODIFIES, LIMITS AND SUPERSEDES THE
19 ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES IN GLOBAL AND NATIONAL COMMERCE ACT
20 (PUBLIC LAW 106-229, 15 U.S.C. § 7001 ET SEQ.).

21 (B) THIS ARTICLE DOES NOT:

22 1. MODIFY, LIMIT OR SUPERSEDE SECTION 101(C) OF THE
23 ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES IN GLOBAL AND NATIONAL COMMERCE ACT (15
24 U.S.C. § 7001(C)); OR

25 2. AUTHORIZE ELECTRONIC DELIVERY OF THE NOTICE DESCRIBED IN
26 SECTION 103(B) OF THE ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES IN GLOBAL AND
27 NATIONAL COMMERCE ACT (15 U.S.S. § 7003(B)).

28 SECTION 8.6. SECTION 1602(A) AND (B) OF THE ACT ARE AMENDED
29 TO READ:

30 SECTION 1602. IN THE EXAMINATION AND ADJUSTMENT OF PUBLIC

1 ACCOUNTS AND THE COLLECTION OF AMOUNTS DUE THE COMMONWEALTH.--

2 (A) TO ENABLE THE AUDITOR GENERAL TO EXAMINE AND ADJUST THE
3 PUBLIC ACCOUNTS, THE STATE TREASURER TO EXAMINE AND REVISE THE
4 SAME AND ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ACCOUNTS, AND THE
5 SECRETARY OF REVENUE TO SETTLE OR OTHERWISE DETERMINE THE AMOUNT
6 OF AND COLLECT TAXES, OR COLLECT OTHER AMOUNTS DUE THE
7 COMMONWEALTH, EACH OF SAID OFFICERS IS SEVERALLY HEREBY INVESTED
8 WITH POWER TO COMPEL ALL PERSONS, IN THE RECEIPT OR POSSESSION
9 OF PUBLIC MONEYS, TO RENDER TO HIM THEIR ACCOUNTS, AND TO
10 ENFORCE THE ATTENDANCE (IN THE MANNER HEREINAFTER POINTED OUT)
11 AT HIS OFFICE OF SUCH PERSONS, WHETHER PARTIES OR WITNESSES,
12 WHOM HE MAY DEEM NECESSARY TO EXAMINE IN THE INVESTIGATION OF
13 ANY PUBLIC ACCOUNT, AND TO ADMINISTER ALL NECESSARY OATHS OR
14 AFFIRMATIONS; AND EACH OF SAID OFFICERS IS HEREBY ALSO INVESTED
15 WITH POWER TO COMPEL THE EXHIBITION OR DELIVERY TO HIM (AS THE
16 CASE MAY BE), BY ANY PERSON POSSESSING THE SAME, IN THE MANNER
17 HEREINAFTER POINTED OUT, OF ALL OFFICIAL OR PUBLIC BOOKS,
18 ACCOUNTS, DOCUMENTS, OR PAPERS, WHICH HAVE ANY RELATION TO OR
19 CONNECTION WITH ANY PUBLIC ACCOUNT OR ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED
20 PROPERTY ACCOUNT, AND WHICH HE MAY DEEM NECESSARY IN THE
21 INVESTIGATION, ADJUSTMENT, OR COLLECTION OF THE SAME: PROVIDED,
22 HOWEVER, THAT IF BY REASON OF THE DISTANCE OF RESIDENCE FROM THE
23 SEAT OF GOVERNMENT, OR FROM ANY SUFFICIENT CAUSE SATISFACTORY TO
24 THE AUDITOR GENERAL, THE STATE TREASURER, OR THE SECRETARY OF
25 REVENUE, AS THE CASE MAY BE, IF IT BE FOUND IMPRACTICABLE OR
26 DIFFICULT TO PROCURE THE ATTENDANCE OF SUCH PERSON AT THE OFFICE
27 OF SUCH OFFICER FOR THE PURPOSE OF GIVING INFORMATION RESPECTING
28 ANY PUBLIC ACCOUNT OR ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ACCOUNT,
29 IT IS HEREBY MADE THE DUTY OF SUCH OFFICER TO PROCURE THE
30 TESTIMONY OF ALL SUCH PERSONS TO BE TAKEN BEFORE ANY JUDGE OF A

1 COURT OF COMMON PLEAS, OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, ON A COMMISSION,
2 WITH INTERROGATORIES ANNEXED, ISSUED UNDER THE HAND AND SEAL OF
3 OFFICE OF SUCH OFFICER.

4 (B) IN ORDER TO PROCURE THE ATTENDANCE OF SUCH PERSONS AS
5 THE AUDITOR GENERAL, THE STATE TREASURER, OR THE SECRETARY OF
6 REVENUE, MAY DEEM NECESSARY IN RELATION TO ANY PUBLIC ACCOUNT OR
7 ABANDONED AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY ACCOUNT, ALREADY FURNISHED OR
8 TO BE FURNISHED, HE, THE SAID AUDITOR GENERAL, STATE TREASURER,
9 OR SECRETARY OF REVENUE, SHALL ISSUE HIS WRIT, DIRECTED TO AND
10 COMMANDING THE SHERIFF OF THE COUNTY WHEREIN SUCH PERSON OR
11 PERSONS RESIDE, WHOM HE MAY SUMMON TO CAUSE THE ATTENDANCE AT
12 THE OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR GENERAL, THE STATE TREASURER, OR THE
13 SECRETARY OF REVENUE, AS THE CASE MAY BE, OF SUCH PERSON OR
14 PERSONS; AND, IF, AFTER THIRTY DAYS FROM THE TIME THE SAID
15 PERSON OR PERSONS OUGHT TO HAVE APPEARED IN THE OFFICE OF THE
16 AUDITOR GENERAL, THE STATE TREASURER, OR THE SECRETARY OF
17 REVENUE, AGREEABLY TO THE SAID SUMMONS, SUCH PERSON OR PERSONS
18 NEGLECT OR REFUSE TO APPEAR, HE, THE SAID AUDITOR GENERAL, STATE
19 TREASURER, OR SECRETARY OF REVENUE, MAY ISSUE HIS WRIT OF
20 ATTACHMENT, COMMANDING THE SHERIFF TO COMMIT SUCH PERSON OR
21 PERSONS, SO NEGLECTING OR REFUSING TO APPEAR, TO THE COMMON JAIL
22 OF THE COUNTY, THERE TO REMAIN UNTIL HE OR THEY SHALL CONSENT TO
23 COMPLY WITH THIS ACT OR SHALL BE DISCHARGED BY DUE COURSE OF
24 LAW.

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26 SECTION 8.7. THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING A SECTION TO READ:
27 SECTION 1601.1-E. LEGISLATIVE FINDINGS.

28 THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS AND DECLARES AS FOLLOWS:

29 (1) REVENUE FROM THE LEASING OF STATE LAND TO EXTRACT
30 NATURAL GAS IS NECESSARY TO OBTAIN THE REVENUE NECESSARY TO

1 EFFECTUATE THE 2014-2015 GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT.

2 (2) LEASES UTILIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT INCLUDE PROVISIONS
3 THAT ARE HIGHLY PROTECTIVE OF THE ECOLOGICAL INTEGRITY OF
4 STATE FOREST LANDS AND CAREFULLY CRAFTED TO MINIMIZE RARE AND
5 ENDANGERED PLANTS, WILDLIFE AND THEIR HABITAT AND THE VAST
6 NUMBER OF STREAMS AND WATERSHEDS THAT ARE PART OF STATE
7 FOREST AND PARK LANDS.

8 (3) LEASES UTILIZED BY THE DEPARTMENT FOR SHALE-GAS
9 PROVIDE FOR ENHANCED ENVIRONMENTAL AND SURFACE PROTECTIONS,
10 INCLUDING:

11 (I) INCREASED SETBACK DISTANCES FROM CRITICAL
12 RECREATION INFRASTRUCTURE, STREAMS AND WATER FEATURES,
13 STATE PARKS AND DESIGNATED WILD AND NATURAL AREAS.

14 (II) LIMITING THE AMOUNT OF SURFACE AREA DISTURBED,
15 PROHIBITING SHALLOW WELL DRILLING AND AUTHORIZING THE
16 APPLICATION OF STRICT FORESTRY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
17 PRINCIPLES.

18 (III) LIMITING THE NUMBER OF WELL PADS ALLOWED TO BE
19 CONSTRUCTED ON THE LEASE TRACT; PROVIDING FOR DEEP
20 DRILLING INSURANCE; AND PROHIBITING THE DEVELOPMENT OF
21 THE ECOLOGICALLY SENSITIVE AREAS, INCLUDING DESIGNATED
22 WILD AND NATURAL AREAS AND AREAS OF SPECIAL
23 CONSIDERATION, WITHOUT THE DEPARTMENT'S PRIOR WRITTEN
24 APPROVAL.

25 (4) THE DEPARTMENT CONTINUALLY UPDATES AND EMPLOYS BEST
26 MANAGEMENT PRACTICES WHEN MANAGING OIL AND GAS ACTIVITIES ON
27 STATE FOREST LANDS TO ENSURE THAT SHALE-GAS ACTIVITIES ARE
28 CONSISTENT WITH THE RECREATIONAL AND ECOLOGICAL USES OF STATE
29 FOREST.

30 (5) THE DEPARTMENT HAS IMPLEMENTED A SHALE-GAS

1 MONITORING PROGRAM TO MONITOR, EVALUATE AND REPORT ANY
2 IMPACTS OF SHALE-GAS DEVELOPMENT ON THE STATE FOREST SYSTEM.

3 (6) THE FUND IS NOT A CONSTITUTIONAL TRUST.

4 (7) MONEY IN THE FUND HAS INCREASED EXPONENTIALLY FROM
5 THE EXTRACTION OF SHALE GAS AND THE IMPLEMENTATION OF NEW GAS
6 EXTRACTION TECHNIQUES.

7 (8) THE COMMONWEALTH'S ROLE AS TRUSTEE OF THE PUBLIC'S
8 NATURAL RESOURCES IS BROADER AND MORE COMPREHENSIVE THAN JUST
9 CONSERVING THE STATE FOREST OF PARKS.

10 (9) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AFFIRMS ITS INTENT THAT:

11 (I) THE DEPARTMENT SHOULD CONTINUE THE OPERATION OF
12 THE SHALE-GAS MONITORING ACTIVITIES PROGRAM TO MONITOR,
13 EVALUATE AND REPORT THE IMPACTS OF SHALE-GAS ACTIVITIES
14 IN STATE FOREST AND, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE GOVERNOR'S
15 OFFICE, UTILIZE DATA RECEIVED FROM ONGOING MONITORING TO
16 ADJUST ITS MANAGEMENT PLANNING AND PRACTICES.

17 (II) THE DEPARTMENT SHOULD CONSIDER THE STATE FOREST
18 AND PARK LANDS AS ONE OF THE COMMONWEALTH'S INTERESTS
19 WHEN CONSIDERING WHETHER OR NOT TO LEASE ADDITIONAL STATE
20 FOREST AND PARK LANDS AND DETERMINING WHAT IS IN THE BEST
21 INTERESTS OF THE COMMONWEALTH. INTEREST INVOLVED IN
22 DECISIONS RELATING TO LEASING STATE FOREST AND PARK LANDS
23 SHOULD NOT BE MADE TO THE EXCLUSION OF ALL OTHER
24 INTERESTS OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

25 (III) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW TO THE CONTRARY,
26 IT IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE COMMONWEALTH TO LEASE
27 OIL AND GAS RIGHTS IN STATE FORESTS AND PARKS IF THE
28 DEPARTMENT:

29 (A) IN CONSULTATION WITH THE GOVERNOR, CONTINUES
30 STRONG AND EFFECTIVE LEASE PROTECTIONS, BEST

1 MANAGEMENT PRACTICES AND ONGOING MONITORING PROGRAMS
2 ON THE IMPACT OF GAS OPERATIONS; AND
3 (B) MAINTAINS A BALANCE OF MONEY IN THE FUND TO
4 CARRY OUT THE DEPARTMENT'S STATUTORY OBLIGATION TO
5 PROTECT STATE FOREST AND PARK LAND AND OTHER
6 ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVITIES.

7 (10) IF A BALANCE IN THE FUNDS IS ADEQUATE TO ACHIEVE
8 THE PURPOSES OF PARAGRAPH (9), TRANSFERS TO THE GENERAL FUND
9 ARE PERMISSIBLE.

10 SECTION 8.8. SECTIONS 1602-E AND 1603-E OF THE ACT, ADDED
11 OCTOBER 9, 2009 (P.L.537, NO.50), ARE AMENDED TO READ:

12 SECTION 1602-E. APPROPRIATION.

13 NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW AND EXCEPT AS
14 PROVIDED IN SECTION 1603-E, NO MONEY IN THE FUND FROM ROYALTIES
15 MAY BE EXPENDED UNLESS APPROPRIATED OR TRANSFERRED TO THE
16 GENERAL FUND BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FROM THE FUND. IN MAKING
17 APPROPRIATIONS, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL CONSIDER THE ADOPTION
18 OF AN ALLOCATION TO MUNICIPALITIES IMPACTED BY A MARCELLUS WELL.

19 SECTION 1603-E. DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL
20 RESOURCES.

21 SUBJECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF MONEY IN THE FUND FOLLOWING
22 TRANSFERS, UP TO \$50,000,000 FROM THE FUND FROM ROYALTIES SHALL
23 BE APPROPRIATED ANNUALLY TO THE DEPARTMENT TO CARRY OUT THE
24 PURPOSES SET FORTH IN THE ACT OF DECEMBER 15, 1955 (P.L.865,
25 NO.256), ENTITLED "AN ACT REQUIRING RENTS AND ROYALTIES FROM OIL
26 AND GAS LEASES OF COMMONWEALTH LAND TO BE PLACED IN A SPECIAL
27 FUND TO BE USED FOR CONSERVATION, RECREATION, DAMS, AND FLOOD
28 CONTROL; AUTHORIZING THE SECRETARY OF FORESTS AND WATERS TO
29 DETERMINE THE NEED FOR AND LOCATION OF SUCH PROJECTS AND TO
30 ACQUIRE THE NECESSARY LAND." THE DEPARTMENT SHALL GIVE

1 PREFERENCE TO THE OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF STATE PARKS AND
2 FORESTS.

3 SECTION 8.9. SECTION 1605-E OF THE ACT, ADDED JULY 6, 2010
4 P.L.279, NO.46), IS AMENDED TO READ:.

5 SECTION 1605-E. ADDITIONAL [TRANSFER] TRANSFERS.

6 (A) FISCAL YEAR 2010-2011.--NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 1603-E
7 OR ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, IN FISCAL YEAR 2010-2011, THE
8 AMOUNT OF \$180,000,000 SHALL BE TRANSFERRED FROM THE FUND TO THE
9 GENERAL FUND.

10 (B) FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015.--NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 1603-E
11 OR ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, IN FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015, THE
12 AMOUNT OF \$95,000,000 SHALL BE TRANSFERRED FROM THE FUND TO THE
13 GENERAL FUND.

14 SECTION 9. SECTION 1702-A OF THE ACT, AMENDED JULY 18, 2013
15 (P.L.574, NO.71), IS AMENDED TO READ:

16 SECTION 1702-A. FUNDING.

17 (A) INTENT.--IT IS HEREBY DECLARED AS THE INTENT AND GOAL OF
18 THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO CREATE A STABILIZATION RESERVE IN AN
19 EVENTUAL AMOUNT OF 6% OF THE REVENUES OF THE GENERAL FUND OF THE
20 COMMONWEALTH.

21 (B) TRANSFER OF PORTION OF SURPLUS.--

22 (1) EXCEPT AS MAY BE PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPH (2), FOR
23 FISCAL YEARS BEGINNING AFTER JUNE 30, 2002, THE FOLLOWING
24 APPLY:

25 (I) EXCEPT AS SET FORTH IN THIS PARAGRAPH, IF THE
26 SECRETARY OF THE BUDGET CERTIFIES THAT THERE IS A SURPLUS
27 IN THE GENERAL FUND FOR A SPECIFIC FISCAL YEAR, 25% OF
28 THE SURPLUS SHALL BE DEPOSITED BY THE END OF THE NEXT
29 SUCCEEDING QUARTER INTO THE BUDGET STABILIZATION RESERVE
30 FUND.

1 (II) IF THE SECRETARY OF THE BUDGET CERTIFIES, AFTER
2 JUNE 30, 2005, THAT THERE IS A SURPLUS IN THE GENERAL
3 FUND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2004-2005, 15% OF THE SURPLUS
4 SHALL BE DEPOSITED BY THE END OF THE NEXT SUCCEEDING
5 QUARTER INTO THE BUDGET STABILIZATION RESERVE FUND.

6 (III) NO AMOUNT OF THE SURPLUS IN THE GENERAL FUND
7 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2007-2008 MAY BE DEPOSITED INTO THE
8 BUDGET STABILIZATION RESERVE FUND.

9 (IV) NO AMOUNT OF THE SURPLUS IN THE GENERAL FUND
10 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2010-2011 MAY BE DEPOSITED INTO THE
11 BUDGET STABILIZATION RESERVE FUND.

12 (V) NO AMOUNT OF THE SURPLUS IN THE GENERAL FUND FOR
13 FISCAL YEAR 2011-2012 MAY BE DEPOSITED INTO THE BUDGET
14 STABILIZATION RESERVE FUND.

15 (VI) NO AMOUNT OF THE SURPLUS IN THE GENERAL FUND
16 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2012-2013 MAY BE DEPOSITED INTO THE
17 BUDGET STABILIZATION RESERVE FUND.

18 (VII) NO AMOUNT OF THE SURPLUS IN THE GENERAL FUND
19 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014 MAY BE DEPOSITED INTO THE
20 BUDGET STABILIZATION RESERVE FUND.

21 (2) IF, AT THE END OF ANY FISCAL YEAR, THE ENDING
22 BALANCE OF THE BUDGET STABILIZATION RESERVE FUND EQUALS OR
23 EXCEEDS 6% OF THE ACTUAL GENERAL FUND REVENUES RECEIVED FOR
24 THE FISCAL YEAR IN WHICH THE SURPLUS OCCURS, 10% OF THE
25 SURPLUS SHALL BE DEPOSITED BY THE END OF THE NEXT SUCCEEDING
26 QUARTER INTO THE BUDGET RESERVE STABILIZATION FUND.

27 (C) APPROPRIATED FUNDS.--THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY AT ANY
28 TIME PROVIDE ADDITIONAL AMOUNTS FROM ANY FUNDS AVAILABLE TO THIS
29 COMMONWEALTH AS AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BUDGET STABILIZATION
30 RESERVE FUND.

1 SECTION 10. THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING SECTIONS TO READ:

2 SECTION 1772.1-A. H2O PA ACCOUNT.

3 (A) ESTABLISHMENT.--THERE IS HEREBY ESTABLISHED IN THE
4 GAMING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM FUND A RESTRICTED
5 ACCOUNT TO BE KNOWN AS THE H2O PA ACCOUNT, WHICH SHALL CONTAIN
6 THE FOLLOWING:

7 (1) MONEYS AVAILABLE FROM TRANSFERS UNDER SECTION 1772-A
8 AND CH. 5 OF THE ACT OF JULY 9, 2008 (P.L.908, NO.63), KNOWN
9 AS THE H2O PA ACT.

10 (2) MONEYS AVAILABLE FROM TRANSFERS UNDER 58 PA.C.S. §
11 2315(A.1)(4) (RELATING TO STATEWIDE INITIATIVES).

12 (3) OTHER APPROPRIATIONS OR TRANSFERS MADE TO THE
13 ACCOUNT.

14 (B) PURPOSE.--MONEY IN THE ACCOUNT SHALL BE USED FOR
15 PAYMENTS OF DEBT AND GRANTS MADE UNDER THE PROGRAM.

16 (C) NONLAPSE.--MONEY IN THE ACCOUNT IS CONTINUOUSLY
17 APPROPRIATED FOR DEBT SERVICE OR GRANTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH
18 SECTION 1774.1-A AND CHAPTER 5 OF THE H2O PA ACT.

19 SECTION 1774.2-A. OTHER GRANTS.

20 MONEY IN THE ACCOUNT MAY BE USED FOR GRANTS AWARDED UNDER
21 SECTION 1774.1-A.

22 SECTION 11. SECTION 1713-A.1 OF THE ACT, ADDED JULY 18, 2013
23 (P.L.574, NO.71), IS AMENDED TO READ:

24 SECTION 1713-A.1. USE OF FUND.

25 (A) ANNUAL REPORT.--THE GOVERNOR SHALL REPORT ON THE FUND IN
26 THE ANNUAL BUDGET WHICH SHALL INCLUDE THE AMOUNTS APPROPRIATED
27 TO EACH PROGRAM.

28 (B) APPROPRIATIONS.--

29 (1) [THE] EXCEPT AS OTHERWISE PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPHS
30 (1.1), (1.2) AND (1.3), THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY APPROPRIATES

1 MONEYS IN THE FUND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING
2 PERCENTAGES BASED ON THE ANNUAL PAYMENT RECEIVED IN EACH
3 YEAR:

4 (I) THIRTEEN PERCENT FOR HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED
5 SERVICES PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 5 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT
6 ACT.

7 (II) FOUR AND FIVE-TENTHS PERCENT FOR TOBACCO USE
8 PREVENTION AND CESSATION PROGRAMS PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 7
9 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

10 (III) TWELVE AND SIX-TENTHS PERCENT FOR HEALTH AND
11 RELATED RESEARCH PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE TOBACCO
12 SETTLEMENT ACT.

13 (IV) ONE PERCENT FOR HEALTH AND RELATED RESEARCH
14 PURSUANT TO SECTION 909 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

15 (V) EIGHT AND EIGHTEEN ONE-HUNDREDTHS PERCENT FOR
16 THE UNCOMPENSATED CARE PAYMENT PROGRAM PURSUANT TO
17 CHAPTER 11 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

18 (VI) THIRTY PERCENT FOR THE PURCHASE OF MEDICAID
19 BENEFITS FOR WORKERS WITH DISABILITIES PURSUANT TO
20 CHAPTER 15 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

21 (VII) EIGHT PERCENT FOR THE EXPANSION OF THE PACENET
22 PROGRAM PURSUANT TO CHAPTER 23 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT
23 ACT.

24 (VIII) TWENTY-TWO AND SEVENTY-TWO ONE-HUNDREDTHS
25 PERCENT SHALL REMAIN IN THE FUND TO BE SEPARATELY
26 APPROPRIATED FOR HEALTH-RELATED PURPOSES.

27 (1.1) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
28 APPROPRIATES MONEY IN THE FUND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE
29 FOLLOWING PERCENTAGE BASED ON THE ANNUAL PAYMENT RECEIVED
30 EACH YEAR:

1 (I) THIRTEEN PERCENT FOR HOME-BASED AND COMMUNITY-
2 BASED SERVICES UNDER CHAPTER 5 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT
3 ACT.

4 (II) TWO AND NINETY-THREE HUNDRETHS PERCENT FOR
5 TOBACCO USE PREVENTION AND CESSATION PROGRAMS UNDER
6 CHAPTER 7 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

7 (III) SIX AND THREE-TENTHS PERCENT FOR HEALTH AND
8 RELATED RESEARCH UNDER SECTION 906 OF THE TOBACCO
9 SETTLEMENT ACT.

10 (IV) ONE-HALF PERCENT FOR HEALTH AND RELATED
11 RESEARCH UNDER SECTION 909 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

12 (V) FOUR AND NINE-HUNDREDTHS PERCENT FOR THE
13 UNCOMPENSATED CARE PAYMENT PROGRAM UNDER CHAPTER 11 OF
14 THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

15 (VI) THIRTY PERCENT FOR THE PURCHASE OF MEDICAID
16 BENEFITS FOR WORKERS WITH DISABILITIES UNDER CHAPTER 15
17 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

18 (VII) FORTY-THREE AND EIGHTEEN HUNDREDTHS PERCENT
19 SHALL REMAIN IN THE FUND TO BE SEPARATELY APPROPRIATED
20 FOR HEALTH-RELATED PURPOSES.

21 (1.2) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015, MONEY IN THE FUND FROM
22 A PAYMENT RECEIVED DUE TO THE RECALCULATION OF A PRIOR ANNUAL
23 PAYMENT SHALL REMAIN IN THE FUND TO BE SEPARATELY
24 APPROPRIATED FOR HEALTH-RELATED PURPOSES.

25 (1.3) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
26 APPROPRIATES MONEY IN THE FUND IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE
27 FOLLOWING PERCENTAGES BASED ON THE ANNUAL PAYMENT RECEIVED
28 EACH YEAR:

29 (I) THIRTEEN PERCENT FOR HOME-BASED AND COMMUNITY-
30 BASED SERVICES UNDER CHAPTER 5 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT

1 ACT.

2 (II) FOUR AND FIVE-TENTHS PERCENT FOR TOBACCO USE
3 PREVENTION AND CESSATION PROGRAMS UNDER CHAPTER 7 OF THE
4 TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

5 (III) TWELVE AND SIX-TENTHS PERCENT FOR HEALTH AND
6 RELATED RESEARCH UNDER SECTION 906 OF THE TOBACCO
7 SETTLEMENT ACT.

8 (IV) ONE PERCENT FOR HEALTH AND RELATED RESEARCH
9 UNDER SECTION 909 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

10 (V) EIGHT AND EIGHTEEN HUNDREDTHS PERCENT FOR THE
11 UNCOMPENSATED CARE PAYMENT PROGRAM UNDER CHAPTER 11 OF
12 THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT.

13 (VI) FIFTEEN AND TWELVE HUNDREDTHS PERCENT FOR THE
14 PURCHASE OF MEDICAID BENEFITS FOR WORKERS WITH
15 DISABILITIES UNDER CHAPTER 15 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT
16 ACT.

17 (VII) FORTY-FIVE AND SIX-TENTHS PERCENT SHALL REMAIN
18 IN THE FUND TO BE SEPARATELY APPROPRIATED FOR HEALTH-
19 RELATED PURPOSES.

20 (2) IN ADDITION, ANY FEDERAL FUNDS RECEIVED FOR ANY OF
21 THESE PROGRAMS ARE SPECIFICALLY APPROPRIATED TO THOSE
22 PROGRAMS.

23 (3) ALL OTHER PAYMENTS AND REVENUE RECEIVED IN THE FUND
24 OTHER THAN THE ANNUAL PAYMENT SHALL REMAIN IN THE FUND AND
25 ARE AVAILABLE TO BE APPROPRIATED FOR HEALTH-RELATED PURPOSES.

26 (C) LAPSES.--LAPSES SHALL REMAIN IN THE FUND EXCEPT THAT
27 LAPSES FROM MONEY PROVIDED FOR THE HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED CARE
28 SERVICES SHALL BE REALLOCATED TO THE HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED
29 CARE PROGRAM FOR USE IN SUCCEEDING YEARS.

30 (D) LOBBYING RESTRICTIONS.--NO MONEY DERIVED FROM

1 APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FROM THE FUND MAY BE
2 USED FOR THE LOBBYING OF ANY STATE PUBLIC OFFICIAL.

3 [(E) HEALTH VENTURE INVESTMENT ACCOUNT.--NOTWITHSTANDING
4 CHAPTER 3 OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT, ALL ASSETS, NONLIQUID
5 INVESTMENTS, CONTRACTUALLY OBLIGATED MONEY, RETURN ON
6 INVESTMENTS AND ANY OTHER MONEY OR ASSETS IN THE HEALTH VENTURE
7 INVESTMENT ACCOUNT SHALL BE RETAINED IN THAT ACCOUNT. THE
8 REQUIREMENTS FOR VENTURE CAPITAL INVESTMENTS OUTLINED IN SECTION
9 305(F) OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT SHALL BE MAINTAINED. THE
10 BOARD SHALL NOT ENTER INTO ANY PARTNERSHIPS OR LONG-TERM
11 INVESTMENTS THROUGH JUNE 30, 2014.]

12 (F) ALLOCATION OF LOCAL PROGRAM FUNDING.--

13 (1) FUNDING FOR LOCAL PROGRAMS UNDER SECTION 708(B) OF
14 THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT SHALL BE ALLOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

15 (I) THIRTY PERCENT OF GRANT FUNDING TO PRIMARY
16 CONTRACTORS FOR LOCAL PROGRAMS SHALL BE ALLOCATED EQUALLY
17 AMONG EACH OF THE 67 COUNTIES.

18 (II) THE REMAINING 70% OF THE GRANT FUNDING TO
19 PRIMARY CONTRACTORS FOR LOCAL PROGRAMS SHALL BE ALLOCATED
20 ON A PER CAPITA BASIS OF EACH COUNTY WITH A POPULATION
21 GREATER THAN 60,000. THE PER CAPITA FORMULA SHALL BE
22 APPLIED ONLY TO THAT PORTION OF THE POPULATION THAT IS
23 GREATER THAN 60,000 FOR EACH COUNTY.

24 (2) BUDGETS SHALL BE DEVELOPED BY EACH PRIMARY
25 CONTRACTOR TO REFLECT SERVICE PLANNING AND EXPENDITURES IN
26 EACH COUNTY. EACH PRIMARY CONTRACTOR SHALL ENSURE THAT
27 SERVICES ARE AVAILABLE TO RESIDENTS OF EACH COUNTY AND MUST
28 EXPEND THE ALLOCATED FUNDS ON A PER-COUNTY BASIS PURSUANT TO
29 PARAGRAPH (1) AND THIS PARAGRAPH.

30 (3) THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SHALL COMPILE A DETAILED

1 ANNUAL REPORT OF EXPENDITURES PER COUNTY AND THE SPECIFIC
2 PROGRAMS OFFERED IN EACH REGION. THIS REPORT SHALL BE MADE
3 AVAILABLE ON THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH'S PUBLICLY AVAILABLE
4 INTERNET WEBSITE WITHIN 60 DAYS FOLLOWING THE CLOSE OF EACH
5 FISCAL YEAR.

6 (4) DURING THE THIRD QUARTER OF THE FISCAL YEAR, FUNDS
7 WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN SPENT WITHIN A SERVICE AREA MAY BE
8 REALLOCATED TO SUPPORT PROGRAMMING IN THE SAME REGION.

9 (G) TRANSFER.--THE STRATEGIC CONTRIBUTION PAYMENT RECEIVED
10 IN FISCAL YEAR 2012-2013, AND ALL ASSETS AND CASH IN THE HEALTH
11 ACCOUNT, SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE FUND BY AUGUST 1, 2013.

12 SECTION 12. THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING SECTIONS TO READ:
13 SECTION 1714-A.1. TERMINATION.

14 (A) TERMINATION.--THE HEALTH ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT FOR LONG-TERM
15 HOPE AND HEALTH VENTURE INVESTMENT ACCOUNT SHALL TERMINATE AND
16 CLOSE JANUARY 1, 2015.

17 (B) TRANSFER OF ASSETS.--NOTWITHSTANDING CHAPTER 3 OF THE
18 TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT OR OTHER LAW TO THE CONTRARY, ALL ASSETS,
19 NONLIQUID INVESTMENTS, CONTRACTUALLY OBLIGATED MONEY, RETURN ON
20 INVESTMENTS AND ANY OTHER MONEY OR ASSETS IN THE HEALTH
21 ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT FOR LONG-TERM HOPE AND THE HEALTH VENTURE
22 INVESTMENT ACCOUNT SHALL BE RETAINED IN THE ACCOUNTS UNTIL
23 DISTRIBUTED UNDER SECTION 1715-A.1.

24 (C) INVESTMENTS.--BEGINNING JULY 1, 2014, THE TOBACCO
25 SETTLEMENT INVESTMENT BOARD SHALL NOT ENTER INTO ANY
26 PARTNERSHIPS OR INVESTMENTS.

27 SECTION 1715-A.1. TRANSFER TO PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES'
28 RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

29 (A) PAYMENTS.--NOTWITHSTANDING 24 PA.C.S. § 8326(C)
30 (RELATING TO CONTRIBUTIONS BY THE COMMONWEALTH), NO LATER THAN

1 DECEMBER 31, 2014, THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT INVESTMENT BOARD SHALL
2 MAKE EACH OF THE FOLLOWING ONE-TIME PAYMENTS OR TRANSFERS
3 DIRECTLY TO THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO
4 PAY AMOUNTS REQUIRED TO BE CONTRIBUTED BY THE COMMONWEALTH UNDER
5 24 PA.C.S. §§ 8328 (RELATING TO ACTUARIAL COST METHOD) AND 8535
6 (RELATING TO PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL ENTITIES BY COMMONWEALTH) FOR
7 FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015:

8 (1) ANY AND ALL ASSETS, NONLIQUID INVESTMENTS,
9 CONTRACTUALLY OBLIGATED MONEY, RETURN ON INVESTMENTS AND ALL
10 OTHER MONEY, CASH OR ASSETS IN THE ACCOUNTS.

11 (2) ANY AND ALL NONLIQUID INVESTMENTS OVER WHICH THE
12 TOBACCO SETTLEMENT INVESTMENT BOARD HAS MANAGEMENT CONTROL OR
13 AUTHORITY THAT ARE IN THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT FUND; AND

14 (3) THE DOLLAR AMOUNT OF CASH FROM THE TOBACCO
15 SETTLEMENT FUND WHICH IS THE DIFFERENCE CALCULATED BY TAKING
16 \$225,000,000 AND SUBTRACTING THE FOLLOWING FROM THAT AMOUNT:

17 (I) THE VALUE OF ONLY THE NONLIQUID INVESTMENTS
18 UNDER PARAGRAPHS (1) AND (2) VALUED AS OF THE LATEST
19 VALUATION REPORT RECEIVED BY THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT
20 INVESTMENT BOARD PRIOR TO THE DATE OF THE TRANSFERS UNDER
21 PARAGRAPHS (1) AND (2);

22 (II) THE DOLLAR AMOUNT OF CASH TRANSFERRED FROM THE
23 HEALTH VENTURE INVESTMENT ACCOUNT UNDER PARAGRAPH (1);
24 AND

25 (III) THE DOLLAR AMOUNT OF CASH TRANSFERRED FROM THE
26 HEALTH ENDOWMENT ACCOUNT UNDER PARAGRAPH (1).

27 (B) DUTY OF BOARD.--THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT
28 BOARD SHALL:

29 (1) ACCEPT THE TRANSFER MADE UNDER SUBSECTION (A);

30 (2) CREDIT THE VALUE OF THE TRANSFER UNDER SUBSECTION

1 (A) TO THE SYSTEM'S STATE ACCUMULATION ACCOUNT; AND
2 (3) APPLY THE VALUE OF THE TRANSFER AS A CREDIT TO THE
3 SYSTEM'S EMPLOYERS ON A PRO RATA BASIS, AS THE BOARD DEEMS
4 APPROPRIATE.

5 (C) IMMUNITY.--NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW,
6 FIDUCIARY REQUIREMENT, ACTUARIAL STANDARD OF PRACTICE OR OTHER
7 REQUIREMENT, MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT
8 BOARD AND ITS ACTUARIES AND EMPLOYEES MAY NOT BE HELD LIABLE OR
9 IN BREACH OR VIOLATION OF ANY LAW OR STANDARDS AS INDIVIDUALS,
10 IN THEIR OFFICIAL CAPACITY OR AS A GOVERNMENTAL OR CORPORATE
11 ENTITY, FOR ANY ACTION TAKEN OR CALCULATION MADE UNDER THIS
12 SECTION.

13 (D) REPORT.--NO LATER THAN 15 DAYS AFTER THE TRANSFER OF
14 FUNDS UNDER SUBSECTION (A), THE SECRETARY OF THE BUDGET SHALL
15 NOTIFY THE CHAIRMAN AND MINORITY CHAIRMAN OF THE APPROPRIATIONS
16 COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND THE CHAIRMAN AND MINORITY CHAIRMAN
17 OF THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
18 OF THE DATE ON WHICH THE TRANSFERS WERE MADE AND A DETAILED
19 STATEMENT OF THE ASSETS, NONLIQUID INVESTMENTS, CONTRACTUALLY
20 OBLIGATED MONEY, RETURN ON INVESTMENTS AND ANY OTHER MONEY, CASH
21 OR ASSETS TRANSFERRED.

22 SECTION 13. SECTION 1723-A.1 OF THE ACT, AMENDED OR ADDED
23 JULY 18, 2013 (P.L.574, NO.71) AND APRIL 10, 2014 (P.L.408,
24 NO.30), IS AMENDED TO READ:

25 SECTION 1723-A.1. DISTRIBUTIONS FROM PENNSYLVANIA RACE HORSE
26 DEVELOPMENT FUND.

27 FUNDS IN THE FUND ARE APPROPRIATED TO THE DEPARTMENT ON A
28 CONTINUING BASIS FOR THE PURPOSES SET FORTH IN THIS SUBSECTION
29 AND SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO EACH ACTIVE AND OPERATING CATEGORY 1
30 LICENSEE CONDUCTING LIVE RACING AS FOLLOWS:

1 (1) AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO 18% OF THE DAILY GROSS TERMINAL
2 REVENUE OF EACH CATEGORY 1 LICENSEE SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO
3 EACH ACTIVE AND OPERATING CATEGORY 1 LICENSEE CONDUCTING LIVE
4 RACING UNLESS THE DAILY ASSESSMENTS ARE AFFECTED BY THE DAILY
5 ASSESSMENT CAP PROVIDED FOR IN 4 PA.C.S. § 1405(C) (RELATING
6 TO PENNSYLVANIA RACE HORSE DEVELOPMENT FUND). IN CASES IN
7 WHICH THE DAILY ASSESSMENT CAP AFFECTS DAILY ASSESSMENTS, THE
8 DISTRIBUTION TO EACH ACTIVE AND OPERATING CATEGORY 1 LICENSEE
9 CONDUCTING LIVE RACING FOR THAT DAY SHALL BE A PERCENTAGE OF
10 THE TOTAL DAILY ASSESSMENTS PAID INTO THE FUND FOR THAT DAY
11 EQUAL TO THE GROSS TERMINAL REVENUE OF EACH ACTIVE AND
12 OPERATING CATEGORY 1 LICENSEE CONDUCTING LIVE RACING FOR THAT
13 DAY DIVIDED BY THE TOTAL GROSS TERMINAL REVENUE OF ALL ACTIVE
14 AND OPERATING CATEGORY 1 LICENSEES CONDUCTING LIVE RACING FOR
15 THAT DAY. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN PARAGRAPHS (2) AND (2.1), THE
16 DISTRIBUTIONS TO LICENSED RACING ENTITIES FROM THE FUND SHALL
17 BE ALLOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

18 (I) EIGHTY PERCENT SHALL BE DEPOSITED WEEKLY INTO A
19 SEPARATE, INTEREST-BEARING PURSE ACCOUNT TO BE
20 ESTABLISHED BY AND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE HORSEMEN. THE
21 EARNED INTEREST ON THE ACCOUNT SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE
22 PURSE ACCOUNT. LICENSEES SHALL COMBINE THESE FUNDS WITH
23 REVENUES FROM EXISTING PURSE AGREEMENTS TO FUND PURSES
24 FOR LIVE RACES CONSISTENT WITH THOSE AGREEMENTS WITH THE
25 ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE HORSEMEN.

26 (II) FOR THOROUGHBRED TRACKS, 16% SHALL BE DEPOSITED
27 ON A MONTHLY BASIS INTO THE PENNSYLVANIA BREEDING FUND AS
28 DEFINED IN SECTION 223 OF THE RACE HORSE INDUSTRY REFORM
29 ACT. FOR STANDARD BRED TRACKS, 8% SHALL BE DEPOSITED ON A
30 MONTHLY BASIS IN THE PENNSYLVANIA SIRE STAKES FUND AS

1 DEFINED IN SECTION 224 OF THE RACE HORSE INDUSTRY REFORM
2 ACT, AND 8% SHALL BE DEPOSITED ON A MONTHLY BASIS INTO A
3 RESTRICTED ACCOUNT IN THE STATE RACING FUND TO BE KNOWN
4 AS THE PENNSYLVANIA STANDARDBRED BREEDERS DEVELOPMENT
5 FUND. THE STATE HARNESS RACING COMMISSION SHALL, IN
6 CONSULTATION WITH THE SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE, BY RULE
7 OR BY REGULATION, ADOPT A STANDARDBRED BREEDERS PROGRAM
8 THAT WILL INCLUDE THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
9 STALLION AWARD, THE PENNSYLVANIA BRED AWARD AND THE
10 PENNSYLVANIA SIRE AND BRED AWARD.

11 (III) FOUR PERCENT SHALL BE USED TO FUND HEALTH AND
12 PENSION BENEFITS FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE HORSEMEN'S
13 ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTING THE OWNERS AND TRAINERS AT THE
14 RACETRACK AT WHICH THE LICENSED RACING ENTITY OPERATES
15 FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE ORGANIZATION'S MEMBERS, THEIR
16 FAMILIES, EMPLOYEES AND OTHERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE
17 RULES AND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS OF THE ORGANIZATION,
18 AS APPROVED BY THE STATE HORSE RACING COMMISSION OR THE
19 STATE HARNESS RACING COMMISSION. THIS AMOUNT SHALL BE
20 DEPOSITED WITHIN FIVE BUSINESS DAYS OF THE END OF EACH
21 MONTH INTO A SEPARATE ACCOUNT TO BE ESTABLISHED BY EACH
22 RESPECTIVE HORSEMEN'S ORGANIZATION AT A BANKING
23 INSTITUTION OF ITS CHOICE. OF THIS AMOUNT, \$250,000 SHALL
24 BE PAID ANNUALLY BY THE HORSEMEN'S ORGANIZATION TO THE
25 THOROUGHBRED JOCKEYS OR STANDARDBRED DRIVERS ORGANIZATION
26 AT THE RACETRACK AT WHICH THE LICENSED RACING ENTITY
27 OPERATES FOR HEALTH INSURANCE, LIFE INSURANCE OR OTHER
28 BENEFITS TO ACTIVE AND DISABLED THOROUGHBRED JOCKEYS OR
29 STANDARDBRED DRIVERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES AND
30 ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS OF THAT ORGANIZATION.

1 (2) DISTRIBUTIONS FROM THE FUND SHALL BE ALLOCATED AS
2 FOLLOWS:

3 (I) FOR FISCAL [YEAR] YEARS 2013-2014 AND 2014-2015,
4 EACH WEEK, \$802,682 IN THE FUND SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO
5 THE ACCOUNT. THIS TRANSFER SHALL NOT EXCEED \$17,659,000
6 ANNUALLY.

7 (I.1) IN ADDITION TO THE TRANSFER UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH
8 (I), FOR A TOTAL OF 14 WEEKS FROM THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF
9 THIS SUBPARAGRAPH, EACH WEEK, \$300,000 SHALL BE
10 TRANSFERRED FROM THE FUND, FOR A TOTAL AMOUNT OF
11 \$4,200,000, TO THE STATE RACING FUND TO BE USED
12 EXCLUSIVELY FOR THE ENFORCEMENT OF THE ACT OF DECEMBER
13 17, 1981 (P.L.435, NO.135), KNOWN AS THE RACE HORSE
14 INDUSTRY REFORM ACT. MONEYS TRANSFERRED PURSUANT TO THIS
15 SUBPARAGRAPH SHALL NOT BE TRANSFERRED SUBSEQUENTLY TO ANY
16 OTHER STATE FUND OR ACCOUNT FOR ANY PURPOSE.

17 (II) [FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014, EACH] EACH WEEK,
18 THE MONEY REMAINING IN THE FUND AFTER ANY TRANSFER UNDER
19 SUBPARAGRAPHS (I) AND (I.1) SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO EACH
20 ACTIVE AND OPERATING CATEGORY 1 LICENSEE CONDUCTING LIVE
21 RACING IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE FOLLOWING FORMULA:

22 (A) DIVIDE:

23 (I) THE TOTAL DAILY ASSESSMENTS PAID, BY
24 EACH ACTIVE AND OPERATING CATEGORY 1 LICENSEE
25 CONDUCTING LIVE RACING, INTO THE FUND FOR THAT
26 WEEK; BY

27 (II) THE TOTAL DAILY ASSESSMENTS PAID, BY
28 ALL ACTIVE AND OPERATING CATEGORY 1 LICENSEES
29 CONDUCTING LIVE RACING, INTO THE FUND FOR THAT
30 WEEK.

1 (B) MULTIPLY THE QUOTIENT UNDER CLAUSE (A) BY
2 THE AMOUNT TO BE DISTRIBUTED UNDER THIS SUBPARAGRAPH.

3 (III) THE DISTRIBUTION UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (II) SHALL
4 BE ALLOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

5 (A) THE GREATER OF 4% OF THE AMOUNT TO BE
6 DISTRIBUTED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (II) OR \$220,000 SHALL
7 BE USED TO FUND HEALTH AND PENSION BENEFITS FOR THE
8 MEMBERS OF THE HORSEMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS REPRESENTING
9 THE OWNERS AND TRAINERS AT THE RACETRACK AT WHICH THE
10 LICENSED RACING ENTITY OPERATES FOR THE BENEFIT OF
11 THE ORGANIZATION'S MEMBERS, THEIR FAMILIES, EMPLOYEES
12 AND OTHERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES AND
13 ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS OF THE ORGANIZATION, AS
14 APPROVED BY THE STATE HORSE RACING COMMISSION OR THE
15 STATE HARNESS RACING COMMISSION. THIS AMOUNT SHALL BE
16 DEPOSITED WITHIN FIVE BUSINESS DAYS OF THE END OF
17 EACH WEEK INTO A SEPARATE ACCOUNT TO BE ESTABLISHED
18 BY EACH RESPECTIVE HORSEMEN'S ORGANIZATION AT A
19 BANKING INSTITUTION OF ITS CHOICE. OF THIS AMOUNT, A
20 MINIMUM OF \$250,000 SHALL BE PAID ANNUALLY BY THE
21 HORSEMEN'S ORGANIZATION TO THE THOROUGHBRED JOCKEYS
22 OR STANDARD BRED DRIVERS ORGANIZATION AT THE RACETRACK
23 AT WHICH THE LICENSED RACING ENTITY OPERATES FOR
24 HEALTH INSURANCE, LIFE INSURANCE OR OTHER BENEFITS TO
25 ACTIVE AND DISABLED THOROUGHBRED JOCKEYS OR
26 STANDARD BRED DRIVERS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE RULES AND
27 ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS OF THAT ORGANIZATION. THE
28 TOTAL DISTRIBUTION UNDER THIS CLAUSE IN ANY FISCAL
29 YEAR SHALL NOT EXCEED \$11,400,000.

30 (B) OF THE MONEY REMAINING TO BE DISTRIBUTED

1 UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (II) AFTER APPLICATION OF CLAUSE
2 (A), THE FOLLOWING DISBURSEMENTS SHALL BE MADE:

3 (I) EIGHTY-THREE AND ONE-THIRD PERCENT OF
4 THE MONEY TO BE DISTRIBUTED UNDER THIS CLAUSE
5 SHALL BE DEPOSITED ON A WEEKLY BASIS INTO A
6 SEPARATE, INTEREST-BEARING PURSE ACCOUNT TO BE
7 ESTABLISHED BY AND FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE
8 HORSEMEN. THE EARNED INTEREST ON THE ACCOUNT
9 SHALL BE CREDITED TO THE PURSE ACCOUNT. LICENSEES
10 SHALL COMBINE THESE FUNDS WITH REVENUES FROM
11 EXISTING PURSE AGREEMENTS TO FUND PURSES FOR LIVE
12 RACES CONSISTENT WITH THOSE AGREEMENTS WITH THE
13 ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE HORSEMEN.

14 (II) FOR THOROUGHBRED TRACKS, 16 AND 2/3% OF
15 THE MONEY TO BE DISTRIBUTED UNDER THIS CLAUSE
16 SHALL BE DEPOSITED ON A WEEKLY BASIS INTO THE
17 PENNSYLVANIA BREEDING FUND ESTABLISHED IN SECTION
18 223 OF THE RACE HORSE INDUSTRY REFORM ACT. FOR
19 STANDARDBRED TRACKS, 8 AND 1/3% OF THE MONEY TO
20 BE DISTRIBUTED UNDER THIS CLAUSE SHALL BE
21 DEPOSITED ON A WEEKLY BASIS INTO THE PENNSYLVANIA
22 SIRE STAKES FUND AS DEFINED IN SECTION 224 OF THE
23 RACE HORSE INDUSTRY REFORM ACT; AND 8 AND 1/3% OF
24 THE MONEY TO BE DISTRIBUTED UNDER THIS CLAUSE
25 SHALL BE DEPOSITED ON A WEEKLY BASIS INTO A
26 RESTRICTED ACCOUNT IN THE STATE RACING FUND TO BE
27 KNOWN AS THE PENNSYLVANIA STANDARDBRED BREEDERS
28 DEVELOPMENT FUND. THE STATE HARNESS RACING
29 COMMISSION SHALL, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE
30 SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE, PROMULGATE REGULATIONS

1 ADOPTING A STANDARD BRED BREEDERS PROGRAM THAT
2 WILL INCLUDE THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE
3 PENNSYLVANIA STALLION AWARD, THE PENNSYLVANIA
4 BRED AWARD AND THE PENNSYLVANIA SIRED AND BRED
5 AWARD.

6 SECTION 13.1. SECTION 1719-E OF THE ACT, ADDED JULY 17, 2007
7 (P.L.141, NO.42), IS AMENDED TO READ:

8 SECTION 1719-E. DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC
9 DEVELOPMENT.

10 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
11 DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT:

12 (1) NO MORE THAN 20% OF FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR GRANTS
13 UNDER THE ACT OF MAY 20, 1949 (P.L.1633, NO.493), KNOWN AS
14 THE HOUSING AND REDEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE LAW, SHALL BE
15 ALLOCATED TO ANY ONE POLITICAL SUBDIVISION.

16 (2) [(RESERVED).] FOR PURPOSES OF ARTICLE XVIII-C OF
17 THE ACT OF MARCH 4, 1971 (P.L.6, NO.2), KNOWN AS THE TAX
18 REFORM CODE OF 1971, THE TERM "CONTRACTING AUTHORITY" SHALL
19 INCLUDE AN AUTHORITY THAT ESTABLISHES A PILOT ZONE IN
20 ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE XVIII-C OF THE TAX REFORM CODE OF
21 1971.

22 (2.1) A TOWNSHIP OR BOROUGH OR A GROUP OF TOWNSHIPS OR
23 BOROUGHES MAY ESTABLISH A CONTRACTING AUTHORITY TO DESIGNATE A
24 PILOT ZONE UNDER ARTICLE XVIII-C OF THE TAX REFORM CODE OF
25 1971.

26 (3) A CITY REVITALIZATION AND IMPROVEMENT ZONE MAY
27 INCLUDE UP TO 40 ACRES IN A CONTIGUOUS MUNICIPALITY AS PART
28 OF THE 130-ACRE TOTAL.

29 (4) IN ADDITION TO CITY REVITALIZATION AND IMPROVEMENT
30 ZONES AUTHORIZED UNDER SECTION 1804-C(C) (1) AND (2) OF THE

1 TAX REFORM CODE OF 1971:

2 (I) THREE CITY REVITALIZATION AND IMPROVEMENT ZONES
3 AND TWO PILOT ZONES MAY BE APPROVED IN 2014.

4 (II) TWO CITY REVITALIZATION AND IMPROVEMENT ZONES
5 AND TWO PILOT ZONES MAY BE APPROVED IN 2015.

6 (III) NO ADDITIONAL ZONES MAY BE APPROVED AFTER
7 DECEMBER 30, 2015.

8 (5) BY JUNE 1, 2017, THE INDEPENDENT FISCAL OFFICE, THE
9 DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND THE
10 OFFICE OF THE BUDGET SHALL COMPLETE A REVIEW AND ANALYSIS OF
11 ALL CITY REVITALIZATION AND IMPROVEMENT ZONES, INCLUDING ANY
12 PILOT ZONES.

13 SECTION 13.2. SECTION 1734-E OF THE ACT, ADDED JULY 17, 2007
14 (P.L.141, NO.42), IS AMENDED TO READ:

15 SECTION 1734-E. STATE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

16 (A) APPROPRIATION.--FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE STATE CIVIL
17 SERVICE COMMISSION SHALL INCLUDE ANY FUNDS COLLECTED BY THE
18 COMMISSION FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE MERIT SYSTEM FOR
19 EMPLOYEES UNDER THE ACT OF AUGUST 5, 1941 (P.L.752, NO.286),
20 KNOWN AS THE CIVIL SERVICE ACT.

21 (B) CONTRACTS.--FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR THE OPERATION
22 AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE STATE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION, THE
23 COMMISSION MAY ENTER INTO CONTRACTS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF
24 PHYSICAL COPIES OF EXAMINATIONS OR TESTS, INCLUDING THE
25 QUESTIONS OR OTHER MATERIAL USED IN THE EXAMINATIONS OR TESTS.
26 CONTRACTS SHALL REQUIRE THE CONTRACTOR TO MAINTAIN SECURITY OVER
27 THE EXAMINATIONS OR TESTS TO PREVENT UNAUTHORIZED PERSONS FROM
28 GAINING ACCESS TO THEM WHILE IN THE CONTRACTOR'S POSSESSION.

29 (C) AGREEMENTS.--FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR THE OPERATION
30 OF THE COMMISSION, THE COMMISSION MAY ENTER INTO COOPERATIVE

1 AGREEMENTS WITH DEPARTMENTS, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND OTHER
2 AGENCIES TO PROVIDE SERVICES, INCLUDING BUDGET PREPARATION,
3 FISCAL OVERSIGHT, HUMAN RESOURCES AND PERSONNEL SERVICES,
4 TECHNOLOGY SERVICES, PROCUREMENT, COURIER AND MAILING AND OTHER
5 SERVICES. NOTWITHSTANDING 62 PA.C.S. (RELATING TO PROCUREMENT),
6 THE COMMISSION MAY USE THE DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES AS ITS
7 PURCHASING AGENCY. THE COMMISSION SHALL RETAIN AUTHORITY OVER
8 COMMISSION WORK UNDER THE COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT.

9 SECTION 13.3. THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING SECTIONS TO READ:
10 SECTION 1741.1-E. ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD.

11 (A) REGULATIONS.--FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE
12 ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY BOARD, THE BOARD SHALL PROMULGATE PROPOSED
13 REGULATIONS AND REGULATIONS UNDER 58 PA.C.S. (RELATING TO OIL
14 AND GAS) OR OTHER LAWS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH RELATING TO
15 CONVENTIONAL OIL AND GAS WELLS SEPARATELY FROM PROPOSED
16 REGULATIONS AND REGULATIONS RELATING TO UNCONVENTIONAL GAS
17 WELLS. ALL REGULATIONS UNDER 58 PA.C.S. SHALL DIFFERENTIATE
18 BETWEEN CONVENTIONAL OIL AND GAS WELLS AND UNCONVENTIONAL GAS
19 WELLS. REGULATIONS PROMULGATED UNDER THIS SECTION SHALL APPLY TO
20 REGULATIONS PROMULGATED ON OR AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
21 SECTION.

22 (B) DEFINITIONS.--AS USED IN THIS SECTION, THE FOLLOWING
23 WORDS AND PHRASES SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS
24 SUBSECTION UNLESS THE CONTEXT CLEARLY INDICATES OTHERWISE:

25 "CONVENTIONAL OIL AND GAS WELL." A BORE HOLE DRILLED FOR THE
26 PURPOSE OF PRODUCING OIL OR GAS FROM A CONVENTIONAL FORMATION.
27 THE TERM INCLUDES ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:

28 (1) A WELL DRILLED TO PRODUCE OIL.

29 (2) A WELL DRILLED TO PRODUCE NATURAL GAS FROM
30 FORMATIONS OTHER THAN SHALE FORMATIONS.

1 (3) A WELL DRILLED TO PRODUCE NATURAL GAS FROM SHALE
2 FORMATIONS LOCATED ABOVE THE BASE OF THE ELK GROUP OR ITS
3 STRATIGRAPHIC EQUIVALENT.

4 (4) A WELL DRILLED TO PRODUCE NATURAL GAS FROM SHALE
5 FORMATIONS LOCATED BELOW THE BASE OF THE ELK GROUP WHERE
6 NATURAL GAS CAN BE PRODUCED AT ECONOMIC FLOW RATES OR IN
7 ECONOMIC VOLUMES WITHOUT THE USE OF VERTICAL OR NONVERTICAL
8 WELL BORES STIMULATED BY HYDRAULIC FRACTURE TREATMENTS OR BY
9 USING MULTILATERAL WELL BORES OR OTHER TECHNIQUES TO EXPOSE
10 MORE OF THE FORMATION TO THE WELL BORE.

11 (5) IRRESPECTIVE OF FORMATION, A WELL DRILLED FOR
12 COLLATERAL PURPOSES, SUCH AS MONITORING, GEOLOGIC LOGGING,
13 SECONDARY AND TERTIARY RECOVERY OR DISPOSAL INJECTION.

14 "UNCONVENTIONAL GAS WELL." AS DEFINED IN 58 PA.C.S. § 2301
15 (RELATING TO DEFINITIONS).

16 SECTION 1795.1-E. SURCHARGES.

17 (A) LEGISLATIVE FINDING.--DUE TO REDUCTIONS IN REVENUE
18 AVAILABLE TO THE COMMONWEALTH, IT IS NECESSARY TO INCREASE
19 CERTAIN FEES OR SURCHARGES TO ADEQUATELY FUND THE UNIFIED
20 JUDICIAL SYSTEM.

21 (B) IMPOSITION.--IN ADDITION TO THE FEE UNDER 42 PA.C.S. §
22 3733.1(A)(1) (RELATING TO SURCHARGE), AN ADDITIONAL SURCHARGE OF
23 \$10 SHALL BE CHARGED AND COLLECTED BY A DIVISION OF THE UNIFIED
24 JUDICIAL SYSTEM. THIS SUBSECTION SHALL EXPIRE DECEMBER 31, 2017.

25 SECTION 13.4. ARTICLE XVII-E OF THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING
26 A SUBARTICLE TO READ:

27 SUBARTICLE F

28 OTHER AGENCIES

29 SECTION 1799.1-E. PENNSYLVANIA LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD.

30 IN ORDER TO ENCOURAGE APPLICATIONS FOR LICENSURE FOR TAVERN

1 GAMING, THE PENNSYLVANIA LIQUOR CONTROL BOARD MAY REDUCE THE
2 LICENSE FEE UNDER SECTION 905(C) OF THE ACT OF DECEMBER 19, 1988
3 (P.L.1262, NO.156), KNOWN AS THE LOCAL OPTION SMALL GAMES OF
4 CHANCE ACT, TO \$500 UPON APPROVAL OF THE LICENSE.

5 SECTION 14. REPEALS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

6 (1) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS AND DECLARES AS FOLLOWS:

7 (I) EACH YEAR, ARTICLES ON BUDGET IMPLEMENTATION ARE
8 ADDED TO THE ACT OF APRIL 9, 1929 (P.L.343, NO.176),
9 KNOWN AS THE FISCAL CODE.

10 (II) THESE ARTICLES ARE TEMPORARY IN NATURE BUT ARE
11 PLACED PERMANENTLY INTO THE ACT, UTILIZING ARTICLE
12 NUMBERS AND SECTION NUMBERS.

13 (III) REUSING ARTICLE NUMBERS AND SECTION NUMBERS
14 WILL KEEP THE TEXT OF THE ACT MORE CONCISE.

15 (IV) THE REPEALS UNDER PARAGRAPH (2) ARE NECESSARY
16 TO EFFECTUATE SUBPARAGRAPH (III).

17 (2) ARTICLES XVII-J AND XVII-K OF THE ACT, ADDED OCTOBER
18 9, 2009 (P.L.537, NO.50), ARE REPEALED.

19 SECTION 15. THE ACT IS AMENDED BY ADDING ARTICLES TO READ:

20 ARTICLE XVII-E.1
21 RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE
22 FOR UNDERSERVED COUNTIES

23 SECTION 1701-E.1. APPLICABILITY.

24 THIS ARTICLE APPLIES TO APPROPRIATIONS FROM EVERY GENERAL
25 APPROPRIATION ACT.

26 SECTION 1702-E.1. SCOPE OF ARTICLE.

27 THIS ARTICLE PROVIDES FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A RURAL
28 REGIONAL COLLEGE IN A MULTICOUNTY RURAL AREA THAT IS UNDERSERVED
29 BY COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY COLLEGE EDUCATION AND WORK FORCE
30 DEVELOPMENT.

1 SECTION 1703-E.1. DEFINITIONS.

2 THE FOLLOWING WORDS AND PHRASES WHEN USED IN THIS ARTICLE
3 SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS SECTION UNLESS THE
4 CONTEXT CLEARLY INDICATES OTHERWISE:

5 "ANNUAL." A 12-MONTH PERIOD COTERMINOUS WITH THE
6 COMMONWEALTH'S FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1 AND ENDING JUNE 30.

7 "BOARD OF TRUSTEES." THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF A RURAL
8 REGIONAL COLLEGE ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS ARTICLE.

9 "COUNTY." ANY COUNTY IN THIS COMMONWEALTH.

10 "CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT." A MEMBER OF THE AMERICAN
11 INSTITUTE OF CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS WHO HAS A MINIMUM OF
12 FIVE YEARS' VERIFIABLE EXPERIENCE IN PERFORMING AUDITS OF
13 GOVERNMENT FUNDS FOR NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS WITH A COMPARABLE
14 OR LARGER ANNUAL BUDGET.

15 "MIDDLE STATES." THE MIDDLE STATES ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGES
16 AND SCHOOLS.

17 "PARTNER INSTITUTION." ONE OR MORE MIDDLE STATES-ACCREDITED
18 INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.

19 "RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE." A PUBLIC INSTITUTION OF HIGHER
20 EDUCATION WHICH IS ESTABLISHED IN A RURAL AREA AND OPERATED IN
21 ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE AS A COLLEGE
22 WHICH PROVIDES UP TO A TWO-YEAR, POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION NOT TO
23 EXCEED THE LEVEL OF AN ASSOCIATE OF ARTS OR SCIENCES DEGREE AND
24 WHICH IS ACTIVE IN WORK FORCE DEVELOPMENT.

25 "RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE PLAN" OR "PLAN." A PLAN FOR THE
26 ESTABLISHMENT AND OPERATION OF A RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE UNDER
27 THIS ARTICLE.

28 "SECRETARY." THE SECRETARY OF EDUCATION OF THE COMMONWEALTH
29 OR SUCH PERSON AS THE SECRETARY MAY DESIGNATE TO ACT ON BEHALF
30 OF THE SECRETARY WITH REGARD TO ANY OF THE DUTIES AND

1 PREROGATIVES IMPOSED BY THIS ARTICLE.

2 "STATE BOARD." THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

3 SECTION 1704-E.1. DESIGNATIONS BY SECRETARY.

4 (A) DUTIES OF SECRETARY.--

5 (1) WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
6 SECTION, THE SECRETARY SHALL DESIGNATE AN ESTABLISHED
7 NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION AS DEFINED UNDER SECTION 501(C)(3) OF
8 THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE OF 1986 (PUBLIC LAW 99-514, 26
9 U.S.C. § 501(C)(3)), WHICH REPRESENTS A RURAL MULTICOUNTY
10 REGION UNDERSERVED BY A COMPREHENSIVE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
11 PROGRAM, INCLUDING WORK FORCE DEVELOPMENT, TO ASSIST THE
12 SECRETARY WITH THE DESIGNATION UNDER PARAGRAPH (2).

13 (2) WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE DESIGNATION UNDER PARAGRAPH
14 (1), THE SECRETARY SHALL, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE NONPROFIT
15 ORGANIZATION, DESIGNATE CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES OR PARTS OF
16 CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES TO BE SERVED BY ESTABLISHMENT OF A RURAL
17 REGIONAL COLLEGE.

18 (B) CHANGES.--NO SOONER THAN FOUR YEARS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE
19 DATE OF THIS SECTION, THE SECRETARY, WITH APPROVAL OF THE BOARD
20 OF TRUSTEES, MAY ADD COUNTIES OR PARTS OF COUNTIES TO BE SERVED
21 BY THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE.

22 SECTION 1705-E.1. DESIGNATION AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

23 WITHIN 60 DAYS OF THE SECRETARY'S DESIGNATION UNDER SECTION
24 1704-E.1(A)(2), A BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL BE APPOINTED TO
25 ESTABLISH A RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE. THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL
26 CONSIST OF NOT FEWER THAN SEVEN MEMBERS NOR MORE THAN 15 MEMBERS
27 APPOINTED BY THE SECRETARY IN CONSULTATION AND JOINTLY WITH THE
28 NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION DESIGNATED UNDER SECTION 1704-E.1(A)(1).
29 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES ESTABLISHED
30 UNDER THIS SECTION:

1 (1) MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL BE
2 REPRESENTATIVE OF THE AREA DESIGNATED UNDER SECTION 1704-
3 E.1(A) (2) AND MAY INCLUDE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS, COMMUNITY
4 EDUCATION COUNCIL OFFICIALS, BUSINESS LEADERS AND GOVERNMENT
5 OFFICIALS.

6 (2) MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL BE APPOINTED
7 FOR TERMS OF THREE YEARS EACH, EXCEPT THAT THOSE PERSONS
8 INITIALLY APPOINTED SHALL DRAW LOTS TO DETERMINE WHICH
9 TRUSTEES SHALL SERVE FOR A TERM OF THREE YEARS, WHICH
10 TRUSTEES SHALL SERVE FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS AND WHICH
11 TRUSTEES SHALL SERVE FOR A TERM OF ONE YEAR. TO THE EXTENT
12 PRACTICABLE, FROM THOSE TRUSTEES INITIALLY APPOINTED, AN
13 EQUAL NUMBER SHALL DRAW LOTS TO SERVE FOR A TERM OF THREE
14 YEARS, FOR A TERM OF TWO YEARS AND FOR A TERM OF ONE YEAR.
15 THEREAFTER, ALL MEMBERS SHALL BE APPOINTED FOR TERMS OF THREE
16 YEARS EACH.

17 (3) VACANCIES ON THE BOARD SHALL BE FILLED BY THE
18 EXISTING BOARD. A TRUSTEE MAY SUCCEED HIMSELF, PROVIDED THAT
19 NO MEMBER SHALL SERVE FOR LONGER THAN TEN YEARS.

20 (4) THE SECRETARY SHALL CONVENE AN INITIAL MEETING OF
21 THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE SECRETARY'S
22 APPOINTMENT OF A BOARD OF TRUSTEES UNDER THIS SECTION. AFTER
23 THE INITIAL MEETING, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL MEET AT SUCH
24 TIMES EACH YEAR AS THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES DETERMINES TO BE
25 NECESSARY TO SATISFY THE REQUIREMENTS OF THIS ARTICLE.

26 (5) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL ADOPT STANDING OPERATING
27 RULES AND PROCEDURES, BY LAWS AND ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

28 (6) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL ESTABLISH AN ADVISORY
29 COUNCIL OF PRESIDENTS, OR THEIR DESIGNEES, FROM INSTITUTIONS
30 WITH POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION PROGRAMS WITHIN THE REGION

1 DESIGNATED UNDER SECTION 1704-E.1(A)(2). THE ADVISORY COUNCIL
2 SHALL MEET QUARTERLY TO DISCUSS EMPLOYER AND WORK FORCE
3 NEEDS, NEW EDUCATIONAL OFFERINGS AND GENERAL COORDINATION OF
4 SERVICE AND FACILITIES. ONE ADVISORY COUNCIL MEMBER
5 REPRESENTING A COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND ONE ADVISORY COUNCIL
6 MEMBER THAT IS A PRESIDENT OF A COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY SHALL
7 SERVE AS CO-CHAIRS.

8 (7) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL CHOOSE FROM AMONG ITS
9 MEMBERS A CHAIRMAN, VICE CHAIRMAN AND SECRETARY.

10 (8) A MAJORITY OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
11 SHALL CONSTITUTE A QUORUM.

12 (9) TRUSTEES SHALL SERVE WITHOUT COMPENSATION, EXCEPT
13 THAT THEY SHALL BE REIMBURSED BY THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE
14 FOR THEIR ACTUAL AND NECESSARY EXPENSES INCURRED IN THE
15 PERFORMANCE OF THEIR DUTIES.

16 SECTION 1706-E.1. ESTABLISHMENT.

17 (A) GENERAL RULE.--WITHIN ONE YEAR OF ITS INITIAL MEETING,
18 THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES APPOINTED UNDER SECTION 1705-E.1 SHALL
19 SUBMIT TO THE SECRETARY A PROPOSED RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE PLAN
20 IN SUCH FORM AND CONTAINING SUCH INFORMATION AS THE SECRETARY
21 MAY REQUIRE. IN ADDITION TO OTHER INFORMATION WHICH MAY BE
22 REQUIRED BY THE SECRETARY, THE PLAN SHALL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

23 (1) A DESIGNATION OF THE NAME OF THE PROPOSED RURAL
24 REGIONAL COLLEGE WHICH SHALL BE THE "RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE
25 OF " OR " RURAL REGIONAL
26 COLLEGE."

27 (2) A SURVEY OF THE EDUCATIONAL, VOCATIONAL AND
28 OCCUPATIONAL NEEDS OF THE AREA AND THE MEANS BY WHICH THE
29 PROPOSED RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE WILL MEET THOSE NEEDS, RE-
30 ENGAGE HIGH SCHOOL DROPOUTS TO EARN THEIR SECONDARY

1 CREDENTIALS AND POSTSECONDARY CREDENTIALS OR INDUSTRY
2 CERTIFICATION, REDUCE UNEMPLOYMENT AND IMPROVE THE EMPLOYABLE
3 SKILLS OF RESIDENTS OF THE AREA TO BE SERVED BY THE RURAL
4 REGIONAL COLLEGE.

5 (3) AN OPERATING AND FINANCIAL PLAN FOR THE PROPOSED
6 RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE, INCLUDING A PLAN FOR THE CAPITAL
7 NEEDS AND EXPENSES OF THE PROPOSED RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE.

8 (4) A PLAN BY WHICH THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE SHALL
9 SEEK ACCREDITATION BY AN ACCREDITING ASSOCIATION WHICH IS
10 RECOGNIZED BY THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

11 (B) SUBMISSION OF PLAN.--WITHIN 60 DAYS OF THE SUBMISSION OF
12 THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE PLAN TO THE SECRETARY, THE SECRETARY
13 SHALL ISSUE AN APPROVAL OR REJECTION OF THE PLAN. A REJECTION OF
14 THE PLAN SHALL BE ACCOMPANIED BY A WRITTEN STATEMENT OF THE
15 REASONS FOR THE REJECTION OF THE PLAN. IF THE PLAN IS REJECTED,
16 THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL SUBMIT A REVISED PLAN TO THE
17 SECRETARY WITHIN 60 DAYS OF THE PLAN'S REJECTION.

18 (C) PLAN APPROVAL.--UPON THE APPROVAL OF THE PLAN BY THE
19 SECRETARY, THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE SHALL BE CONSIDERED
20 ESTABLISHED.

21 SECTION 1707-E.1. POWERS AND DUTIES OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

22 (A) GENERAL RULE.--THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES APPOINTED UNDER
23 SECTION 1705-E.1 SHALL ADMINISTER AND SUPERVISE THE AFFAIRS OF
24 THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS ARTICLE.
25 SUBJECT TO ANY OTHER LAW AND TO ANY REGULATIONS PROMULGATED BY
26 THE STATE BOARD PERTAINING TO RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGES, THE BOARD
27 OF TRUSTEES SHALL HAVE THE FOLLOWING POWERS AND DUTIES:

28 (1) TO ADVANCE THE MISSION OF THE RURAL REGIONAL
29 COLLEGE IN SERVICE TO RESIDENTS OF THE REGION DESIGNATED
30 UNDER SECTION 1704-E.1(A)(2).

1 (2) TO APPOINT AND FIX THE SALARY OF A PRESIDENT OF THE
2 RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE.

3 (3) TO APPOINT AND FIX THE SALARY OF A CHIEF FINANCIAL
4 OFFICER OF THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE.

5 (4) TO HOLD, RENT, LEASE, SELL, PURCHASE AND IMPROVE
6 LAND, BUILDINGS, FURNISHINGS, EQUIPMENT, MATERIALS, BOOKS AND
7 SUPPLIES.

8 (5) TO ENTER INTO CONTRACTS FOR SERVICES WITH COMMUNITY
9 EDUCATION COUNCILS, SCHOOLS, COLLEGES OR UNIVERSITIES, OR
10 WITH SCHOOL DISTRICTS OR MUNICIPALITIES, AND OTHER APPLICABLE
11 OR APPROPRIATE AGENCIES AND ORGANIZATIONS, TO EFFECTUATE THE
12 PURPOSES OF THIS ARTICLE.

13 (6) TO ACCEPT AND RECEIVE GIFTS OF REAL AND PERSONAL
14 PROPERTY AND FEDERAL, STATE AND LOCAL MONEYS, LOANS AND
15 GRANTS, AND TO EXPEND THE SAME.

16 (7) TO MAKE POLICIES PROVIDING FOR THE ADMISSION AND
17 EXPULSION OF STUDENTS, THE COURSES OF INSTRUCTION, THE
18 TUITION AND FEES TO BE CHARGED AND FOR ALL MATTERS RELATED TO
19 THE GOVERNMENT AND ADMINISTRATION OF THE RURAL REGIONAL
20 COLLEGE, PROVIDED THAT POLICIES RELATED TO ADMISSION, TUITION
21 AND FEES GIVE PREFERENCE TO RESIDENTS OF THE AREA DESIGNATED
22 BY THE SECRETARY PURSUANT TO SECTION 1704-E.1(A) (2).

23 (8) TO SUBMIT TO THE SECRETARY FOR APPROVAL PROPOSED
24 AMENDMENTS TO THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE PLAN.

25 (9) TO ENTER INTO CONTRACTS FOR SERVICES TO HIGH SCHOOLS
26 LOCATED IN THE AREA DESIGNATED BY THE SECRETARY UNDER SECTION
27 1704-E.1 TO PROVIDE SERVICES, INCLUDING AREA VOCATIONAL-
28 TECHNICAL EDUCATION SERVICES.

29 (10) TO APPROVE AN ANNUAL BUDGET TO BE SUBMITTED TO THE
30 SECRETARY FOR FUNDING.

1 (11) TO EXERCISE SUCH OTHER POWERS AND PERFORM SUCH
2 OTHER DUTIES AS ARE NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE PURPOSES OF
3 THIS ARTICLE.

4 (B) DUTIES OF BOARD.--THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL ENTER INTO
5 CONTRACTS, HOLD PROPERTY AND TAKE OTHER ACTIONS IN THE NAME OF
6 THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE.

7 (C) INITIAL PARTNERSHIP.--

8 (1) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES SHALL SELECT INITIALLY A
9 PARTNER INSTITUTION TO DEVELOP AND OFFER ACCREDITED COURSES
10 AND PROGRAMS OF STUDY AT THE APPROVED SITES OF OPERATION.

11 (2) THE PARTNER INSTITUTION SHALL SELECT PROGRAMS ONLY
12 WITH APPROVAL OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND CONSISTENT WITH
13 THE PARTNER INSTITUTION'S ACCREDITATION AND SHALL BE
14 RESPONSIBLE FOR STAFFING AND EVALUATION AND PROVISION OF
15 OTHER SUPPORT SERVICES AS MAY BE REQUIRED FOR STUDENTS.

16 (3) THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MAY CONTRACT WITH OTHER
17 COLLEGES TO PROVIDE CURRICULA NOT AVAILABLE THROUGH THE
18 PARTNER INSTITUTION.

19 (4) AS THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE IS ABLE TO OPERATE ON
20 ITS OWN, A TRANSITION PLAN AND BUDGET SHALL BE INCLUDED IN
21 THE CONTRACT BETWEEN THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE AND THE
22 PARTNER INSTITUTION TO EFFICIENTLY EXPEDITE THE TRANSITION.

23 (5) NOTHING IN THIS ARTICLE SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO
24 PRECLUDE THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES FROM CONTRACTING FOR SPECIFIC
25 SERVICES OR PROGRAMS FOLLOWING THE TRANSITION FROM THE
26 INITIAL PARTNER INSTITUTION.

27 SECTION 1708-E.1. OFFICERS OF RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE.

28 (A) PRESIDENT.--THE PRESIDENT SHALL BE THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE
29 AND ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER OF THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE AND
30 SHALL PERFORM ALL DUTIES WHICH THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES MAY

1 PRESCRIBE. THE PRESIDENT SHALL HAVE THE RIGHT TO ATTEND MEETINGS
2 OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES AND TO BE HEARD ON ALL MATTERS BEFORE
3 IT, BUT SHALL HAVE NO RIGHT TO VOTE ON ANY MATTER.

4 (B) CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER.--THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER OF
5 THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE SHALL GIVE A PROPER BOND IN SUCH
6 AMOUNT AND WITH SUCH CORPORATE SURETY AS IS APPROVED BY THE
7 BOARD OF TRUSTEES. THE CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER SHALL FILE THE
8 BOND WITH THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES. THE ACCOUNT OF THE CHIEF
9 FINANCIAL OFFICER SHALL BE AUDITED ANNUALLY BY A CERTIFIED
10 PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT OR OTHER QUALIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT SELECTED
11 BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

12 SECTION 1709-E.1. STUDENTS.

13 ANY INDIVIDUAL MAY APPLY FOR ADMISSION TO THE RURAL REGIONAL
14 COLLEGE ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS ARTICLE, PROVIDED THAT PREFERENCE
15 IN ADMISSIONS, TUITION AND FEES MAY BE GIVEN TO RESIDENTS OF THE
16 MULTICOUNTY AREA DESIGNATED BY THE SECRETARY PURSUANT TO SECTION
17 1704-E.1(A) (2). IN CONSIDERING APPLICANTS FOR ADMISSION, THE
18 RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE SHALL NOT DISCRIMINATE ON THE BASIS OF
19 RACE, COLOR, GENDER, MARITAL STATUS, ETHNIC GROUP OR RELIGION.

20 SECTION 1710-E.1. TUITION.

21 THE TUITION AND FEES CHARGED BY THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE
22 SHALL BE AN AMOUNT DETERMINED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, IN
23 ACCORDANCE WITH THE BUDGET SUBMITTED TO THE SECRETARY. THE BOARD
24 OF TRUSTEES SHALL ANNUALLY ESTABLISH A SEPARATE SCHEDULE OF
25 TUITION AND FEES FOR STUDENTS THAT RESIDE INSIDE THE REGION
26 DESIGNATED UNDER SECTION 1704-E.1(A) (2) AND STUDENTS THAT RESIDE
27 OUTSIDE SAID REGION.

28 SECTION 1711-E.1. DISSOLUTION AND TRANSITION OF RURAL REGIONAL
29 COLLEGE.

30 THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS ARTICLE MAY

1 NOT BE DISSOLVED WITHOUT THE APPROVAL OF THE SECRETARY. UPON
2 DISSOLUTION OF THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE, THE COMMONWEALTH
3 SHALL ASSUME ALL ASSETS AND LIABILITIES OF THE RURAL REGIONAL
4 COLLEGE, EXCEPT THAT SUCH ASSETS THAT ARE THE PROPERTY OF ANY
5 PARTNER INSTITUTION THAT MAY BE OPERATING FOR AND WITHIN THE
6 RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE SHALL REMAIN THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTNER
7 INSTITUTION.

8 SECTION 1712-E.1. DEGREES.

9 THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS ARTICLE MAY
10 AWARD ANY TYPE OF DIPLOMA, TECHNICAL OR CAREER TRAINING
11 CERTIFICATE OR ASSOCIATE DEGREES IN THE ARTS, SCIENCES,
12 TECHNOLOGIES OR GENERAL EDUCATION UPON SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION OF
13 PROGRAMS AUTHORIZED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES. AS LONG AS THE
14 PARTNER INSTITUTION PROVIDES THE ACCREDITED CURRICULA AND
15 COURSES UNDER CONTRACT TO THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE, THE
16 REQUIREMENTS OF THE ACCREDITING AGENCY SHALL PERTAIN TO THE
17 GRANTING OF SUCH AWARDS.

18 SECTION 1713-E.1. FUNDING.

19 THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS ARTICLE
20 SHALL BE FUNDED BY TUITION AND FEES ESTABLISHED BY THE BOARD OF
21 TRUSTEES, AND MAY ACCEPT APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE GENERAL
22 ASSEMBLY, GRANTS FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, GRANTS FROM THE
23 COMMONWEALTH, GRANTS FROM PRIVATE FOUNDATIONS OR ANY COMBINATION
24 THEREOF.

25 SECTION 1714-E.1. FINANCIAL AID.

26 (A) INITIAL PARTNERSHIP PERIOD.--DURING THE RURAL REGIONAL
27 COLLEGE'S INITIAL PARTNERSHIP WITH A PARTNER INSTITUTION, A
28 STUDENT ENROLLED IN THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE SHALL BE ELIGIBLE
29 FOR CONSIDERATION FOR A PENNSYLVANIA STATE GRANT AND OTHER
30 COMMONWEALTH-FUNDED FINANCIAL AID ADMINISTERED BY THE

1 PENNSYLVANIA HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AGENCY, PROVIDED THAT
2 THE PARTNER INSTITUTION IS AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION AS
3 APPROVED BY AND IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE
4 PENNSYLVANIA HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE AGENCY.

5 (B) POST-TRANSITION PERIOD.--UPON THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE
6 OPERATING ON ITS OWN WITHOUT A PARTNER INSTITUTION, A STUDENT
7 SHALL ONLY BE ELIGIBLE FOR CONSIDERATION FOR A PENNSYLVANIA
8 STATE GRANT AND ANY OTHER COMMONWEALTH-FUNDED FINANCIAL AID IF
9 THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE IS APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF
10 EDUCATION AND IS ACCREDITED OR A RECOGNIZED CANDIDATE FOR
11 ACCREDITATION WITH AN ACCREDITING BODY RECOGNIZED UNDER RULES
12 AND REGULATIONS OF THE PENNSYLVANIA HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE
13 AGENCY AND SATISFIES ANY OTHER INSTITUTIONAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE
14 PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS AS THE PENNSYLVANIA HIGHER EDUCATION
15 ASSISTANCE AGENCY MAY REQUIRE.
16 SECTION 1715-E.1. REGULATIONS.

17 THE STATE BOARD MAY PROMULGATE REGULATIONS PURSUANT TO THE
18 ACT OF JUNE 25, 1982 (P.L.633, NO.181), KNOWN AS THE REGULATORY
19 REVIEW ACT, AS NECESSARY TO IMPLEMENT THIS ARTICLE.
20 SECTION 1716-E.1. REPORTS.

21 THE LEGISLATIVE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE SHALL PREPARE
22 AND SUBMIT TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WRITTEN INTERIM AND FINAL
23 REPORTS EVALUATING THE OPERATION OF THIS ARTICLE. THE INTERIM
24 REPORT SHALL BE SUBMITTED BY JUNE 30, 2018, AND THE FINAL REPORT
25 SHALL BE SUBMITTED BY JUNE 30, 2022. EACH REPORT SHALL INCLUDE,
26 BUT MAY NOT BE LIMITED TO, THE FOLLOWING:

27 (1) A REVIEW OF THE SUCCESS OF THE RURAL REGIONAL
28 COLLEGE ESTABLISHED UNDER THIS ARTICLE IN SATISFYING THE
29 GOALS SET FORTH IN THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE PLAN APPROVED
30 BY THE SECRETARY AND IN SATISFYING THE NEEDS OF THE

1 MULTICOUNTY AREA THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE WAS ESTABLISHED
2 TO SERVE.

3 (2) DEMOGRAPHIC AND PROGRAM DATA, INCLUDING THE
4 FOLLOWING:

5 (I) NUMBERS OF FULL-TIME AND PART-TIME FACULTY AND
6 STUDENT ENROLLMENTS, IN TOTAL AND WITHIN CURRICULAR
7 AREAS.

8 (II) DUAL ENROLLMENT PARTICIPATION.

9 (III) CREDIT HOURS TAUGHT BY FACULTY.

10 (IV) DISTANCE LEARNING COURSES OFFERED.

11 (V) ARTICULATION AGREEMENTS WITH HIGHER EDUCATION
12 INSTITUTIONS.

13 (VI) LISTS OF COURSES WITH FEWER THAN 20 STUDENTS.

14 (VII) LISTS OF COURSES WITH MORE THAN 50 STUDENTS.

15 WHERE AVAILABLE, STUDENT DATA SHALL BE DISAGGREGATED BY
16 CATEGORIES, INCLUDING GENDER, RACE AND AGE.

17 (3) STUDENT PROGRESS AND ACHIEVEMENT MEASURES, INCLUDING
18 THE FOLLOWING:

19 (I) RETENTION RATES RELATED TO STUDENT GOALS.

20 (II) GRADUATION AND COMPLETION RATES AFTER TWO,
21 THREE AND FOUR YEARS.

22 (III) PASSING RATES ON CERTIFICATION AND LICENSURE
23 EXAMINATIONS.

24 (IV) NUMBER OF STUDENTS EMPLOYED WITHIN ONE YEAR OF
25 PROGRAM COMPLETION.

26 (V) PLACEMENT INTO ADDITIONAL EDUCATION OR
27 EMPLOYMENT IN THE STUDENT'S FIELD OF STUDY.

28 WHERE AVAILABLE, DATA SHALL BE DISAGGREGATED BY CATEGORIES,
29 INCLUDING GENDER, RACE AND AGE.

30 (4) ECONOMIC AND WORK FORCE DEVELOPMENT MEASURES,

1 INCLUDING:

2 (I) EMPLOYER SATISFACTION.

3 (II) CUSTOMIZED JOB TRAINING OFFERINGS.

4 (III) EMPLOYMENT STATUS.

5 (IV) NUMBERS OF BUSINESSES AND ORGANIZATIONS SERVED.

6 (5) RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUTURE LEGISLATION.

7 SECTION 1717-E.1. TRANSFERS OF CREDITS.

8 FOR PURPOSES OF FACILITATING THE TRANSFER OF CREDITS ATTAINED
9 BY STUDENTS OF THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE, THE RURAL REGIONAL
10 COLLEGE SHALL BE CONSIDERED A PUBLIC INSTITUTION OF HIGHER
11 EDUCATION AS DEFINED IN SECTION 2001-C OF THE ACT OF MARCH 10,
12 1949 (P.L.30, NO.14), KNOWN AS THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949,
13 AND, UPON THE RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE BEING ABLE TO OPERATE ON
14 ITS OWN, SHALL BE REQUIRED TO FULFILL ALL THE DUTIES AND OBTAIN
15 FOR ITS STUDENTS ALL THE BENEFITS OF ARTICLE XX-C OF THE PUBLIC
16 SCHOOL CODE OF 1949, WITHIN TWO YEARS OF OPERATION OF THE
17 ESTABLISHED RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE.

18 ARTICLE XVII-J

19 2014-2015 BUDGET IMPLEMENTATION

20 SUBARTICLE A

21 PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS

22 SECTION 1701-J. APPLICABILITY.

23 EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED IN THIS ARTICLE, THIS ARTICLE
24 APPLIES TO THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT AND ALL OTHER
25 APPROPRIATION ACTS OF 2014.

26 SECTION 1702-J. DEFINITIONS.

27 (A) DEFINITIONS.--THE FOLLOWING WORDS AND PHRASES WHEN USED
28 IN THIS ARTICLE SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS
29 SECTION UNLESS THE CONTEXT CLEARLY INDICATES OTHERWISE:

30 "GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT." THE ACT OF _____, 2014 (P.L. _____,

1 NO. A), KNOWN AS THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT OF 2014.
2 "PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949." THE ACT OF MARCH 10, 1949
3 (P.L.30, NO.14), KNOWN AS THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949.

4 "SECRETARY." THE SECRETARY OF THE BUDGET OF THE
5 COMMONWEALTH.

6 (B) ABBREVIATIONS.--THE FOLLOWING ABBREVIATIONS WHEN USED IN
7 THIS ARTICLE SHALL HAVE THE MEANINGS GIVEN TO THEM IN THIS
8 SECTION:

9 "AIDS." ACQUIRED IMMUNE DEFICIENCY SYNDROME.

10 "ARC." APPALACHIAN REGIONAL COMMISSION.

11 "ARRA." THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009
12 (PUBLIC LAW 111-5, 123 STAT. 115).

13 "BG." BLOCK GRANT.

14 "CCDFBG." CHILD CARE AND DEVELOPMENT FUND BLOCK GRANT.

15 "CSBG." COMMUNITY SERVICES BLOCK GRANT.

16 "DCSI." DRUG CONTROL AND SYSTEMS IMPROVEMENT FORMULA GRANT
17 PROGRAM.

18 "DFSC." THE SAFE AND DRUG-FREE SCHOOLS AND COMMUNITIES ACT
19 (PUBLIC LAW 107-110, 20 U.S.C. § 7101 ET SEQ.).

20 "DOE." DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY.

21 "EEOC." EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION.

22 "EPA." ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY.

23 "ESEA." THE ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION ACT OF 1965
24 (PUBLIC LAW 89-10, 20 U.S.C. § 6301 ET SEQ.).

25 "FEMA." FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY.

26 "FTA." FEDERAL TRANSIT ADMINISTRATION.

27 "HUD." DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT.

28 "ID." INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY.

29 "LIHEABG." LOW-INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE BLOCK GRANT.

30 "LSTA." THE LIBRARY SERVICES AND TECHNOLOGY ACT (PUBLIC LAW

1 104-208, 20 U.S.C. § 9101 ET SEQ.).
2 "MCHSBG." MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH SERVICES BLOCK GRANT.
3 "MHBSBG." MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES BLOCK GRANT.
4 "PAFE." PENNSYLVANIA AGRICULTURAL FOOD EXPOSITION.
5 "PHHSBG." PREVENTIVE HEALTH AND HEALTH SERVICES BLOCK GRANT.
6 "RSAT." RESIDENTIAL SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT.
7 "SABG." SUBSTANCE ABUSE BLOCK GRANT.
8 "SCDBG." SMALL COMMUNITIES DEVELOPMENT BLOCK GRANT.
9 "SDA." SERVICE DELIVERY AREA.
10 "SSBG." SOCIAL SERVICES BLOCK GRANT.
11 "TANF." TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES.
12 "TANFBG." TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES BLOCK
13 GRANT.
14 "TEFAP." TEMPORARY EMERGENCY FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.
15 "WIA." THE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT ACT OF 1998 (PUBLIC LAW 105-
16 220, 112 STAT. 936).
17 "WIC." WOMEN, INFANTS AND CHILDREN PROGRAM.

18 SUBARTICLE B

19 EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS

20 SECTION 1711-J. GOVERNOR (RESERVED).

21 SECTION 1712-J. EXECUTIVE OFFICES.

22 (1) FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION ON
23 CRIME AND DELINQUENCY FOR INTERMEDIATE PUNISHMENT TREATMENT
24 PROGRAMS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED COMPETITIVELY TO COUNTIES FOR
25 OFFENDERS SENTENCED TO INTERMEDIATE PUNISHMENT PROGRAMS. THE
26 PORTION OF FUNDS FOR DRUG AND ALCOHOL TREATMENT PROGRAMS
27 SHALL BE BASED ON NATIONAL STATISTICS THAT IDENTIFY THE
28 PERCENTAGE OF INCARCERATED INDIVIDUALS THAT ARE IN NEED OF
29 TREATMENT FOR SUBSTANCE ISSUES BUT IN NO CASE SHALL BE LESS
30 THAN 80% OF THE AMOUNT APPROPRIATED.

1 (2) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE COMMISSION, AT LEAST
2 \$285,000 SHALL BE USED TO SUPPORT THE STATEWIDE AUTOMATED
3 VICTIM INFORMATION AND NOTIFICATION SYSTEM (SAVIN) TO PROVIDE
4 OFFENDER INFORMATION THROUGH COUNTY JAILS AND \$200,000 SHALL
5 BE USED FOR A RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT COMMUNITY FACILITY FOR
6 AT-RISK YOUTH LOCATED IN A COUNTY OF THE FIFTH CLASS.

7 (3) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR VIOLENCE PREVENTION
8 PROGRAMS, AT LEAST \$250,000 SHALL BE USED FOR PROGRAMS IN A
9 CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS AND AT LEAST \$450,000 SHALL BE USED
10 FOR A BLUEPRINT MENTORING PROGRAM THAT ADDRESSES REDUCING
11 YOUTH VIOLENCE IN CITIES OF THE FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD
12 CLASS.

13 (4) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS,
14 \$250,000 SHALL BE USED FOR A MOBILE CHILD ADVOCACY CENTER.

15 SECTION 1713-J. LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR (RESERVED).

16 SECTION 1714-J. ATTORNEY GENERAL (RESERVED).

17 SECTION 1715-J. AUDITOR GENERAL (RESERVED).

18 SECTION 1716-J. TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

19 FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR INTERGOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS,
20 \$45,000 SHALL BE ALLOCATED FOR PAYMENT OF DUES FOR FISCAL YEARS
21 2013-2014 AND 2014-2015 TO A COMMISSION OF THE ATLANTIC COASTAL
22 STATES THAT COORDINATES THE CONSERVATION AND MANAGEMENT OF NEAR-
23 SHORE FISH SPECIES.

24 SECTION 1717-J. DEPARTMENT OF AGING (RESERVED).

25 SECTION 1718-J. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

26 (1) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH,
27 AT LEAST \$300,000 SHALL BE USED FOR AN AGRICULTURAL RESOURCE
28 CENTER IN CONJUNCTION WITH A LAND-GRANT UNIVERSITY.

29 (2) AT LEAST 80% OF THE FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR HARDWOODS
30 RESEARCH AND PROMOTION SHALL BE EQUALLY DISTRIBUTED AMONG THE

1 HARDWOOD UTILIZATION GROUPS OF THIS COMMONWEALTH ESTABLISHED
2 PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION.

3 (3) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT
4 OPERATIONS, \$250,000 SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE DOG LAW
5 RESTRICTED ACCOUNT.

6 SECTION 1719-J. DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC
7 DEVELOPMENT.

8 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
9 DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT:

10 (1) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015, \$250,000 OF THE FUNDS
11 APPROPRIATED FOR KEYSTONE COMMUNITIES SHALL BE USED FOR THE
12 RESTORATION OF A HISTORIC PROPERTY TO PROVIDE AFFORDABLE
13 HOUSING IN A COUNTY OF THE FOURTH CLASS WITH A POPULATION,
14 BASED ON THE MOST RECENT FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS, OF AT
15 LEAST 150,000 BUT NOT MORE THAN 155,000 AND \$500,000 SHALL BE
16 USED FOR A DOWNTOWN REVITALIZATION PROJECT INCLUDING
17 INSTALLATION OF NEW LIGHTING SYSTEMS, SIGNAL UPGRADE AND
18 SIDEWALK REPLACEMENTS IN A CITY OF THE THIRD CLASS IN A
19 COUNTY OF THE FIFTH CLASS. THE REMAINING FUNDS INCLUDE AN
20 ALLOCATION FOR THE MAIN STREET AND ELM STREET PROGRAMS WHICH
21 ARE DISTRIBUTED IN THE SAME PROPORTION AS AMOUNTS ALLOCATED
22 IN FISCAL YEAR 2012-2013.

23 (2) THE SUM OF \$4,700,000 OF THE FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR
24 MARKETING TO ATTRACT TOURISTS INCLUDES AN ALLOCATION TO PLAN
25 AND MARKET A BIENNIAL ARTS AND CULTURAL ACTIVITY WHICH
26 GENERATES STATEWIDE AND REGIONAL ECONOMIC IMPACT, ALLOCATIONS
27 TO PROMOTE ANNUAL ARTS AND CULTURAL ACTIVITIES AND AN
28 ALLOCATION OF \$300,000 FOR AN ANNUAL STATEWIDE COMPETITION
29 SERVING APPROXIMATELY 2,000 ATHLETES WITH INTELLECTUAL
30 DISABILITIES FROM ACROSS THIS COMMONWEALTH TO BE HELD IN A

1 COUNTY OF THE FOURTH CLASS.

2 (3) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR INTERGOVERNMENTAL
3 COOPERATION AUTHORITY, \$300,000 TO CITIES OF THE SECOND CLASS
4 FOR PURPOSES DETERMINED BY THE BOARD TO BE NECESSARY TO
5 ACHIEVE OR SUSTAIN FISCAL RECOVERY.

6 SECTION 1720-J. DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL
7 RESOURCES.

8 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE
9 DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES IN THE GENERAL
10 APPROPRIATION ACT:

11 (1) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR HERITAGE AND OTHER
12 PARKS, \$500,000 SHALL BE USED FOR THE OPERATION AND
13 MAINTENANCE OF THE WASHINGTON CROSSING HISTORICAL PARK.

14 (2) (RESERVED).

15 SECTION 1721-J. DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS (RESERVED).

16 SECTION 1722-J. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.

17 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
18 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT:

19 (1) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT
20 OPERATIONS, \$50,000 SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO PROMOTE A NATIONAL
21 VETERAN'S EDUCATION PROGRAM.

22 (2) FROM AN APPROPRIATION FOR ADULT AND FAMILY LITERACY
23 PROGRAMS, SUMMER READING PROGRAMS AND THE ADULT HIGH SCHOOL
24 DIPLOMAS PROGRAM, \$400,000 SHALL BE ALLOCATED FOR AN AFTER-
25 SCHOOL LEARNING PROGRAM SERVICING LOW-INCOME STUDENTS LOCATED
26 IN A COUNTY OF THE SIXTH CLASS WITH A POPULATION, BASED ON
27 THE MOST RECENT FEDERAL DECENNIAL CENSUS, OF AT LEAST 60,000
28 BUT NOT MORE THAN 70,000.

29 (3) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR MOBILE SCIENCE AND MATH
30 EDUCATION PROGRAMS, \$50,000 SHALL BE ALLOCATED FOR A MATH

1 EDUCATION PROGRAM THAT TARGETS MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS,
2 \$150,000 SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO A NAUTICAL SCIENCE CENTER IN A
3 COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS, \$14,000 SHALL BE ALLOCATED FOR A
4 MATH LABORATORY IN A SCHOOL DISTRICT IN A CITY OF THE THIRD
5 CLASS LOCATED IN A COUNTY OF THE THIRD CLASS, \$500,000 SHALL
6 BE ALLOCATED FOR THE CONSTRUCTION OF A NATIONAL AERONAUTICS
7 AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION-SPONSORED SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY,
8 ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS CENTER IN A TOWNSHIP OF THE
9 SECOND CLASS IN A COUNTY OF THE SIXTH CLASS, AND \$500,000
10 SHALL BE ALLOCATED FOR A REGIONAL SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY,
11 ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS CENTER SERVING SIXTH THROUGH
12 TWELFTH GRADE STUDENTS LOCATED IN A TOWNSHIP OF THE FIRST
13 CLASS IN A COUNTY OF THE THIRD CLASS.

14 (4) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, FUNDS
15 APPROPRIATED FOR COMMUNITY EDUCATION COUNCILS SHALL BE
16 DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:

17 (I) EACH COMMUNITY EDUCATION COUNCIL WHICH RECEIVED
18 FUNDING IN FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014 SHALL RECEIVE AN AMOUNT
19 EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT IT RECEIVED IN THAT FISCAL YEAR AND A
20 PRO RATA SHARE OF \$50,000.

21 (II) NO LESS THAN \$480,000 FOR AN EDUCATION
22 CONSORTIUM SERVING CAMERON, CLARION, CLEARFIELD,
23 CRAWFORD, ELK, FOREST, JEFFERSON, MCKEAN, POTTER, VENANGO
24 AND WARREN COUNTIES.

25 (5) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR REGIONAL COMMUNITY
26 COLLEGE SERVICES, \$500,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO A
27 COMMUNITY COLLEGE IN A COUNTY OF THE FOURTH CLASS WITH A
28 POPULATION, BASED ON THE MOST RECENT FEDERAL DECENNIAL
29 CENSUS, OF AT LEAST 175,000, BUT NOT MORE THAN 190,000, AND
30 \$1,200,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO A RURAL REGIONAL COLLEGE

1 SERVING MULTIPLE RURAL COMMUNITIES OR PARTS OF RURAL
2 COMMUNITIES.

3 (6) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR PENNSYLVANIA CHARTER
4 SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND, \$1,100,000 SHALL BE
5 DISTRIBUTED PRO RATA BASED ON EACH SCHOOL'S INCREASED SHARE
6 OF REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES'
7 RETIREMENT.

8 (7) NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 1724-A OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
9 CODE OF 1949 OR 24 PA.C.S. § 8329 (RELATING TO PAYMENTS ON
10 ACCOUNT OF SOCIAL SECURITY DEDUCTIONS FROM APPROPRIATIONS),
11 NO PAYMENTS SHALL BE MADE TO CHARTER SCHOOLS OR CYBER CHARTER
12 SCHOOLS AUTHORIZED UNDER ARTICLE XVII-A OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
13 CODE OF 1949 FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR SCHOOL EMPLOYEES'
14 SOCIAL SECURITY.

15 (8) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, THE
16 FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO SCHOOL BUILDING CONSTRUCTION AND
17 RECONSTRUCTION PROJECTS FOR WHICH REIMBURSEMENT FROM THE
18 APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENTS ON ACCOUNT OF ANNUAL RENTAL OR
19 SINKING FUND CHARGES ON SCHOOL BUILDINGS, OR CHARTER SCHOOLS
20 IS BEING SOUGHT:

21 (I) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT HAS RECEIVED APPROVAL
22 FROM THE DEPARTMENT FOR REIMBURSEMENT, BUT FAILS TO
23 SUBMIT ALL ADDITIONAL PROJECT DOCUMENTATION REQUESTED
24 WITHIN 90 DAYS OF THE REQUEST, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL MOVE
25 THE PROJECT BACK IN THE REIMBURSEMENT ORDER UNTIL SUCH
26 TIME AS THE SCHOOL DISTRICT COMPLIES WITH THE INFORMATION
27 REQUEST AND SHALL MOVE OTHER PROJECTS UP IN THE
28 REIMBURSEMENT ORDER.

29 (II) THE SECRETARY OF EDUCATION MAY GRANT WAIVERS TO
30 SCHOOL DISTRICTS THAT FAIL TO SUBMIT REQUESTED

1 DOCUMENTATION UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) AND ARE IN THE
2 PROCESS OF RECONCILING FINANCIAL RECORDS, OR ARE FACING
3 LITIGATION OR BOND REFINANCING DELAYS.

4 (9) NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 1724-A OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
5 CODE OF 1949 OR 24 PA.C.S. §§ 8326 (RELATING TO CONTRIBUTIONS
6 BY THE COMMONWEALTH) AND 8535 (RELATING TO PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL
7 ENTITIES BY COMMONWEALTH), NO PAYMENTS SHALL BE MADE TO
8 CHARTER SCHOOLS OR CYBER CHARTER SCHOOLS AUTHORIZED UNDER
9 ARTICLE XVII-A OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949 FROM FUNDS
10 APPROPRIATED FOR PAYMENT OF REQUIRED CONTRIBUTIONS FOR PUBLIC
11 SCHOOL EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT.

12 (10) FROM THE APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENTS ON ACCOUNT OF
13 SPECIAL EDUCATION FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN, THE AMOUNT OF THE
14 APPROPRIATION ALLOCATED FOR PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS
15 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED AS FOLLOWS:

16 (I) EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL RECEIVE AN AMOUNT
17 EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT PAID DURING THE 2013-2014 SCHOOL YEAR
18 UNDER SECTION 2509.5(AAA) OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF
19 1949.

20 (II) A STUDENT-BASED ALLOCATION TO BE CALCULATED AS
21 FOLLOWS:

22 (A) MULTIPLY THE SUM OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S
23 WEIGHTED SPECIAL EDUCATION STUDENT HEADCOUNT AND ITS
24 SPARSITY/SIZE ADJUSTMENT BY ITS MARKET VALUE/INCOME
25 AID RATIO AND ITS EQUALIZED MILLAGE MULTIPLIER.

26 (B) MULTIPLY THE PRODUCT IN CLAUSE (A) BY
27 \$19,800,000.

28 (C) DIVIDE THE PRODUCT FROM CLAUSE (B) BY THE
29 SUM OF THE PRODUCTS IN CLAUSE (A) FOR ALL SCHOOL
30 DISTRICTS.

1 (11) FOR THE PURPOSES OF PARAGRAPH (10):

2 (I) THE WEIGHTED SPECIAL EDUCATION STUDENT HEADCOUNT
3 SHALL BE CALCULATED FOR EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT AS FOLLOWS:

4 (A) MULTIPLY THE NUMBER OF SPECIAL EDUCATION
5 STUDENTS WHO RESIDE IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR WHICH
6 THE ANNUAL EXPENDITURE IS LESS THAN \$25,000, WHICH
7 SHALL BE KNOWN AS CATEGORY 1, BY 1.51.

8 (B) MULTIPLY THE NUMBER OF SPECIAL EDUCATION
9 STUDENTS THAT RESIDE IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR WHICH
10 THE ANNUAL EXPENDITURE IS EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN
11 \$25,000 BUT LESS THAN \$50,000, WHICH SHALL BE KNOWN
12 AS CATEGORY 2, BY 3.77.

13 (C) MULTIPLY THE NUMBER OF SPECIAL EDUCATION
14 STUDENTS WHO RESIDE IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR WHICH
15 THE ANNUAL EXPENDITURE IS EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN
16 \$50,000, WHICH SHALL BE KNOWN AS CATEGORY 3, BY 7.46.

17 (D) ADD THE PRODUCTS IN CLAUSES (A), (B) AND
18 (C).

19 THE ANNUAL EXPENDITURE AMOUNT USED TO CALCULATE FUNDING
20 SHALL BE BASED ON THE INFORMATION REPORTED TO THE
21 DEPARTMENT UNDER SECTION 1372(8) OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
22 CODE OF 1949.

23 (II) THE SPARSITY RATIO SHALL BE CALCULATED FOR EACH
24 SCHOOL DISTRICT AS FOLLOWS:

25 (A) DIVIDE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S AVERAGE DAILY
26 MEMBERSHIP PER SQUARE MILE BY THE STATE'S AVERAGE
27 DAILY MEMBERSHIP PER SQUARE MILE.

28 (B) MULTIPLY THE QUOTIENT OF CLAUSE (A) BY 0.5.

29 (C) SUBTRACT THE PRODUCT IN CLAUSE (B) FROM 1.

30 (III) THE SIZE RATIO FOR EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL

1 BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

2 (A) DIVIDE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S AVERAGE DAILY
3 MEMBERSHIP BY THE AVERAGE OF THE AVERAGE DAILY
4 MEMBERSHIP OF ALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

5 (B) MULTIPLY THE QUOTIENT OF CLAUSE (A) BY 0.5.

6 (C) SUBTRACT THE PRODUCT IN CLAUSE (B) FROM 1.

7 (IV) THE SPARSITY/SIZE RATIO FOR EACH SCHOOL
8 DISTRICT SHALL BE CALCULATED BY ADDING 40% OF THE
9 SPARSITY RATIO AND 60% OF THE SIZE RATIO.

10 (V) THE SPARSITY/SIZE ADJUSTMENT FOR EACH SCHOOL
11 DISTRICT SHALL BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

12 (A) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT WITH A SPARSITY/SIZE
13 RATIO LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO THE SPARSITY/SIZE RATIO
14 THAT REPRESENTS THE 70TH PERCENTILE OF THE
15 SPARSITY/SIZE RATIO OF ALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS, THE
16 SCHOOL DISTRICT'S SPARSITY/SIZE ADJUSTMENT SHALL BE
17 0.

18 (B) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT WITH A SPARSITY/SIZE
19 RATIO GREATER THAN THE SPARSITY/SIZE RATIO THAT
20 REPRESENTS THE 70TH PERCENTILE OF THE SPARSITY/SIZE
21 RATIO OF ALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS, THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S
22 SPARSITY/SIZE ADJUSTMENT SHALL BE CALCULATED AS
23 FOLLOWS:

24 (I) DIVIDE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S
25 SPARSITY/SIZE RATIO BY THE SPARSITY/SIZE RATIO
26 THAT REPRESENTS THE 70TH PERCENTILE OF THE
27 SPARSITY/SIZE RATIO OF ALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

28 (II) SUBTRACT 1 FROM THE QUOTIENT IN
29 SUBCLAUSE (I).

30 (III) MULTIPLY THE REMAINDER IN SUBCLAUSE

1 (II) BY 0.5.

2 (IV) MULTIPLY THE PRODUCT IN SUBCLAUSE (III)
3 BY THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S WEIGHTED SPECIAL
4 EDUCATION STUDENT HEADCOUNT.

5 (VI) THE EQUALIZED MILLAGE MULTIPLIER FOR EACH
6 SCHOOL DISTRICT SHALL BE CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

7 (A) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT WITH AN EQUALIZED
8 MILLAGE RATE GREATER THAN OR EQUAL TO THE EQUALIZED
9 MILLAGE RATE THAT REPRESENTS THE 70TH PERCENTILE OF
10 THE EQUALIZED MILLAGE RATE OF ALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS,
11 THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S EQUALIZED MILLAGE MULTIPLIER
12 SHALL BE 1.

13 (B) FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT WITH AN EQUALIZED
14 MILLAGE RATE LESS THAN THE EQUALIZED MILLAGE RATE
15 THAT REPRESENTS THE 70TH PERCENTILE OF THE EQUALIZED
16 MILLAGE RATE OF ALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS, THE SCHOOL
17 DISTRICT'S EQUALIZED MILLAGE MULTIPLIER SHALL BE
18 CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

19 (I) DIVIDE THE SCHOOL DISTRICT'S EQUALIZED
20 MILLAGE RATE BY THE EQUALIZED MILLAGE RATE THAT
21 REPRESENTS THE 70TH PERCENTILE OF THE EQUALIZED
22 MILLAGE RATE OF ALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

23 (II) (RESERVED).

24 (12) THE DATA USED TO CALCULATE THE WEIGHTED SPECIAL
25 EDUCATION STUDENT HEADCOUNT IN PARAGRAPH (11) (I) SHALL BE
26 BASED ON INFORMATION FROM THE MOST RECENT YEAR FOR WHICH DATA
27 IS AVAILABLE AS DETERMINED BY THE DEPARTMENT. THE DATA USED
28 TO CALCULATE THE PROVISIONS IN PARAGRAPH (11) (II), (III),
29 (IV), (V) AND (VI) SHALL BE AVERAGED FOR THE THREE MOST
30 RECENT YEARS FOR WHICH DATA IS AVAILABLE AS DETERMINED BY THE

1 DEPARTMENT.

2 (13) FROM THE APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENTS ON ACCOUNT OF
3 SPECIAL EDUCATION OF EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN, THE AMOUNT OF THE
4 APPROPRIATION ALLOCATED TO INTERMEDIATE UNITS ON ACCOUNT OF
5 SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES SHALL REMAIN THE SAME AS ALLOCATED
6 IN FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014 UNDER SECTION 2509.1(C.1) OF THE
7 PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949 AND SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED AS
8 FOLLOWS:

9 (I) THIRTY-FIVE PERCENT OF THE AMOUNT SHALL BE
10 DISTRIBUTED TO EACH INTERMEDIATE UNIT EQUALLY AMONG ALL
11 INTERMEDIATE UNITS.

12 (II) THE REMAINING 65% OF THE AMOUNT SHALL BE
13 DISTRIBUTED ON A PRO RATA BASIS TO EACH INTERMEDIATE UNIT
14 BASED ON ITS COMPONENT SCHOOL DISTRICTS' AVERAGE DAILY
15 MEMBERSHIP.

16 (14) (I) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISIONS CONTAINED IN
17 SECTION 2509.8 OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949, FROM
18 THE APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENTS ON ACCOUNT OF SPECIAL
19 EDUCATION FOR EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN, 1% OF THE SPECIAL
20 EDUCATION APPROPRIATION SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO SCHOOL
21 DISTRICTS AND CHARTER SCHOOLS FOR EXTRAORDINARY EXPENSES
22 INCURRED IN PROVIDING A SPECIAL EDUCATION PROGRAM OR
23 SERVICE TO ONE OR MORE STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES AS
24 APPROVED BY THE SECRETARY OF EDUCATION. SUCH SPECIAL
25 EDUCATION PROGRAM OR SERVICE SHALL INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE
26 LIMITED TO, THE TRANSPORTATION OF STUDENTS WITH
27 DISABILITIES; SERVICES RELATED TO OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY,
28 PHYSICAL THERAPY, SPEECH AND LANGUAGE, HEARING
29 IMPAIRMENTS OR VISUAL IMPAIRMENTS; OR TRAINING IN
30 ORIENTATION AND MOBILITY FOR CHILDREN WHO ARE VISUALLY

1 IMPAIRED OR BLIND.

2 (II) FUNDS DISTRIBUTED TO A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR
3 CHARTER SCHOOL UNDER THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL BE ALLOCATED
4 FOR STUDENTS FOR WHICH EXPENSES ARE INCURRED ON AN ANNUAL
5 BASIS THAT ARE EQUAL TO OR GREATER THAN \$75,000 AS
6 FOLLOWS:

7 (A) FOR A STUDENT FOR WHOM EXPENSES ARE EQUAL TO
8 OR GREATER THAN \$75,000 AND LESS THAN OR EQUAL TO
9 \$100,000, SUBTRACT THE STATE SUBSIDIES PAID ON BEHALF
10 OF THE STUDENT TO THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR, FOR A
11 STUDENT ENROLLED IN A CHARTER SCHOOL, THE CHARTER
12 SCHOOL PAYMENT RECEIVED BY THE CHARTER SCHOOL WHERE
13 THE CHILD IS ENROLLED FROM THE EXPENSE INCURRED FOR
14 THE STUDENT AND MULTIPLY THE DIFFERENCE BY THE SCHOOL
15 DISTRICT'S OR CHARTER SCHOOL'S MARKET VALUE/PERSONAL
16 INCOME AID RATIO.

17 (B) FOR A STUDENT FOR WHICH EXPENSES ARE GREATER
18 THAN \$100,000, SUBTRACT THE STATE SUBSIDIES PAID ON
19 BEHALF OF THE STUDENT TO THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OR, FOR
20 A STUDENT ENROLLED IN A CHARTER SCHOOL, THE CHARTER
21 SCHOOL PAYMENT RECEIVED BY THE CHARTER SCHOOL WHERE
22 THE CHILD IS ENROLLED FROM THE EXPENSE INCURRED FOR
23 THE STUDENT.

24 (III) NO SCHOOL DISTRICT OR CHARTER SCHOOL SHALL IN
25 ANY SCHOOL YEAR RECEIVE AN AMOUNT UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I)
26 WHICH EXCEEDS THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF FUNDING AVAILABLE
27 MULTIPLIED BY THE PERCENTAGE EQUAL TO THE GREATEST
28 PERCENTAGE OF THE STATE'S SPECIAL EDUCATION STUDENTS
29 ENROLLED IN A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR CHARTER SCHOOL.

30 (15) FUNDS FROM THE SET-ASIDE UNDER PARAGRAPH (14) SHALL

1 BE ALLOCATED TO EACH APPROVED PRIVATE SCHOOL WITH A DAY
2 TUITION RATE DETERMINED TO BE LESS THAN \$32,000 DURING THE
3 2010-2011 SCHOOL YEAR. THE ALLOCATION SHALL BE DETERMINED AS
4 FOLLOWS:

5 (I) SUBTRACT:

6 (A) THE APPROVED PRIVATE SCHOOL'S 2010-2011
7 SCHOOL YEAR DAY TUITION RATE; FROM

8 (B) \$38,072.

9 (II) MULTIPLY:

10 (A) THE DIFFERENCE UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I); BY

11 (B) THE NUMBER OF APPROVED STUDENTS ENROLLED IN
12 THE APPROVED PRIVATE SCHOOL DURING THE 2010-2011
13 SCHOOL YEAR.

14 (16) (I) FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR BASIC EDUCATION FUNDING
15 TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO EACH SCHOOL
16 DISTRICT IN AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT PAID FOR THE
17 2012-2013 SCHOOL YEAR UNDER SECTION 2502.52 OF THE PUBLIC
18 SCHOOL CODE OF 1949.

19 (II) ANY FUNDS REMAINING IN THE APPROPRIATION FOR
20 BASIC EDUCATION FUNDING TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS AFTER
21 DISTRIBUTION UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (I) SHALL BE DEPOSITED IN
22 THE FINANCIAL RECOVERY SCHOOL DISTRICT TRANSITIONAL LOAN
23 ACCOUNT.

24 (17) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, FROM
25 THE APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENT OF APPROVED OPERATING EXPENSES
26 FOR COMMUNITY COLLEGES, EACH COMMUNITY COLLEGE SHALL RECEIVE
27 AN AMOUNT EQUAL TO THE AMOUNT PAID DURING THE 2013-2014
28 FISCAL YEAR UNDER SECTION 1913-A(B) (1.6) OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL
29 CODE OF 1949 AND A PRORATA SHARE OF \$3,500,000.

30 (18) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, THE

1 FOLLOWING APPLY TO LIBRARIES:

2 (I) FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR LIBRARIES FOR THE 2014-
3 2015 FISCAL YEAR SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO EACH LIBRARY
4 UNDER THE FOLLOWING FORMULA:

5 (A) DIVIDE THE AMOUNT OF FUNDING THE LIBRARY
6 RECEIVED IN FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014 UNDER 24 PA.C.S. §
7 9342 (K) (RELATING TO SPECIAL RULES FOR SPECIFIC
8 FISCAL YEARS), BY THE TOTAL STATE AID SUBSIDY FOR
9 FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014.

10 (B) MULTIPLY THE QUOTIENT UNDER CLAUSE (A) BY
11 THE TOTAL STATE AID SUBSIDY FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-
12 2015.

13 (II) FOLLOWING THE DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS
14 APPROPRIATED FOR STATE AID TO LIBRARIES UNDER
15 SUBPARAGRAPH (I), ANY REMAINING FUNDS MAY BE DISTRIBUTED
16 TO LIBRARIES AT THE DISCRETION OF THE STATE LIBRARIAN.

17 (III) IF FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR STATE AID TO
18 LIBRARIES IN FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015 ARE LESS THAN FUNDS
19 APPROPRIATED IN FISCAL YEAR 2002-2003, THE STATE
20 LIBRARIAN MAY WAIVE STANDARDS AS PRESCRIBED UNDER 24
21 PA.C.S. § 9332 (RELATING TO WAIVER OF STANDARDS).

22 (IV) (A) EACH LIBRARY RECEIVING STATE AID UNDER
23 THIS PARAGRAPH MAY DISTRIBUTE THE LOCAL LIBRARY SHARE
24 OF THAT AID IN A MANNER AS DETERMINED BY THE BOARD OF
25 DIRECTORS OF THE LIBRARY SYSTEM.

26 (B) IN THE CASE OF A LIBRARY SYSTEM THAT
27 CONTAINS A LIBRARY OPERATING IN A CITY OF THE SECOND
28 CLASS, CHANGES TO THE DISTRIBUTION OF STATE AID TO
29 THE LIBRARY SHALL BE MADE BY MUTUAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN
30 THE LIBRARY AND THE LIBRARY SYSTEM.

1 (V) IN THE EVENT OF A CHANGE IN DISTRICT LIBRARY
2 CENTER POPULATION PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
3 SECTION AS A RESULT OF A CITY, BOROUGH, TOWN, TOWNSHIP,
4 SCHOOL DISTRICT OR COUNTY MOVING FROM ONE LIBRARY CENTER
5 TO ANOTHER OR A TRANSFER OF DISTRICT LIBRARY STATUS TO A
6 COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM, FUNDING OF DISTRICT CENTER AID
7 SHALL BE PAID BASED ON THE POPULATION OF THE NEWLY
8 ESTABLISHED OR RECONFIGURED DISTRICT LIBRARY CENTER.

9 (19) THE DEPARTMENT MAY UTILIZE UP TO \$4,500,000 OF
10 UNDISTRIBUTED FUNDS NOT EXPENDED, ENCUMBERED OR COMMITTED
11 FROM APPROPRIATIONS FOR GRANTS AND SUBSIDIES MADE TO THE
12 DEPARTMENT TO ASSIST SCHOOL DISTRICTS DECLARED TO BE IN
13 FINANCIAL RECOVERY STATUS UNDER SECTION 621-A OF THE PUBLIC
14 SCHOOL CODE OF 1949 OR IDENTIFIED FOR FINANCIAL WATCH STATUS
15 UNDER SECTION 611-A OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949. THE
16 FUNDS SHALL BE TRANSFERRED BY THE SECRETARY OF THE BUDGET TO
17 A RESTRICTED ACCOUNT AS NECESSARY TO MAKE PAYMENTS UNDER THIS
18 PARAGRAPH AND, WHEN TRANSFERRED, ARE HEREBY APPROPRIATED TO
19 CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS PARAGRAPH.

20 (20) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION OF LAW, IN ORDER TO
21 SUPPLEMENT FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR GENERAL
22 GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS AND TO DEFRAY THE COSTS OF
23 ADMINISTRATION AND OVERSIGHT ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATED WITH
24 ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAMS:

25 (I) A SCHOOL DISTRICT, COMBINATION OF SCHOOL
26 DISTRICTS OR CHARTER SCHOOL THAT MAKES AN APPLICATION TO
27 ESTABLISH AN ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION PROGRAM UNDER ARTICLE
28 XIX-C OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949 SHALL SUBMIT
29 INITIAL AND RENEWAL APPLICATIONS ALONG WITH A FEE OF \$400
30 AS PRESCRIBED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

1 (II) A PRIVATE ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION INSTITUTION
2 THAT MAKES AN APPLICATION FOR APPROVAL TO OPERATE UNDER
3 ARTICLE XIX-E OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949 SHALL
4 SUBMIT INITIAL AND RENEWAL APPLICATIONS ALONG WITH A FEE
5 OF \$1,000 AS PRESCRIBED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

6 (III) THE FUNDS COLLECTED IN PARAGRAPHS (I) AND (II)
7 SHALL BE DEPOSITED INTO A RESTRICTED ACCOUNT IN THE
8 GENERAL FUND TO BE KNOWN AS THE ALTERNATIVE EDUCATION
9 PROGRAM ACCOUNT AND ARE HEREBY APPROPRIATED TO THE
10 DEPARTMENT.

11 (21) FROM THE APPROPRIATION FOR THE READY TO LEARN BLOCK
12 GRANT, FUNDS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO SCHOOL ENTITIES AS
13 FOLLOWS:

14 (I) EACH SCHOOL ENTITY SHALL RECEIVE AN AMOUNT EQUAL
15 TO THE AMOUNT PAID DURING THE 2013-2014 SCHOOL YEAR UNDER
16 SECTION 2599.2 OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949.

17 (II) A READY TO LEARN BLOCK GRANT SUBSIDY AS
18 FOLLOWS:

19 (A) A BASE AMOUNT EQUAL TO \$231.

20 (B) A PER-STUDENT FACTOR EQUAL TO THE BASE
21 AMOUNT MULTIPLIED BY THE PRODUCT OF A SCHOOL ENTITY'S
22 AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP AND ITS MARKET VALUE/INCOME
23 AID RATIO.

24 (C) AN ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNER FACTOR EQUAL TO:

25 (I) THE BASE AMOUNT MULTIPLIED BY 0.15.

26 (II) THE PRODUCT UNDER SUBCLAUSE (I)
27 MULTIPLIED BY THE PRODUCT OF STUDENTS IN THE
28 SCHOOL ENTITY IDENTIFIED AS LIMITED ENGLISH
29 PROFICIENT AND ITS MARKET VALUE/INCOME AID RATIO.

30 (D) A POVERTY FACTOR EQUAL TO:

1 (I) THE BASE AMOUNT MULTIPLIED BY 0.25.

2 (II) THE PRODUCT UNDER SUBCLAUSE (I)
3 MULTIPLIED BY THE PRODUCT OF STUDENTS IN THE
4 SCHOOL ENTITY IDENTIFIED AS ECONOMICALLY
5 DISADVANTAGED AND ITS MARKET VALUE/INCOME AID
6 RATIO.

7 (E) THE AMOUNTS UNDER SUBCLAUSES (B), (C) AND
8 (D) SHALL BE ADDED.

9 (F) IF INSUFFICIENT OR ADDITIONAL FUNDS ARE
10 AVAILABLE TO MAKE COMMONWEALTH PAYMENTS UNDER THIS
11 SUBPARAGRAPH, AFTER DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDING UNDER
12 SUBPARAGRAPH (I), THE PAYMENTS SHALL BE MADE ON A PRO
13 RATA BASIS.

14 (G) TO DETERMINE THE CALCULATION CONTAINED IN
15 THIS SUBPARAGRAPH, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL USE THE MOST
16 RECENT DATA AVAILABLE.

17 (III) FUNDING RECEIVED BY A SCHOOL ENTITY UNDER
18 SUBPARAGRAPH (I) SHALL BE USED IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION
19 2599.2 OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949, OR AS ALLOWED
20 UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (V).

21 (IV) TO BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE FUNDING UNDER
22 SUBPARAGRAPH (II), EACH SCHOOL ENTITY SHALL SUBMIT A PLAN
23 FOR APPROVAL TO THE DEPARTMENT OUTLINING HOW THE FUNDING
24 WILL BE USED TO MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE ACADEMIC
25 PERFORMANCE.

26 (V) FUNDS DISTRIBUTED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH (II) SHALL
27 BE USED FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSES:

28 (A) PREKINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 3 CURRICULUM
29 ALIGNMENT WITH THE CURRENT ACADEMIC STANDARDS.

30 (B) TEACHER TRAINING AND PROFESSIONAL

1 DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES ALIGNED WITH THE CURRENT
2 ACADEMIC STANDARDS DESIGNED TO IMPROVE EARLY LITERACY
3 AND STEM EDUCATION IN PREKINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 3
4 CLASSES.

5 (C) PREKINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE 3 EXTENDED
6 LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES THAT ALLOW FOR ADDITIONAL
7 CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION BEFORE, DURING AND AFTER
8 SCHOOL.

9 (D) ESTABLISHING, MAINTAINING OR EXPANDING A
10 QUALITY PREKINDERGARTEN PROGRAM ALIGNED WITH THE
11 CURRENT ACADEMIC STANDARDS.

12 (E) ESTABLISHING, MAINTAINING OR EXPANDING A
13 QUALITY FULL-DAY KINDERGARTEN PROGRAM ALIGNED WITH
14 CURRENT ACADEMIC STANDARDS.

15 (F) SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTION AND INSTRUCTIONAL
16 COACHES FOR THE CURRENT KEYSTONE EXAMS.

17 (G) IMPLEMENTATION OF THE PENNSYLVANIA
18 COMPREHENSIVE LITERACY PLAN.

19 (H) EFFORTS THAT IMPROVE STUDENT OUTCOMES IN
20 STEM EDUCATION, INCLUDING STEM TRAINING AND
21 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT FOR EDUCATORS.

22 (I) ESTABLISHING, MAINTAINING OR EXPANDING
23 HYBRID LEARNING MODELS.

24 (J) RESEARCHING, ESTABLISHING, MAINTAINING OR
25 EXPANDING COMPETENCY-BASED LEARNING MODELS.

26 (K) USES ALLOWED UNDER SECTION 2599.2 OF THE
27 PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949.

28 (L) OTHER USES AS APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

29 (VI) FOR THE PURPOSE OF THIS PARAGRAPH, A SCHOOL
30 ENTITY SHALL BE A SCHOOL DISTRICT, CHARTER SCHOOL OR

1 CYBER CHARTER SCHOOL.

2 (22) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY PROVISION OF LAW TO THE
3 CONTRARY, THE REVENUES RECEIVED BY A SCHOOL DISTRICT UNDER
4 PARAGRAPH (21) (II) SHALL NOT BE INCLUDED IN THE SCHOOL
5 DISTRICT'S BUDGETED TOTAL EXPENDITURE PER AVERAGE DAILY
6 MEMBERSHIP USED TO CALCULATE THE AMOUNT TO BE PAID TO A
7 CHARTER SCHOOL UNDER SECTION 1725-A(A) (2) AND (3) OF THE
8 PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949.

9 (23) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR VOCATIONAL EDUCATION
10 EQUIPMENT, GRANTS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO EACH AREA
11 VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL AND SCHOOL DISTRICT WITH AN
12 APPROVED VOCATIONAL PROGRAM THAT APPLIES TO AND IS APPROVED
13 BY THE DEPARTMENT FOR FUNDING FOR THE PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT
14 THAT MEETS INDUSTRY STANDARDS AS FOLLOWS:

15 (I) A BASE AMOUNT OF \$3,000.

16 (II) A PER-STUDENT AMOUNT CALCULATED AS FOLLOWS:

17 (A) MULTIPLY THE 2013-2014 AVERAGE DAILY
18 MEMBERSHIP IN APPROVED VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS
19 FOR EACH AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL OR SCHOOL
20 DISTRICT THAT HAS BEEN APPROVED FOR FUNDING BY THE
21 DEPARTMENT BY THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN \$3,000,000 AND
22 THE SUM OF THE FUNDING DISTRIBUTED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH
23 (I).

24 (B) DIVIDE THE PRODUCT FROM CLAUSE (A) BY THE
25 SUM OF THE 2013-2014 AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP IN
26 APPROVED VOCATIONAL EDUCATION PROGRAMS FOR ALL
27 VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS
28 THAT HAVE BEEN APPROVED FOR FUNDING BY THE
29 DEPARTMENT.

30 (24) THE FOLLOWING APPLY:

1 (I) FOR THE PURPOSES OF PARAGRAPH (23), THE
2 APPLICATION TO APPLY FOR FUNDING SHALL BE DEVELOPED BY
3 THE DEPARTMENT WITHIN 30 DAYS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF
4 THIS SECTION AND ONLY REQUIRE THE FOLLOWING, WHICH MAY BE
5 COLLECTED ELECTRONICALLY:

6 (A) NAME, ADDRESS, E-MAIL ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE
7 NUMBER OF THE AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL OR
8 SCHOOL DISTRICT.

9 (B) NAME, E-MAIL ADDRESS AND TELEPHONE NUMBER OF
10 AN EMPLOYEE OF THE AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL
11 OR SCHOOL DISTRICT WHO WILL BE AVAILABLE TO ANSWER
12 QUESTIONS REGARDING THE FUNDING APPLICATION.

13 (C) DESCRIPTION OF THE EQUIPMENT FOR WHICH THE
14 REQUESTED FUNDING WILL BE USED, THE CAREER AND
15 TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROGRAM IN WHICH THE EQUIPMENT
16 WILL BE USED, THE DATE ON WHICH THE OCCUPATIONAL
17 ADVISORY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDED THE PURCHASE OF THE
18 EQUIPMENT AND VERIFICATION THAT THE EQUIPMENT WILL BE
19 USED FOR TECHNICAL CLASSROOM INSTRUCTION. FOR
20 PURPOSES OF THIS SUBCLAUSE, "OCCUPATIONAL ADVISORY
21 COMMITTEE" SHALL MEAN AN OCCUPATIONAL ADVISORY
22 COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED PURSUANT TO 22 PA. CODE CH. 339
23 (RELATING TO VOCATIONAL EDUCATION).

24 (II) THE DEPARTMENT MAY NOT REQUEST AND CONSIDER ANY
25 INFORMATION OTHER THAN THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN THE
26 FUNDING APPLICATION.

27 (III) EACH AREA VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL OR
28 SCHOOL DISTRICT WITH AN APPROVED VOCATIONAL PROGRAM THAT
29 SUBMITS A COMPLETED FUNDING APPLICATION SHALL RECEIVE
30 FUNDING IN THE AMOUNT DETERMINED UNDER PARAGRAPH (23).

1 (25) FROM THE APPROPRIATION FOR BASIC EDUCATION FORMULA
2 ENHANCEMENTS, FUNDS SHALL BE ALLOCATED AS FOLLOWS:

3 (I) THE AMOUNT OF \$1,450,000 SHALL BE PAID TO A
4 SCHOOL DISTRICT THAT HAS A 2012-2013 MARKET VALUE/INCOME
5 AID RATIO GREATER THAN 0.7500 AND A 2012-2013 ADJUSTED
6 AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP GREATER THAN 18,250.

7 (II) THE PROVISIONS CALCULATED UNDER SUBPARAGRAPH
8 (I) SHALL BE BASED ON DATA AVAILABLE FROM THE DEPARTMENT
9 OF EDUCATION ON JUNE 26, 2014.

10 SECTION 1723-J. DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.

11 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
12 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION IN THE GENERAL
13 APPROPRIATION ACT:

14 (1) NOTWITHSTANDING SECTION 502 OF THE ACT OF JULY 9,
15 2008 (1ST SP. SESS., P.L.1873, NO.1), KNOWN AS THE
16 ALTERNATIVE ENERGY INVESTMENT ACT, IN FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015,
17 NO FUNDS SHALL BE APPROPRIATED FROM THE GENERAL FUND TO THE
18 DEPARTMENT FOR THE CONSUMER ENERGY PROGRAM. ANY APPROPRIATION
19 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015 IS REVOKED.

20 (2) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR SEWAGE FACILITIES
21 PLANNING GRANTS, UP TO \$35,600 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR
22 REIMBURSEMENT OF COSTS INCURRED BY A BOROUGH IN A COUNTY OF
23 THE THIRD CLASS. UP TO \$54,600 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR
24 REIMBURSEMENT OF COSTS INCURRED BY A TOWNSHIP OF THE FIRST
25 CLASS IN A COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS A. FIVE HUNDRED
26 THOUSAND DOLLARS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR UPGRADES AT AN
27 EXISTING WASTEWATER PUMPING STATION OPERATED BY A JOINT SEWER
28 AUTHORITY SERVING A THIRD CLASS CITY IN A COUNTY OF THE FIFTH
29 CLASS.

30 (3) NOT LATER THAN 60 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF

1 THIS SECTION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL PAY OR TRANSFER \$8,672,845
2 OF THE UNEXPENDED ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SERIES 2010B PROCEEDS
3 ALLOCATED TO THE DEPARTMENT UNDER SECTION 304(A) OF THE ACT
4 OF JULY 9, 2008 (1ST SP.SESS., P.L.1873, NO.1), KNOWN AS THE
5 ALTERNATIVE ENERGY INVESTMENT ACT, TO THE COMMONWEALTH
6 FINANCING AUTHORITY FOR THE PAYMENT OF INTEREST DUE DURING
7 FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015 ON THE AUTHORITY'S ALTERNATIVE ENERGY
8 TAX-EXEMPT BOND ISSUES.

9 (4) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM
10 MANAGEMENT, \$150,000 SHALL BE USED FOR INDEPENDENT RESEARCH
11 OF NATURAL GAS DRILLING.

12 (5) THE PROVISIONS OF 25 PA. CODE § 94.11(A) (RELATING
13 TO SEWER EXTENSIONS) SHALL NOT APPLY IN A MUNICIPALITY THAT
14 IS A SIGNATORY TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE CONSENT ORDER DATED
15 JANUARY 28, 2004, IF THE MUNICIPALITY IS IN COMPLIANCE WITH
16 THE PROVISIONS OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE CONSENT ORDER.

17 SECTION 1724-J. DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL SERVICES.

18 FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR RENTAL, RELOCATION AND MUNICIPAL
19 CHARGES, \$2,500,000 SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE SENATE FOR
20 DISTRIBUTION UPON APPROVAL OF THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE
21 SENATE AND THE MAJORITY LEADER OF THE SENATE AND \$2,500,000
22 SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR
23 DISTRIBUTION UPON APPROVAL OF THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF
24 REPRESENTATIVES AND THE MAJORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF
25 REPRESENTATIVES.

26 SECTION 1725-J. DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

27 (1) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT
28 OPERATIONS, \$50,000 IS INCLUDED FOR OUTREACH TO IDENTIFY
29 CHILDREN IN NEED OF PROFESSIONAL EYE EXAMINATION AND EYE
30 CARE; SUFFICIENT FUNDS ARE INCLUDED FOR THE COORDINATION OF

1 DONATED DENTAL SERVICES; AND \$50,000 IS INCLUDED FOR OUTREACH
2 CHARCOT-MARIE-TOOTH SYNDROME.

3 (2) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR NEWBORN SCREENING,
4 \$150,000 SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO ESTABLISH A NEW REFERRAL
5 CENTER FOR ABNORMAL METABOLIC SCREENINGS AT A CHILDREN'S
6 HOSPITAL IN A COUNTY OF THE EIGHTH CLASS.

7 (3) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR ADULT CYSTIC FIBROSIS
8 AND OTHER CHRONIC RESPIRATORY ILLNESSES, AT LEAST \$200,000
9 SHALL BE USED FOR A PROGRAM PROMOTING CYSTIC FIBROSIS
10 RESEARCH IN A COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS; AND \$100,000 SHALL
11 BE USED FOR RESEARCH RELATED TO CHILDHOOD CYSTIC FIBROSIS IN
12 A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS WITH A HOSPITAL THAT IS NATIONALLY
13 ACCREDITED AS A CYSTIC FIBROSIS TREATMENT CENTER AND
14 SPECIALIZES IN THE TREATMENT OF CHILDREN.

15 (4) FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR LUPUS PROGRAMS SHALL BE
16 DISTRIBUTED IN THE SAME PROPORTION AS DISTRIBUTED IN FISCAL
17 YEAR 2013-2014.

18 (5) FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY RESEARCH
19 INCLUDE ALLOCATIONS FOR REGENERATIVE MEDICINE RESEARCH, FOR
20 REGENERATIVE MEDICINE MEDICAL TECHNOLOGY, FOR HEPATITIS AND
21 VIRAL RESEARCH, FOR DRUG RESEARCH AND CLINICAL TRIALS RELATED
22 TO CANCER, FOR GENETIC AND MOLECULAR RESEARCH FOR DISEASE
23 IDENTIFICATION AND ERADICATION, FOR A STUDY RELATED TO
24 NANOTECHNOLOGY AND FOR THE COMMERCIALIZATION OF APPLIED
25 RESEARCH.

26 SECTION 1726-J. INSURANCE DEPARTMENT (RESERVED).

27 SECTION 1727-J. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY.

28 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
29 DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND INDUSTRY FROM THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION
30 ACT:

1 (1) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE DEPARTMENT FOR
2 GENERAL GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS, \$250,000 SHALL BE USED FOR THE
3 PURCHASE OF TRANSPORTATION ASSISTANCE FOR JOB RETENTION, JOB
4 TRAINING AND JOB SEARCH ACTIVITIES FOR DISPLACED, UNEMPLOYED
5 AND DISABLED INDIVIDUALS AND FAMILIES IN COUNTIES OF THE
6 SECOND CLASS.

7 (2) THE APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENT TO THE VOCATIONAL
8 REHABILITATION FUND FOR WORK OF THE STATE BOARD OF VOCATIONAL
9 REHABILITATION INCLUDES \$2,153,000 FOR A STATEWIDE
10 PROFESSIONAL SERVICE PROVIDER ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND TO
11 PROVIDE SPECIALIZED SERVICES AND PREVENTION OF BLINDNESS
12 SERVICES AND \$431,000 TO PROVIDE SPECIALIZED SERVICES AND
13 PREVENTION OF BLINDNESS SERVICES IN CITIES OF THE FIRST
14 CLASS.

15 (3) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR INDUSTRY PARTNERSHIPS,
16 \$200,000 SHALL BE ALLOCATED FOR A WORK FORCE DEVELOPMENT
17 PROGRAM THAT LINKS VETERANS WITH EMPLOYMENT IN A HOME RULE
18 COUNTY THAT WAS FORMERLY A COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS A.

19 (4) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT
20 SERVICES FOR DISPLACED HOMEMAKERS, SINGLE PARENTS, LOW-INCOME
21 HEADS OF HOUSEHOLDS AND WOMEN IN TRANSITION, A GRANTEE OR
22 SUBGRANTEE SHALL PROVIDE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR AND
23 INDUSTRY ALL OF THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

24 (I) A STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE NUMBER OF
25 PARTICIPANTS SERVED.

26 (II) A FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

27 (III) A PROJECTED BUDGET.

28 SECTION 1728-J. DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AND VETERANS AFFAIRS.

29 FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR VETERANS OUTREACH, AT LEAST
30 \$750,000 SHALL BE USED FOR PROGRAMS PROVIDING TREATMENT FOR

1 POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER FOR VETERANS.

2 SECTION 1729-J. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE.

3 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
4 DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE FROM THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT:

5 (1) AUTHORIZED TRANSFERS FOR CHILD-CARE SERVICES. THE
6 FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY:

7 (I) THE DEPARTMENT, UPON APPROVAL OF THE SECRETARY,
8 MAY TRANSFER FEDERAL FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR TANFBG CHILD
9 CARE ASSISTANCE TO THE CCDFBG CHILD CARE SERVICES
10 APPROPRIATION TO PROVIDE CHILD-CARE SERVICES TO
11 ADDITIONAL LOW-INCOME FAMILIES IF THE TRANSFER OF FUNDS
12 WILL NOT RESULT IN A DEFICIT IN THE APPROPRIATION. THE
13 SECRETARY SHALL PROVIDE NOTICE TEN DAYS PRIOR TO A
14 TRANSFER UNDER THIS SUBPARAGRAPH TO THE CHAIRMAN AND
15 MINORITY CHAIRMAN OF THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE
16 SENATE AND THE CHAIRMAN AND MINORITY CHAIRMAN OF THE
17 APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

18 (II) THE DEPARTMENT, UPON APPROVAL OF THE SECRETARY,
19 MAY TRANSFER FEDERAL FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR CCDFBG CHILD
20 CARE ASSISTANCE TO THE CCDFBG CHILD CARE SERVICES
21 APPROPRIATION TO PROVIDE CHILD-CARE SERVICES TO
22 ADDITIONAL LOW-INCOME FAMILIES, PROVIDED THAT THE
23 TRANSFER OF FUNDS WILL NOT RESULT IN A DEFICIT IN THE
24 APPROPRIATION. THE SECRETARY SHALL PROVIDE NOTICE TEN
25 DAYS PRIOR TO A TRANSFER UNDER THIS SUBPARAGRAPH TO THE
26 CHAIRMAN AND MINORITY CHAIRMAN OF THE APPROPRIATIONS
27 COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND THE CHAIRMAN AND MINORITY
28 CHAIRMAN OF THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE HOUSE OF
29 REPRESENTATIVES.

30 (2) FEDERAL AND STATE MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS. THE

1 FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY:

2 (I) FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015, PAYMENTS TO HOSPITALS
3 FOR COMMUNITY ACCESS FUND GRANTS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED
4 UNDER THE FORMULAS UTILIZED FOR THESE GRANTS IN FISCAL
5 YEAR 2013-2014. IF THE TOTAL FUNDING AVAILABLE UNDER THIS
6 SUBPARAGRAPH IS LESS THAN THAT AVAILABLE IN FISCAL YEAR
7 2013-2014, PAYMENTS SHALL BE MADE ON A PRO RATA BASIS.

8 (II) FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
9 TRANSPORTATION SHALL ONLY BE UTILIZED AS A PAYMENT OF
10 LAST RESORT FOR TRANSPORTATION FOR ELIGIBLE MEDICAL
11 ASSISTANCE RECIPIENTS.

12 (III) AMOUNTS ALLOCATED FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR
13 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE OUTPATIENT SERVICES FOR THE SELECT
14 PLAN FOR WOMEN PREVENTATIVE HEALTH SERVICES SHALL BE USED
15 FOR WOMEN'S MEDICAL SERVICES, INCLUDING NONINVASIVE
16 CONTRACEPTION SUPPLIES.

17 (IV) FEDERAL OR STATE FUNDS APPROPRIATED UNDER THE
18 GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT IN ACCORDANCE WITH ARTICLE
19 VIII-H OF THE ACT OF JUNE 13, 1967 (P.L.31, NO.21), KNOWN
20 AS THE PUBLIC WELFARE CODE, NOT USED TO MAKE PAYMENTS TO
21 HOSPITALS QUALIFYING AS LEVEL III TRAUMA CENTERS OR
22 SEEKING ACCREDITATION AS LEVEL III TRAUMA CENTERS SHALL
23 BE USED TO MAKE PAYMENTS TO HOSPITALS QUALIFYING AS
24 LEVELS I AND II TRAUMA CENTERS.

25 (V) QUALIFYING UNIVERSITY-AFFILIATED PHYSICIAN
26 PRACTICE PLANS WHICH RECEIVED FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013-
27 2014 SHALL NOT RECEIVE ANY LESS THAN THE STATE
28 APPROPRIATION MADE AVAILABLE TO THOSE UNIVERSITY-
29 AFFILIATED PHYSICIAN PRACTICE PLANS DURING FISCAL YEAR
30 2013-2014. FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR PHYSICIAN PRACTICE

1 PLANS:

2 (A) \$1,500,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO A
3 PHYSICIAN PRACTICE PLAN SERVING A HEALTH SYSTEM
4 LOCATED IN A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS AND A CONTIGUOUS
5 COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS A WHICH DID RECEIVE
6 FUNDING DURING FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014;

7 (B) AT LEAST \$500,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO A
8 PHYSICIAN PRACTICE PLAN SERVING A HOSPITAL LOCATED IN
9 A COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS A WHICH DID RECEIVE
10 FUNDING IN FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014; AND

11 (C) AT LEAST \$500,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO A
12 PHYSICIAN PRACTICE PLAN SERVING A HEALTH SYSTEM
13 LOCATED IN A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS AND TWO
14 CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES OF THE SECOND CLASS A, THAT HAS
15 AN INDEPENDENT ACADEMIC CENTER WHICH DID RECEIVE
16 FUNDING DURING FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014.

17 (VI) QUALIFYING ACADEMIC MEDICAL CENTERS WHICH
18 RECEIVED FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2013-2014 SHALL NOT
19 RECEIVE ANY LESS THAN THE STATE APPROPRIATION MADE
20 AVAILABLE TO THOSE ACADEMIC MEDICAL CENTERS DURING FISCAL
21 YEAR 2013-2014. FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR QUALIFYING
22 ACADEMIC MEDICAL CENTERS, A QUALIFYING ACADEMIC MEDICAL
23 CENTER LOCATED IN A THIRD CLASS COUNTY WITH A POPULATION
24 BETWEEN 279,000 AND 282,000 UNDER THE 2010 FEDERAL
25 DECENNIAL CENSUS SHALL RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL \$300,000 AND
26 AN ACADEMIC MEDICAL CENTER LOCATED IN A CITY OF THE FIRST
27 CLASS THAT DID NOT RECEIVE FUNDING DURING FISCAL YEAR
28 2010-2011 SHALL RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL \$300,000.

29 (VII) NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER LAW, FUNDS
30 APPROPRIATED FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR

1 INPATIENT CARE, EXCLUSIVE OF INPATIENT SERVICES PROVIDED
2 THROUGH CAPITATION PLANS, SHALL INCLUDE SUFFICIENT FUNDS
3 FOR TWO SEPARATE ALL PATIENT REFINED DIAGNOSTIC RELATED
4 GROUP PAYMENTS FOR INPATIENT ACUTE CARE GENERAL HOSPITAL
5 STAYS FOR:

6 (A) NORMAL NEWBORN CARE; AND

7 (B) MOTHERS' OBSTETRICAL DELIVERY.

8 (VIII) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR MEDICAL
9 ASSISTANCE PAYMENTS FOR INPATIENT CARE, \$150,000 SHALL BE
10 USED FOR TREATMENT OF CLEFT PALATES AND OTHER
11 CRANIOFACIAL ANOMALIES.

12 (IX) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
13 INPATIENT CARE, \$1,000,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO AN
14 ACUTE CARE HOSPITAL IN A CITY OF THE THIRD CLASS IN A
15 COUNTY OF THE SIXTH CLASS, \$300,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED
16 FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO AN INTENSIVE CARE FACILITY IN AN
17 ACUTE CARE HOSPITAL LOCATED IN A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS
18 AND \$3,000,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR A HOSPITAL IN A
19 CITY OF THE THIRD CLASS IN A HOME RULE COUNTY OF THE
20 SECOND CLASS-A.

21 (X) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
22 CAPITATION, \$150,000 SHALL BE USED FOR PREVENTION AND
23 TREATMENT OF DEPRESSION AND ITS COMPLICATIONS IN OLDER
24 PENNSYLVANIANS IN A COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS.

25 (XI) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
26 LONG-TERM CARE, \$2,000,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO COUNTY
27 NURSING HOMES, LOCATED IN A HOME RULE COUNTY THAT WAS
28 FORMERLY A COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS A, WHICH HAVE A
29 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE OCCUPANCY RATE OF AT LEAST 85%.

30 (XII) SUBJECT TO FEDERAL APPROVAL OF NECESSARY

1 AMENDMENTS OF THE TITLE XIX STATE PLAN; FROM FUNDS
2 APPROPRIATED FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE LONG-TERM CARE,
3 \$8,000,000 IS ALLOCATED FOR QUARTERLY MEDICAL ASSISTANCE
4 DAY-ONE INCENTIVE PAYMENTS TO QUALIFIED NONPUBLIC NURSING
5 FACILITIES UNDER METHODOLOGY AND CRITERIA UNDER SECTION
6 443.1(7)(V) OF THE PUBLIC WELFARE CODE.

7 (XIII) MONEY APPROPRIATED FOR CRITICAL ACCESS
8 HOSPITALS SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED FOR REIMBURSEMENT IN
9 ACCORDANCE WITH A FORMULA ESTABLISHED BY THE DEPARTMENT.

10 (3) BREAST CANCER SCREENING. THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY:

11 (I) FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR BREAST CANCER SCREENING
12 MAY BE USED FOR WOMEN'S MEDICAL SERVICES, INCLUDING
13 NONINVASIVE CONTRACEPTION SUPPLIES.

14 (II) (RESERVED).

15 (4) WOMEN'S SERVICE PROGRAMS. THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY:

16 (I) FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR WOMEN'S SERVICE PROGRAMS
17 GRANTS TO NONPROFIT AGENCIES WHOSE PRIMARY FUNCTION IS TO
18 PROMOTE CHILDBIRTH AND PROVIDE ALTERNATIVES TO ABORTION
19 SHALL BE EXPENDED TO PROVIDE SERVICES TO WOMEN UNTIL
20 CHILDBIRTH AND FOR UP TO 12 MONTHS THEREAFTER, INCLUDING
21 FOOD, SHELTER, CLOTHING, HEALTH CARE, COUNSELING,
22 ADOPTION SERVICES, PARENTING CLASSES, ASSISTANCE FOR
23 POSTDELIVERY STRESS AND OTHER SUPPORTIVE PROGRAMS AND
24 SERVICES AND FOR RELATED OUTREACH PROGRAMS. AGENCIES MAY
25 SUBCONTRACT WITH OTHER NONPROFIT ENTITIES WHICH OPERATE
26 PROJECTS DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY TO PROVIDE ALL OR A
27 PORTION OF THESE SERVICES. PROJECTS RECEIVING FUNDS
28 REFERRED TO IN THIS SUBPARAGRAPH SHALL NOT PROMOTE, REFER
29 FOR OR PERFORM ABORTIONS OR ENGAGE IN ANY COUNSELING
30 WHICH IS INCONSISTENT WITH THE APPROPRIATION REFERRED TO

1 IN THIS SUBPARAGRAPH AND SHALL BE PHYSICALLY AND
2 FINANCIALLY SEPARATE FROM ANY COMPONENT OF ANY LEGAL
3 ENTITY ENGAGING IN SUCH ACTIVITIES.

4 (II) FEDERAL FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR TANFBG
5 ALTERNATIVES TO ABORTION SHALL BE UTILIZED SOLELY FOR
6 SERVICES TO WOMEN WHOSE GROSS FAMILY INCOME IS BELOW 185%
7 OF THE FEDERAL POVERTY GUIDELINES.

8 (5) THE PROVISIONS OF 8 U.S.C. §§ 1611 (RELATING TO
9 ALIENS WHO ARE NOT QUALIFIED ALIENS INELIGIBLE FOR FEDERAL
10 PUBLIC BENEFITS), 1612 (RELATING TO LIMITED ELIGIBILITY OF
11 QUALIFIED ALIENS FOR CERTAIN FEDERAL PROGRAMS) AND 1642
12 (RELATING TO VERIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR FEDERAL PUBLIC
13 BENEFITS) SHALL APPLY TO PAYMENTS AND PROVIDERS.

14 (6) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR AUTISM INTERVENTION AND
15 SERVICES, \$450,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO A BEHAVIORAL
16 HEALTH FACILITY LOCATED IN A FIFTH CLASS COUNTY WITH A
17 POPULATION BETWEEN 130,000 AND 135,000 UNDER THE 2010 FEDERAL
18 DECENNIAL CENSUS THAT OPERATES A CENTER FOR AUTISM AND
19 DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, \$240,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO
20 AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION WHICH PROVIDES AUTISM
21 EDUCATION AND DIAGNOSTIC CURRICULUM LOCATED IN A CITY OF THE
22 FIRST CLASS THAT OPERATES A CENTER FOR AUTISM IN A COUNTY OF
23 THE SECOND CLASS A, \$240,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO AN
24 INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION WHICH PROVIDES AUTISM
25 EDUCATION AND DIAGNOSTIC CURRICULUM AND IS LOCATED IN A
26 COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS AND \$200,000 SHALL BE ALLOCATED TO
27 PROGRAMS TO PROMOTE THE HEALTH AND FITNESS OF PERSONS WITH
28 DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES LOCATED IN A CITY OF THE FIRST
29 CLASS.

30 (6.1) COMMUNITY-BASED FAMILY CENTERS. FUNDS APPROPRIATED

1 FOR COMMUNITY-BASED FAMILY CENTERS MAY NOT BE CONSIDERED AS
2 PART OF THE BASE FOR CALCULATION OF THE COUNTY CHILD WELFARE
3 NEEDS-BASED BUDGET FOR A FISCAL YEAR.

4 (7) CHILD WELFARE SERVICES. FOR FISCAL YEAR 2014-2015, A
5 PROVIDER OF 24-HOUR, OUT-OF-HOME, COMMUNITY-BASED OR
6 INSTITUTIONAL CARE AND SUPERVISION OF A CHILD, WITH THE CARE
7 AND SUPERVISION BEING PAID FOR OR PROVIDED BY A COUNTY USING
8 FEDERAL OR STATE FUNDS DISBURSED UNDER ARTICLE VII OF THE
9 PUBLIC WELFARE CODE, SHALL SUBMIT DOCUMENTATION TO THE
10 DEPARTMENT OF ITS COSTS OF PROVIDING OUT-OF-HOME PLACEMENT
11 SERVICES. THE DEPARTMENT SHALL USE SUCH DOCUMENTATION, TO THE
12 EXTENT NECESSARY TO SUPPORT THE DEPARTMENT'S CLAIM FOR
13 FEDERAL FUNDING AND FOR STATE REIMBURSEMENT FOR ALLOWABLE
14 DIRECT AND INDIRECT COSTS INCURRED IN THE PROVISION OF OUT-
15 OF-HOME PLACEMENT SERVICES.

16 (8) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES
17 OR FROM FEDERAL FUNDS, AT LEAST \$310,000 SHALL BE USED FOR
18 THE CONTINUED OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE OF THE EXISTING
19 NETWORK OF WEB PORTALS THAT PROVIDES COMPREHENSIVE REFERRAL
20 SERVICES, SUPPORT AND INFORMATION FOR EARLY INTERVENTION,
21 PREVENTION AND SUPPORT FOR THOSE WITH MENTAL ILLNESS OR
22 SUBSTANCE ABUSE, THEIR FAMILIES, COUNTY MENTAL HEALTH
23 OFFICES, PROVIDERS AND OTHERS INVOLVED IN MENTAL HEALTH
24 TREATMENT.

25 (9) A HOSPITAL IN A COUNTY OF THE FOURTH CLASS WITH A
26 POPULATION BETWEEN 168,000 AND 170,500 UNDER THE 2010 FEDERAL
27 DECENNIAL CENSUS SHALL, FOR PURPOSES OF MEDICARE
28 REIMBURSEMENT, BE DESIGNATED BY THE COMMONWEALTH AS A RURAL
29 HOSPITAL UNDER SECTION 1886(D)(8)(E)(II)(II) OF THE SOCIAL
30 SECURITY ACT (42 U.S.C. § 1395 WW(D)(8)(E)(II)(II)).

1 (10) TO SUPPLEMENT THE FUNDS APPROPRIATED TO THE
2 DEPARTMENT FOR MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR WORKERS WITH
3 DISABILITIES, IN ADDITION TO THE MONTHLY PREMIUM ESTABLISHED
4 UNDER SECTION 1503(B) (1) OF THE ACT OF JUNE 26, 2001
5 (P.L.755, NO.77), KNOWN AS THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT, THE
6 DEPARTMENT MAY ADJUST THE PERCENTAGE OF THE PREMIUM UPON
7 APPROVAL OF THE CENTERS FOR MEDICAID SERVICES AS AUTHORIZED
8 UNDER FEDERAL REQUIREMENTS. FAILURE TO MAKE PAYMENTS IN
9 ACCORDANCE WITH THIS PARAGRAPH OR SECTION 1503(B) (1) OF THE
10 TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT SHALL RESULT IN THE TERMINATION OF
11 MEDICAL ASSISTANCE COVERAGE.

12 SECTION 1730-J. DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE.

13 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
14 DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE IN THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT:

15 (1) THE ENHANCED REVENUE COLLECTION ACCOUNT CREATED
16 UNDER SECTION 1730-L FOR FISCAL YEARS 2010-2011 AND 2011-2012
17 SHALL CONTINUE THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 2019-2020. REVENUES
18 COLLECTED AND THE AMOUNT OF REFUNDS AVOIDED AS A RESULT OF
19 EXPANDED TAX RETURN REVIEWS AND TAX COLLECTION ACTIVITIES
20 SHALL BE DEPOSITED INTO THE ACCOUNT. THE FOLLOWING SHALL
21 APPLY:

22 (I) OF THE FUNDS IN THE ACCOUNT, FOR EACH OF THE
23 FISCAL YEARS 2014-2015 THROUGH 2019-2020, UP TO
24 \$25,000,000 IS APPROPRIATED TO THE DEPARTMENT TO FUND THE
25 COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH INCREASED TAX COLLECTION
26 ENFORCEMENT AND REDUCTION IN TAX REFUND ERRORS. THE
27 BALANCE OF THE FUNDS IN THE ACCOUNT ON JUNE 15, 2014, AND
28 EACH JUNE 15 THEREAFTER, SHALL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE
29 GENERAL FUND OR ANOTHER AUTHORIZED FUND.

30 (II) THE DEPARTMENT SHALL ISSUE A REPORT TO THE

1 GOVERNOR, THE CHAIRMAN AND THE MINORITY CHAIRMAN OF THE
2 APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF THE SENATE AND THE CHAIRMAN
3 AND MINORITY CHAIRMAN OF THE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE OF
4 THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES BY JUNE 1, 2015, AND BY EACH
5 JUNE 1 THEREAFTER, WITH THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

6 (A) A DETAILED BREAKDOWN OF THE DEPARTMENT'S
7 ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS IN IMPLEMENTING THE ACTIVITIES
8 DESCRIBED UNDER THIS SECTION.

9 (B) THE AMOUNT OF REVENUE COLLECTED AND THE
10 AMOUNT OF REFUNDS AVOIDED AS A RESULT OF THE
11 ACTIVITIES DESCRIBED UNDER THIS PARAGRAPH, INCLUDING
12 DETAILS OF THE TYPE OF TAX GENERATING THE REVENUE AND
13 AVOIDED REFUNDS.

14 (2) (RESERVED).

15 SECTION 1731-J. DEPARTMENT OF STATE (RESERVED).

16 SECTION 1732-J. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.

17 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
18 DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION IN THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT:

19 (1) FROM FUNDS AVAILABLE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF
20 TRANSPORTATION UNDER 74 PA.C.S. § 2104(A)(2) (RELATING TO USE
21 OF MONEY IN FUND), THE MATCH UNDER 74 PA.C.S. § 2106
22 (RELATING TO LOCAL MATCH) MAY BE WAIVED BY THE SECRETARY OF
23 TRANSPORTATION FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN. THIS PARAGRAPH SHALL
24 EXPIRE IN SIX MONTHS.

25 (2) (RESERVED).

26 SECTION 1733-J. PENNSYLVANIA STATE POLICE.

27 PAYMENTS MADE TO MUNICIPALITIES UNDER 53 PA.C.S. § 2170
28 (RELATING TO REIMBURSEMENT OF EXPENSES) SHALL BE LIMITED TO
29 MONEY AVAILABLE. IF MONEY IS NOT AVAILABLE TO MAKE FULL
30 PAYMENTS, THE MUNICIPAL POLICE OFFICERS' EDUCATION AND TRAINING

1 COMMISSION SHALL MAKE PAYMENTS ON A PRO RATA BASIS.

2 SECTION 1734-J. (RESERVED).

3 SECTION 1735-J. PENNSYLVANIA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY.

4 THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE
5 PENNSYLVANIA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY IN THE GENERAL
6 APPROPRIATION ACT:

7 (1) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT
8 OPERATIONS, \$100,000 SHALL BE DISTRIBUTED TO A NONPROFIT
9 ENTITY LOCATED IN A COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS AND IN A
10 BOROUGH WITH A POPULATION BASED ON THE MOST RECENT FEDERAL
11 DECENNIAL CENSUS OF AT LEAST 4,000 BUT NOT MORE THAN 5,000
12 THAT PROVIDES EMERGENCY DISASTER SERVICES IN A MULTICOUNTY
13 REGION.

14 (2) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR LOCAL MUNICIPAL
15 EMERGENCY RELIEF, \$1,000,000 SHALL BE APPROPRIATED TO A
16 MULTICOUNTY PROVIDER OF EMERGENCY SERVICES THAT SERVES A
17 PORTION OF A COUNTY OF THE SECOND CLASS A AND PORTION OF A
18 COUNTY OF THE THIRD CLASS.

19 (3) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR LOCAL MUNICIPAL
20 EMERGENCY RELIEF, \$2,000,000 SHALL BE USED TO CREATE A STATE
21 PROGRAM TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO INDIVIDUALS AND POLITICAL
22 SUBDIVISIONS DIRECTLY AFFECTED BY NATURAL AND MAN-MADE
23 DISASTERS. STATE ASSISTANCE WILL BE LIMITED TO GRANTS FOR
24 PROJECTS THAT DO NOT QUALIFY FOR FEDERAL ASSISTANCE TO HELP
25 REPAIR DAMAGES TO PRIMARY RESIDENCES, PERSONAL PROPERTY AND
26 PUBLIC FACILITIES. GRANTS WILL BE MADE AVAILABLE IN A
27 DISASTER EMERGENCY AREA ONLY WHEN A PRESIDENTIAL DISASTER
28 DECLARATION IS NOT COVERING THE AREA.

29 (4) FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR SEARCH AND RESCUE PROGRAMS
30 SHALL BE USED TO SUPPORT PROGRAMS RELATED TO TRAINING WORKING

1 SERVICE DOGS FOCUSING ON RESCUE AND PUBLIC SAFETY AT A CENTER
2 LOCATED IN A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS.

3 SECTION 1736-J. PENNSYLVANIA FISH AND BOAT COMMISSION
4 (RESERVED).

5 SECTION 1737-J. STATE SYSTEM OF HIGHER EDUCATION (RESERVED).

6 SECTION 1737.1-J. STATE-RELATED INSTITUTIONS (RESERVED).

7 SECTION 1738-J. PENNSYLVANIA HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE
8 AGENCY.

9 (A) GENERAL RULE.--THE FOLLOWING SHALL APPLY TO
10 APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE PENNSYLVANIA HIGHER EDUCATION ASSISTANCE
11 AGENCY IN THE GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT:

12 (1) FROM FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR THE READY TO SUCCEED
13 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM, THE PENNSYLVANIA HIGHER EDUCATION
14 ASSISTANCE AGENCY SHALL DEVELOP A PROGRAM IN CONSULTATION
15 WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS TO
16 ELIGIBLE RESIDENT STUDENTS TO DEFRAY THE COST OF ATTENDING A
17 STATE GRANT-APPROVED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION THAT IS
18 DOMICILED AND HEADQUARTERED WITH ITS PRINCIPAL LOCATION IN
19 THIS COMMONWEALTH.

20 (2) THE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA DEVELOPED FOR THE RECEIPT
21 OF A SCHOLARSHIP UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) SHALL AT A MINIMUM
22 REQUIRE THE FOLLOWING:

23 (I) TOTAL ANNUAL HOUSEHOLD INCOME NOT TO EXCEED
24 \$110,000.

25 (II) AT LEAST HALF-TIME ENROLLMENT IN AN APPROVED
26 COURSE OF STUDY.

27 (III) DEMONSTRATION OF OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC
28 ACHIEVEMENT.

29 (IV) COMPLIANCE WITH ALL ASPECTS OF THE STATE GRANT
30 PROGRAM, EXCEPT FINANCIAL NEED.

1 (3) A STUDENT MAY BE ELIGIBLE TO RECEIVE A SCHOLARSHIP
2 UNDER PARAGRAPH (1) PROVIDED THE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD IN
3 COMBINATION WITH A STATE GRANT AWARD FOR THE SAME ACADEMIC
4 YEAR DOES NOT EXCEED THE ANNUALLY ESTABLISHED MAXIMUM AMOUNT
5 FOR THE READY TO SUCCEED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM AS ESTABLISHED
6 BY THE AGENCY.

7 (4) THE AGENCY SHALL MAKE ALL SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS UNDER
8 PARAGRAPH (1) IN ITS SOLE DISCRETION.

9 (B) DEFINITIONS.--AS USED IN THIS SECTION, "STATE GRANT"
10 SHALL MEAN A GRANT OR SCHOLARSHIP AWARDED UNDER THE ACT OF
11 JANUARY 25, 1966 (1965 P.L.1546, NO.541), REFERRED TO AS THE
12 HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP LAW.

13 SECTION 1739-J. PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION.

14 THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES SHALL
15 COMMENCE ITS OPERATION OF THE WASHINGTON CROSSING HISTORIC PARK
16 WITHIN 60 DAYS OF THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION. THE
17 PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION SHALL CONTINUE TO
18 OPERATE THE VISITOR'S CENTER AND OVERSEE OPERATIONS THROUGH
19 DECEMBER 31, 2014, INCLUDING CONDUCTING THE ANNUAL CHRISTMAS DAY
20 CROSSING. NOTHING IN THIS SECTION SHALL PROHIBIT THE DEPARTMENT
21 OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES FROM ENTERING INTO AN
22 AGREEMENT FOR THE VISITOR'S CENTER AND ADJACENT HISTORICAL
23 BUILDINGS WITH THE PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM
24 COMMISSION, IF DEEMED APPROVED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION
25 AND NATURAL RESOURCES, WHEREBY THE PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND
26 MUSEUM COMMISSION SHALL INTERPRET THE SITE. MANAGEMENT OF THE
27 VISITOR'S CENTER AND ADJOINING BUILDINGS SHALL BE THE
28 RESPONSIBILITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL
29 RESOURCES. THE PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION
30 SHALL CONTINUE TO CONSULT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION

1 AND NATURAL RESOURCES REGARDING HISTORIC INTERPRETATION AND
2 PRESERVATION AS MANDATED BY 37 PA.C.S. (RELATING TO HISTORICAL
3 AND MUSEUMS) .

4 SECTION 1740-J. PENNSYLVANIA INFRASTRUCTURE INVESTMENT
5 AUTHORITY (RESERVED) .

6 SECTION 1741-J. ENVIRONMENTAL HEARING BOARD (RESERVED) .

7 SECTION 1742-J. PENNSYLVANIA BOARD OF PROBATION AND PAROLE
8 (RESERVED) .

9 SECTION 1743-J. PENNSYLVANIA GAMING CONTROL BOARD.

10 (1) NOTWITHSTANDING 4 PA.C.S. PT. II (RELATING TO
11 GAMING) OR ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW TO THE CONTRARY, ANY
12 PAYMENT OF A SLOT MACHINE LICENSE FEE UNDER 4 PA.C.S. § 1209
13 (RELATING TO SLOT MACHINE LICENSE FEE) RECEIVED BY THE
14 PENNSYLVANIA GAMING CONTROL BOARD AFTER JUNE 30, 2014, SHALL
15 BE DEPOSITED IN AND CREDITED TO THE GENERAL FUND.

16 (2) WITHIN 90 DAYS AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS
17 PARAGRAPH, THE PENNSYLVANIA GAMING CONTROL BOARD SHALL
18 TRANSFER THE SUM OF \$8,000,000 FROM AMOUNTS PREVIOUSLY
19 APPROPRIATED TO THE BOARD PURSUANT TO 4 PA.C.S. § 1408(C)
20 (RELATING TO TRANSFERS FROM STATE GAMING FUND) TO THE GENERAL
21 FUND.

22 SECTION 1744-J. (RESERVED) .

23 SECTION 1745-J. (RESERVED) .

24 SECTION 1746-J. (RESERVED) .

25 SECTION 1747-J. (RESERVED) .

26 SECTION 1748-J. COMMONWEALTH FINANCING AUTHORITY (RESERVED) .

27 SECTION 1749-J. THADDEUS STEVENS COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY
28 (RESERVED) .

29 SECTION 1750-J. PENNSYLVANIA HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY (RESERVED) .

30 SECTION 1751-J. LIHEABG (RESERVED) .

1 SUBARTICLE C

2 STATE GOVERNMENT SUPPORT AGENCIES

3 SECTION 1761-J. HEALTH CARE COST CONTAINMENT COUNCIL

4 (RESERVED).

5 SECTION 1762-J. STATE ETHICS COMMISSION (RESERVED).

6 SECTION 1763-J. LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU (RESERVED).

7 SECTION 1764-J. LEGISLATIVE BUDGET AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

8 (RESERVED).

9 SECTION 1765-J. LEGISLATIVE DATA PROCESSING COMMITTEE

10 (RESERVED).

11 SECTION 1766-J. JOINT STATE GOVERNMENT COMMISSION (RESERVED).

12 SECTION 1767-J. JOINT LEGISLATIVE AIR AND WATER POLLUTION

13 CONTROL AND CONSERVATION COMMITTEE (RESERVED).

14 SECTION 1768-J. LEGISLATIVE AUDIT ADVISORY COMMISSION

15 (RESERVED).

16 SECTION 1769-J. INDEPENDENT REGULATORY REVIEW COMMISSION

17 (RESERVED).

18 SECTION 1770-J. CAPITOL PRESERVATION COMMITTEE (RESERVED).

19 SECTION 1771-J. PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION ON SENTENCING

20 (RESERVED).

21 SECTION 1772-J. CENTER FOR RURAL PENNSYLVANIA (RESERVED).

22 SECTION 1773-J. COMMONWEALTH MAIL PROCESSING CENTER (RESERVED).

23 SECTION 1774-J. TRANSFERS (RESERVED).

24 SUBARTICLE D

25 JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

26 SECTION 1781-J. SUPREME COURT (RESERVED).

27 SECTION 1782-J. SUPERIOR COURT (RESERVED).

28 SECTION 1783-J. COMMONWEALTH COURT (RESERVED).

29 SECTION 1784-J. COURTS OF COMMON PLEAS (RESERVED).

30 SECTION 1785-J. COMMUNITY COURTS; MAGISTERIAL DISTRICT JUDGES

1 (RESERVED) .
2 SECTION 1786-J. PHILADELPHIA TRAFFIC COURT (RESERVED) .
3 SECTION 1787-J. PHILADELPHIA MUNICIPAL COURT (RESERVED) .
4 SECTION 1788-J. JUDICIAL CONDUCT BOARD (RESERVED) .
5 SECTION 1789-J. COURT OF JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE (RESERVED) .
6 SECTION 1790-J. JUROR COST REIMBURSEMENT (RESERVED) .
7 SECTION 1791-J. COUNTY COURT REIMBURSEMENT (RESERVED) .
8 SECTION 1792-J. SENIOR JUDGES (RESERVED) .
9 SECTION 1793-J. TRANSFER OF FUNDS BY SUPREME COURT (RESERVED) .

10 SUBARTICLE E

11 GENERAL ASSEMBLY

12 (RESERVED)

13 ARTICLE XVII-K

14 2014-2015 RESTRICTIONS ON APPROPRIATIONS

15 FOR FUNDS AND ACCOUNTS

16 SECTION 1701-K. APPLICABILITY.

17 EXCEPT AS SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED IN THIS ARTICLE, THIS ARTICLE
18 APPLIES TO THE ACT OF _____, 2014 (P.L. NO. A), KNOWN AS THE
19 GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT OF 2014, AND ALL OTHER APPROPRIATION
20 ACTS OF 2014.

21 SECTION 1702-K. STATE LOTTERY FUND.

22 (1) FUNDS APPROPRIATED FOR PENNCARE SHALL NOT BE
23 UTILIZED FOR ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF AGING.

24 (2) (RESERVED).

25 SECTION 1703-K. ENERGY CONSERVATION AND ASSISTANCE FUND

26 (RESERVED).

27 SECTION 1704-K. JUDICIAL COMPUTER SYSTEM AUGMENTATION ACCOUNT

28 (RESERVED).

29 SECTION 1704.1-K. ACCESS TO JUSTICE ACCOUNT (RESERVED).

30 SECTION 1705-K. EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES OPERATING FUND

1 (RESERVED) .

2 SECTION 1706-K. THE STATE STORES FUND (RESERVED) .

3 SECTION 1707-K. MOTOR LICENSE FUND (RESERVED) .

4 SECTION 1708-K. HAZARDOUS MATERIAL RESPONSE FUND (RESERVED) .

5 SECTION 1709-K. MILK MARKETING FUND (RESERVED) .

6 SECTION 1710-K. HOME INVESTMENT TRUST FUND (RESERVED) .

7 SECTION 1711-K. TUITION PAYMENT FUND (RESERVED) .

8 SECTION 1712-K. BANKING DEPARTMENT FUND (RESERVED) .

9 SECTION 1713-K. FIREARM RECORDS CHECK FUND (RESERVED) .

10 SECTION 1714-K. BEN FRANKLIN TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY
11 FUND (RESERVED) .

12 SECTION 1715-K. TOBACCO SETTLEMENT FUND (RESERVED) .

13 SECTION 1716-K. (RESERVED) .

14 SECTION 1717-K. RESTRICTED RECEIPT ACCOUNTS.

15 (A) GENERAL PROVISIONS.--THE SECRETARY MAY CREATE RESTRICTED
16 RECEIPT ACCOUNTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF ADMINISTERING FEDERAL GRANTS
17 ONLY FOR THE PURPOSES DESIGNATED IN THIS SECTION.

18 (B) DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.--THE
19 FOLLOWING RESTRICTED RECEIPT ACCOUNTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE
20 DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT:

21 (1) ARC HOUSING REVOLVING LOAN PROGRAM.

22 (2) (RESERVED) .

23 (C) DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES.--THE
24 FOLLOWING RESTRICTED RECEIPT ACCOUNTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE
25 DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES:

26 (1) FEDERAL AID TO VOLUNTEER FIRE COMPANIES.

27 (2) FEDERAL LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND ACT.

28 (3) NATIONAL FOREST RESERVE ALLOTMENT.

29 (4) FEDERAL LAND AND WATER CONSERVATION FUND ACT -
30 CONSERVATION AND NATURAL RESOURCES.

1 (D) DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION.--THE FOLLOWING RESTRICTED
2 RECEIPT ACCOUNTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
3 EDUCATION:

4 (1) EDUCATION OF THE DISABLED - PART C.

5 (2) LSTA - LIBRARY GRANTS.

6 (3) THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE UNIVERSITY FEDERAL AID.

7 (4) EMERGENCY IMMIGRATION EDUCATION ASSISTANCE.

8 (5) EDUCATION OF THE DISABLED - PART D.

9 (6) HOMELESS ADULT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.

10 (7) SEVERELY HANDICAPPED.

11 (8) MEDICAL ASSISTANCE REIMBURSEMENTS TO LOCAL EDUCATION
12 AGENCIES.

13 (E) DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.--THE FOLLOWING
14 RESTRICTED RECEIPT ACCOUNTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE
15 DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION:

16 (1) FEDERAL WATER RESOURCES PLANNING ACT.

17 (2) FLOOD CONTROL PAYMENTS.

18 (3) SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION ACT - INVENTORY OF
19 PROGRAMS.

20 (F) DEPARTMENT OF DRUG AND ALCOHOL PROGRAMS.--THE FOLLOWING
21 RESTRICTED RECEIPT ACCOUNTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE
22 DEPARTMENT OF DRUG AND ALCOHOL PROGRAMS:

23 (1) SHARE LOAN PROGRAM.

24 (2) (RESERVED).

25 (G) DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION.--THE FOLLOWING RESTRICTED
26 RECEIPT ACCOUNTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF
27 TRANSPORTATION:

28 (1) CAPITAL ASSISTANCE ELDERLY AND HANDICAPPED PROGRAMS.

29 (2) RAILROAD REHABILITATION AND IMPROVEMENT ASSISTANCE.

30 (3) RIDESHARING/VAN POOL PROGRAM - ACQUISITION.

1 (H) PENNSYLVANIA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY.--THE FOLLOWING
2 RESTRICTED RECEIPT ACCOUNTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE
3 PENNSYLVANIA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY:

4 (1) RECEIPTS FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT - DISASTER RELIEF -
5 DISASTER RELIEF ASSISTANCE TO STATE AND POLITICAL
6 SUBDIVISIONS.

7 (2) (RESERVED).

8 (I) PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION.--THE
9 FOLLOWING RESTRICTED RECEIPT ACCOUNTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE
10 PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION:

11 (1) FEDERAL GRANT - NATIONAL HISTORIC PRESERVATION ACT.

12 (2) (RESERVED).

13 (J) EXECUTIVE OFFICES.--THE FOLLOWING RESTRICTED RECEIPT
14 ACCOUNTS MAY BE ESTABLISHED FOR THE EXECUTIVE OFFICES:

15 (1) RETIRED EMPLOYEES MEDICARE PART D.

16 (2) JUSTICE ASSISTANCE.

17 (3) JUVENILE ACCOUNTABILITY INCENTIVE.

18 (4) EARLY RETIREE REINSURANCE PROGRAM.

19 SECTION 1718.1-K. GAMING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM FUND.

20 NOTWITHSTANDING THE PROVISIONS OF 4 PA.C.S. PT. II (RELATING
21 TO GAMING) AND THE ACT OF JULY 9, 2008 (P.L.908, NO.63), KNOWN
22 AS THE H2O PA ACT, \$5,676,000 IS HEREBY APPROPRIATED FROM THE
23 GAMING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM FUND TO THE DEPARTMENT
24 OF GENERAL SERVICES TO MEET ADDITIONAL PAYMENT OBLIGATIONS FOR
25 THE PROJECT ITEMIZED IN SECTION 3(2)(I)(D) OF THE ACT OF JULY
26 25, 2007 (P.L.342, NO.53), KNOWN AS THE PENNSYLVANIA GAMING
27 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND TOURISM FUND CAPITAL BUDGET ITEMIZATION
28 ACT OF 2007.

29 SECTION 1719-K. VETERANS' TRUST FUND (RESERVED).

30 SECTION 1720-K. STATE FARM PRODUCTS SHOW FUND (RESERVED).

1 SECTION 1721-K. PENNSYLVANIA RACE HORSE DEVELOPMENT FUND

2 (RESERVED).

3 SECTION 16. REPEALS ARE AS FOLLOWS:

4 (1) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DECLARES THAT THE REPEALS UNDER
5 PARAGRAPH (2) ARE NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE ADDITION OF
6 SUBARTICLE D OF ARTICLE XVII-A.1 OF THE ACT.

7 (2) SECTIONS 304 AND 305 OF THE ACT OF JUNE 26, 2001
8 (P.L.755, NO.77), KNOWN AS THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT ACT, ARE
9 REPEALED.

10 (3) THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FINDS THAT THE REPEAL UNDER
11 PARAGRAPH (4) IS NECESSARY TO EFFECTUATE THE ADDITION OF
12 SECTION 1722-J(10) OF THE ACT.

13 (4) SECTION 2509.14 OF THE ACT OF MARCH 10, 1949
14 (P.L.30, NO.14), KNOWN AS THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CODE OF 1949, IS
15 REPEALED.

16 SECTION 17. THE FOLLOWING PROVISIONS SHALL APPLY
17 RETROACTIVELY TO TAXABLE YEARS BEGINNING AFTER DECEMBER 31,
18 2013:

19 (1) THE ADDITION OF SECTION 215 OF THE ACT.

20 (2) THE ADDITION OF SECTION 1104.2 OF THE ACT.

21 SECTION 18. THIS ACT SHALL TAKE EFFECT AS FOLLOWS:

22 (1) THE AMENDMENT OF SECTION 301.1(I)(2) OF THE ACT
23 SHALL TAKE EFFECT IN 60 DAYS.

24 (2) THE AMENDMENT OR ADDITION OF SECTIONS 1301.11(G),
25 1301.11A, 1301.11B AND 1301.25 OF THE ACT SHALL TAKE EFFECT
26 IN 180 DAYS.

27 (3) SECTION 16(2) OF THIS ACT SHALL TAKE EFFECT JANUARY
28 1, 2015.

29 (4) THE REMAINDER OF THIS ACT SHALL TAKE EFFECT
30 IMMEDIATELY.