THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 825

Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY HUGHES AND WILLIAMS, MAY 8, 2015

REFERRED TO APPROPRIATIONS, MAY 8, 2015

AN ACT

- 1 Making appropriations to the Trustees of the University of 2 Pennsylvania.
- 3 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 4 hereby enacts as follows:
- 5 Section 1. (a) The sum of \$28,000,000, or as much thereof
- 6 as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to the Trustees of
- 7 the University of Pennsylvania for the fiscal year July 1, 2015,
- 8 to June 30, 2016, for veterinary activities.
- 9 (b) The sum of \$261,000, or as much thereof as may be
- 10 necessary, is hereby appropriated to the Trustees of the
- 11 University of Pennsylvania for the fiscal year July 1, 2015, to
- 12 June 30, 2016, for the Center for Infectious Diseases.
- 13 Section 2. (a) Payments to the University of Pennsylvania
- 14 on account of the appropriations shall be made quarterly by the
- 15 Secretary of Agriculture on the basis of costs during the fiscal
- 16 year and shall be conditioned on continuing authority for
- 17 inclusion on the Board of Trustees of the University of
- 18 Pennsylvania of a minimum of four persons who are not elected

- 1 officials and who are appointed by the President pro tempore of
- 2 the Senate, the Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker of
- 3 the House of Representatives and the Minority Leader of the
- 4 House of Representatives for terms of office coterminous with
- 5 that of the respective appointing authority; and shall be
- 6 further conditioned on these appointees receiving full voting
- 7 rights as members of the board of trustees.
- 8 (b) The University of Pennsylvania shall provide full,
- 9 complete and accurate information as may be required by the
- 10 Department of Agriculture or the chairman or the minority
- 11 chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the Senate or the
- 12 chairman or the minority chairman of the Appropriations
- 13 Committee of the House of Representatives.
- 14 (c) The University of Pennsylvania shall report its revenues
- 15 and expenditures and present its financial statements in
- 16 accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and
- 17 procedures for educational institutions as set forth in the
- 18 "Higher Education Finance Manual (1975)" and the "Commonwealth
- 19 of Pennsylvania Budget Instructions for the State System of
- 20 Higher Education, State-Related Universities and Non-State-
- 21 Related Colleges and Universities."
- 22 (d) The Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania shall
- 23 report on forms provided by the Department of Agriculture to
- 24 both the chairman and minority chairman of the Appropriations
- 25 Committee of the Senate and the chairman and minority chairman
- 26 of the Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives
- 27 by September 30, 2016, on how State-appropriated funds were
- 28 expended for fiscal year 2015-2016 to reduce the costs to
- 29 Pennsylvania resident students or to provide services to
- 30 Pennsylvania residents.

- 1 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2015, or
- 2 immediately, whichever is later.