

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY THOMAS, CLAY, COHEN, FLYNN, SABATINA, BROWNLEE,
QUINN, KORTZ, SIMS AND YOUNGBLOOD, AUGUST 29, 2013

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, AUGUST 29, 2013

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An
2 act relating to the public school system, including certain
3 provisions applicable as well to private and parochial
4 schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the
5 laws relating thereto," further providing for distress in
6 school districts of the first class.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 Section 1. Section 696 of the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30,
10 No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, is amended by
11 adding a subsection to read:

12 Section 696. Distress in School Districts of the First
13 Class.--* * *

14 (n.3) The School Reform Commission shall prepare and provide
15 two revenue estimates annually, one by June 15 and the other by
16 November 15, to the Secretary of the Budget, the chairman and
17 minority chairman of the Education Committee of the Senate and
18 the chairman and minority chairman of the Education Committee of
19 the House of Representatives. The revenue estimates shall
20 include the following:

1 (1) Federal funds;
2 (2) State revenues;
3 (3) funds from other resources; and
4 (4) any projected revenue surplus or deficit.
5 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.