

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1315 Session of
1975

INTRODUCED BY GARZIA, STAPLETON, O'KEEFE AND DOYLE, MAY 28, 1975

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, JUNE 2, 1975

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of March 11, 1971 (P.L.104, No.3), entitled, as
2 amended, "An act providing property tax or rent assistance to
3 certain senior citizens, widows, widowers and permanently
4 disabled persons with limited incomes; establishing uniform
5 standards and qualifications for eligibility to receive
6 assistance; and imposing duties upon the Department of
7 Revenue," further providing for the table of household income
8 to reflect social security cost-of-living increases.

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

11 Section 1. Subsection (a.1) of section 4, act of March 11,
12 1971 (P.L.104, No.3), known as the "Senior Citizens Property Tax
13 Assistance Act," subsection (a.1) added December 5, 1973
14 (P.L.380, No.136), is amended to read:

15 Section 4. Property Tax or Rent Assistance.--* * *

16 (a.1) The amount of any claim for property tax assistance or
17 rent assistance in lieu of property taxes for real property
18 taxes or rent due and payable during the calendar year 1973 and
19 thereafter shall be determined in accordance with the following
20 schedule:

21 Percentage of Real Property Tax or

	<u>Household Income</u>	<u>Rent Allowed as Assistance</u>
1		
2	\$ 0 - \$2,999	100%
3	3,000 - 3,499	90
4	3,500 - 3,999	80
5	4,000 - 4,499	70
6	4,500 - 4,999	60
7	5,000 - 5,499	50
8	5,500 - 5,999	40
9	6,000 - 6,499	30
10	6,500 - 6,999	20
11	7,000 - 7,499	10

12 The income figures listed in the table for Household Income
 13 shall be increased each year by the department to reflect any
 14 increases which are granted by the Federal Government through
 15 the social security system.

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17 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately and apply
 18 to the tax year 1975 and each year thereafter.