THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2645

Session of 1988

INTRODUCED BY SEMMEL, AUGUST 8, 1988

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, AUGUST 8, 1988

AN ACT

Amending the act of August 7, 1963 (P.L.549, No.290), entitled, as amended, "An act creating the Pennsylvania Higher 3 Education Assistance Agency; defining its powers and duties; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Governor, 5 President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Superintendent of Public Instruction and the 7 Department of Auditor General; and making appropriations," excusing any member or veteran of the United States Armed 8 Forces from student loan repayment requirements. 10 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 11 hereby enacts as follows: 12 Section 1. The act of August 7, 1963 (P.L.549, No.290), 13 referred to as the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance 14 Agency Act, is amended by adding a section to read: 15 Section 4.4. Excusal of Certain Loans. -- (a) All members and veterans of the United States Armed Forces are hereby excused 16 17 from the repayment requirements of any student loan made or 18 quaranteed under the provisions of this act. 19 (b) Any loan excused under subsection (a) shall, if the 20 lender was not the Commonwealth, be repaid by the board to the lender from funds appropriated for that purpose by the General 21

- 1 Assembly.
- 2 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.