THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 947

Session of 1991

INTRODUCED BY STAIRS, E. Z. TAYLOR, FLEAGLE, JOHNSON, TANGRETTI, MELIO, CARLSON, GALLEN, GRUPPO, HESS, HECKLER, KASUNIC, VROON, GODSHALL, VAN HORNE, BUNT, BILLOW, ARMSTRONG, HALUSKA, TRELLO, SEMMEL, HARPER, BISHOP, JAROLIN AND HARLEY, APRIL 2, 1991

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND WELFARE, APRIL 2, 1991

AN ACT

- 1 Providing for a special State domiciliary care providers
- 2 supplement to the Federal Supplemental Security Income
- 3 Program for individuals requiring domiciliary care services
- 4 who reside in licensed domiciliary care homes; providing for
- 5 additional duties of the Department of Public Welfare; and
- 6 making an appropriation.
- 7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 8 hereby enacts as follows:
- 9 Section 1. Special care providers supplement.
- 10 The Department of Public Welfare shall provide a special
- 11 State domiciliary care providers supplement to the Federal
- 12 Supplemental Security Income Program received by or for persons
- 13 requiring domiciliary care and residing in licensed domiciliary
- 14 care facilities.
- 15 Section 2. Funding allocation.
- 16 The Department of Public Welfare shall allocate for fiscal
- 17 year 1991-1992 the amount of \$280,000 as a State domiciliary
- 18 care providers supplement to the Federal Supplemental Security

- 1 Income Program being received by or for persons residing in
- 2 domiciliary care facilities over the amount provided under the
- 3 State program operating in fiscal year 1990-1991. Such increase
- 4 shall be \$5 per day per resident recipient.
- 5 Section 3. Appropriation.
- The sum of \$280,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary,
- 7 is hereby appropriated to the Department of Public Welfare for
- 8 the fiscal year July 1, 1991, to June 30, 1992, to carry out the
- 9 provisions of this act.
- 10 Section 4. Effective date.
- 11 This act shall take effect July 1, 1991, or immediately,
- 12 whichever is later.