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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, MARCH 11, 2013

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), entitled "An
2 act to consolidate, editorially revise, and codify the public
3 welfare laws of the Commonwealth," in public assistance,
4 further providing for persons eligible for medical
5 assistance.

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

8 Section 1. Section 441.1(a) of the act of June 13, 1967
9 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Public Welfare Code, is amended by
10 adding a paragraph to read:

11 Section 441.1. Persons Eligible for Medical Assistance.--(a)
12 The following persons shall be eligible for medical assistance:

13 * * *

14 (6) Persons who are under 65 years of age, not pregnant, not
15 entitled to or enrolled for benefits under Part A or B of Title
16 XVIII of the Social Security Act (49 Stat. 620, 42 U.S.C. §

1 1395c et. seq. or 1395j et. seq.) and not described in section
2 1902(a)(10)(A)(i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (v) or (vi) of the Social
3 Security Act (49 Stat. 620, 42 U.S.C. § 1396(a)(10)(A)(i), (ii),
4 (iii), (iv), (v) or (vi)) and whose income as determined under
5 section 1902(e)(14) of the Social Security Act (49 Stat. 620, 42
6 U.S.C. § 1396(e)(14)) does not exceed one hundred thirty-three
7 percent of the poverty line as defined in section 2110(c)(5) of
8 the Social Security Act (49 Stat. 620, 42 U.S.C. § 1397jj(c)(5))
9 applicable to a family of the size involved, subject to section
10 1902(k) of the Social Security Act (49 Stat. 620, 42 U.S.C. §
11 1396(k)).

12 Section 2. This act shall take effect January 1, 2014.