

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2542 Session of 2014

INTRODUCED BY ROAE, CUTLER, THOMAS, V. BROWN, COX AND ROCK,  
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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, OCTOBER 8, 2014

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," providing for school district budgets  
6 and union contracts to be posted.

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

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

12 Section 618. School District Budgets and Union Contracts to  
13 be Posted.--(a) Within sixty (60) days of the effective date of  
14 this section, and by August 1 of each year thereafter, each  
15 school district shall post on its publicly accessible Internet  
16 website electronic copies of the following:

17 (1) The school district's most recent final adopted budget,  
18 which shall be posted under a tab labeled "Budget."

19 (2) All currently effective contracts between the school  
20 district and any union, which shall be posted under a tab

1 labeled "Union contracts."

2 (b) A school district that does not have a publicly  
3 accessible Internet website shall be exempt from the  
4 requirements of subsection (a).

5 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.