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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON FINANCE, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, JANUARY 21, 1986

AN ACT

Amending the act of March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), entitled "An act relating to tax reform and State taxation by codifying 2 3 and enumerating certain subjects of taxation and imposing taxes thereon; providing procedures for the payment, 4 5 collection, administration and enforcement thereof; providing for tax credits in certain cases; conferring powers and 7 imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue, certain employers, fiduciaries, individuals, persons, corporations 8 and other entities; prescribing crimes, offenses and 9 10 penalties," providing for an exclusion from the Pennsylvania 11 personal income tax of earnings expended for child care. 12 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 13 hereby enacts as follows: 14 Section 1. Section 303(a)(1) of the act of March 4, 1971 15 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the Tax Reform Code of 1971, amended 16 March 13, 1974 (P.L.179, No.32), is amended to read: 17 Section 303. Classes of Income. -- (a) The classes of income 18 referred to above are as follows: 19 Compensation. All salaries, wages, commissions, bonuses (1)

and incentive payments whether based on profits or otherwise,

fees, tips and similar remuneration received for services

- 1 rendered whether directly or through an agent and whether in
- 2 cash or in property except income derived from the United States
- 3 Government for active duty outside the Commonwealth of
- 4 Pennsylvania as a member of its armed forces. Notwithstanding
- 5 the foregoing, an amount equal to any expenses incurred by a
- 6 personal PERSON legally responsible for the care of any
- 7 children, for the care of those children during any period of
- 8 time said person is engaged in performing services in connection

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- 9 with his employment, whether that care be in-home or at any
- 10 <u>licensed Pennsylvania child care facility, shall be excluded</u>
- 11 <u>from income taxed as compensation.</u>
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- 13 Section 2. The Department of Revenue shall promulgate rules
- 14 and regulations to carry out the provisions of this act and
- 15 shall undertake to inform the public of this provision.
- 16 Section 3. This act shall take effect January 1, 1986.