## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

No. 562

Session of 1975

INTRODUCED BY PIEVSKY, GREENFIELD, SULLIVAN, KATZ, PERRI AND SALVATORE, FEBRUARY 24, 1975

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, FEBRUARY 24, 1975

## AN ACT

- 1 Making appropriations to the Department of Health for the
- 2 establishment of a comprehensive program relating to and the
- diagnosis and treatment of persons with Tay-Sachs disease at
- 4 the Albert Einstein Medical Center Northern Division,
- 5 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 6 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 7 hereby enacts as follows:
- 8 Section 1. The sum of \$52,000 is hereby appropriated to the
- 9 Department of Health for the fiscal year July 1, 1975 to June
- 10 30, 1976, for the establishment of a comprehensive program
- 11 relating to persons with Tay-Sachs disease at the Albert
- 12 Einstein Medical Center Northern Division, Philadelphia,
- 13 Pennsylvania. Such program shall include the detection of Tay-
- 14 Sachs disease in the community, counselling of individuals and
- 15 families, education of the public and institution and
- 16 coordination of research into the treatment for Tay-Sachs
- 17 disease.
- 18 Section 2. The sum of \$25,630 is hereby appropriated to the
- 19 Department of Health for the fiscal year July 1, 1975 to June

- 1 30, 1976, for the expansion of the program of genetic diagnostic
- 2 services and treatment of persons with Tay-Sachs disease at the
- 3 Albert Einstein Medical Center Northern Division,
- 4 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
- 5 Section 3. The Department of Health shall ascertain that the
- 6 funds appropriated by this act are used by the Albert Einstein
- 7 Medical Center Northern Division, Philadelphia, for the
- 8 purposes set forth in this act.
- 9 Section 4. This act shall take effect immediately.