

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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GRUPPO, LEH AND FLICK, JANUARY 24, 1990

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND COMMERCE, JANUARY 24, 1990

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of November 28, 1986 (P.L.1465, No.146),
2 entitled "An act authorizing the imposition of preferential
3 bidding limitations against nonresident bidders or suppliers
4 of goods when the state of such nonresident imposes or
5 applies preferential bidding limitations on Pennsylvania
6 bidders or suppliers of goods," providing that public
7 contracts shall not require that laborers and mechanics be
8 residents of this Commonwealth; and making repeals.

9 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
10 hereby enacts as follows:

11 Section 1. The act of November 28, 1986 (P.L.1465, No.146),
12 known as the Reciprocal Limitations Act, is amended by adding a
13 section to read:

14 Section 5.1. Residence requirement prohibited.

15 The preferences and prohibitions provided for in this act
16 shall not be construed to require that laborers and mechanics
17 employed under public contracts be residents of this
18 Commonwealth, and the specifications upon which public contracts
19 are entered into shall contain no such requirement for either

1 resident or nonresident bidders.

2 Section 2. The following acts or parts of acts are repealed:

3 (1) The act of July 19, 1935 (P.L.1321, No.414),
4 entitled "An act requiring specifications for the
5 construction, alteration, or repair of public works of the
6 Commonwealth, county, municipality, or other subdivisions of
7 the Commonwealth, to contain a provision that the laborers or
8 mechanics employed thereon shall have been residents of this
9 Commonwealth for at least ninety days prior to their
10 employment; and prescribing penalties."

11 (2) Section 754 of the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30,
12 No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949.

13 Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.