
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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INTRODUCED BY STAIRS, VROON, FAIRCHILD, CARLSON, TRELLO, HERMAN,
JOHNSON, MELIO, CARONE, BARLEY, PETRONE AND RUDY,
MAY 14, 1991

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, MAY 14, 1991

AN ACT

1 Making an appropriation to The Pennsylvania State University for
2 the purpose of studying crop diversification and marketing
3 potential.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. The following sums for the fiscal periods
7 indicated are hereby appropriated to the College of Agriculture
8 of The Pennsylvania State University for the purposes set forth
9 in section 2:

10 (1) The sum of \$125,000, or as much thereof as may be
11 necessary, for the fiscal year July 1, 1991, to June 30,
12 1992.

13 (2) The sum of \$125,000, or as much thereof as may be
14 necessary, for the fiscal year July 1, 1992, to June 30,
15 1993.

16 (3) The sum of \$100,000, or as much thereof as may be
17 necessary, for the fiscal year July 1, 1993, to June 30,
18 1994.

1 Section 2. The appropriations made by this act are for the
2 following purposes:

3 (1) To study the feasibility of introducing into this
4 Commonwealth new species or varieties of crops or animals
5 raised for food, based on environmental requirements,
6 economic factors and demographic trends.

7 (2) To study the potential for product development and
8 domestic and international market development for any such
9 new crops or food animals as may be determined to be viable
10 within this Commonwealth.

11 (3) To report to the Agriculture and Rural Affairs
12 Committees of both the Senate and the House of
13 Representatives by July 1, 1994, the result of all findings
14 made under this act.

15 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 1991, or
16 immediately, whichever is later.