THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 983

Session of 2009

INTRODUCED BY WANSACZ, SIPTROTH, GALLOWAY, BRENNAN, BELFANTI, BOBACK, BROWN, DeLUCA, FRANKEL, GEIST, GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, KORTZ, MANN, MILLARD, MOUL, MURT, MUSTIO, M. O'BRIEN, O'NEILL, PALLONE, PETRARCA, TALLMAN, YOUNGBLOOD, HARRIS AND FREEMAN, MARCH 18, 2009

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, MARCH 18, 2009

AN ACT

- 1 Amending the act of September 26, 1951 (P.L.1539, No.389),
- entitled, as amended, "An act defining clinical laboratory;
- regulating the operation of the same; requiring such
- laboratories to obtain permits, and to be operated under the
- direct supervision of qualified persons; imposing certain
- duties upon the Department of Health; and providing
- 7 penalties," providing for clinical laboratory reports.
- 8 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 9 hereby enacts as follows:
- 10 Section 1. The act of September 26, 1951 (P.L.1539, No.389),
- 11 known as The Clinical Laboratory Act, is amended by adding a
- 12 section to read:
- 13 <u>Section 11.2. Clinical laboratory reports.</u>
- 14 Reports of clinical laboratory findings shall be made
- 15 <u>available to the person submitting the specimen or requesting</u>
- 16 the analysis, or the person's authorized representative, upon
- 17 the person's request.
- 18 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.