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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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**HOUSE BILL**  
**No. 1133** Session of  
1975

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INTRODUCED BY GALLAGHER, GREENFIELD, PANCOAST AND WILSON  
APRIL 29, 1975

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, APRIL 29, 1975

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AN ACT

1 Making appropriations to the Pennsylvania Higher Education  
2 Assistance Agency for payment of higher education scholarship  
3 grants, guaranteeing loans and providing lender participation  
4 incentives, securing and distributing Federal financial  
5 assistance and administration of agency programs.

6 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
7 hereby enacts as follows:

8 Section 1. The following sums are hereby specifically  
9 appropriated to the Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance  
10 Agency for the fiscal year July 1, 1975 to September 30, 1976 to  
11 be transferred at the request of the agency and deposited in the  
12 Higher Education Assistance Fund as requested by the agency for  
13 the following uses and purposes:

14 (1) For payment of State scholarships to be  
15 called State Higher Education Grants to students  
16 enrolled on a full-time basis in undergraduate  
17 postsecondary programs for the 1975-1976 school  
18 year and the first term of the 1976-1977 school  
19 year under the provisions of the act of January

1 25, 1966 (1965 P.L.1546, No.541).....\$85,808,000

2 (2) For payment of State scholarships to be  
3 called State Higher Education Grants to veterans  
4 and qualified dependents of prisoners of war and  
5 those missing in action who are enrolled on a  
6 full-time basis in undergraduate postsecondary  
7 programs for the 1975-1976 school year and the  
8 first term of the 1976-1977 school year under the  
9 provisions of the act of October 11, 1972 (P.L.  
10 899, No.213) and October 11, 1972 (P.L.909, No.216)...\$23,742,000

11 (3) For the purpose of being held in reserve  
12 to guarantee loans made during the fiscal year  
13 July 1, 1975 to September 30, 1976 as granted  
14 under the provisions of the acts of August 7,  
15 1963 (P.L.549, No.290) and January 25, 1966  
16 (1965 P.L.1546, No.541), and for the payment  
17 of possible losses of such loans guaranteed and  
18 payment of lender participation incentives.....\$ 3,200,000

19 (4) For the purpose of assisting approved  
20 institutions of higher learning or students  
21 attending such institutions in securing or  
22 distributing Federal funds to be used as  
23 financial aid to students in meeting their  
24 costs of attendance at such institutions during  
25 the fiscal year July 1, 1975 to September 30,  
26 1976 under the provisions of the act of January  
27 25, 1966 (1965 P.L.1546, No.541).....\$ 1,500,000

28 (5) For the purposes of administering the  
29 programs of the agency during the fiscal year  
30 July 1, 1975 to September 30, 1976 authorized

1 under the act of August 7, 1963 (P.L.549, No.  
2 290), the act of January 25, 1966 (1965 P.L.  
3 1546, No.541), October 11, 1972 (P.L.899, No.213),  
4 October 11, 1972 (P.L.909, No.216) and the act of  
5 July 18, 1974 (No.174).....\$ 4,700,000  
6 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 1975.