## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## SENATE BILL

No. 493

Session of 1975

INTRODUCED BY TILGHMAN, APRIL 7, 1975

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REFERRED TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT, APRIL 7, 1975

## AN ACT

Amending the act of May 25, 1945 (P.L.1050, No.394), entitled 2 "An act relating to the collection of taxes levied by 3 counties, county institution districts, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, certain school districts 5 and vocational school districts; conferring powers and imposing duties on tax collectors, courts and various officers of said political subdivisions; and prescribing 7 8 penalties, "changing provision relating to penalty on tax. 9 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 10 hereby enacts as follows: 11 Section 10, act of May 25, 1945 (P.L.1050, No.394), known as the "Local Tax Collection Law," is amended to 12 13 read: 14 Section 10. Discounts; Penalties .-- All taxpayers subject to the payment of taxes, assessed by any taxing district, shall be 15 16 entitled to a discount of two per centum from the amount of such tax upon making payment of the whole amount thereof within two 17 months after the date of the tax notice. All taxpayers, who 18 19 shall fail to make payment of any such taxes charged against 20 them for four months after the date of the tax notice, shall be

charged a penalty [of five per centum,] established by the

- 1 taxing district which penalty shall be added to the taxes by the
- 2 tax collector and be collected by him.