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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 946

Session of  
1977

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INTRODUCED BY NOLAN, JUNE 13, 1977

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REFERRED TO APPROPRIATIONS, JUNE 13, 1977

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AN ACT

1 Making appropriations to the Department of Public Welfare and  
2 providing for certain allocations therefrom for the purpose  
3 of carrying out the Public Assistance Law for the year  
4 beginning July 1, 1977 and for the payment of cash grants and  
5 medical assistance and expenses accrued or incurred prior to  
6 and remaining unpaid on July 30, 1977.

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

9 Section 1. The sum of \$274,597,000, or as much thereof as  
10 may be necessary, is hereby specifically appropriated to the  
11 Department of Public Welfare for the payment of cash grants and  
12 medical assistance and administrative expenses for the fiscal  
13 year beginning July 1, 1977 and for the payment of cash grants  
14 and medical assistance and administrative expenses incurred  
15 prior to and remaining unpaid July 30, 1977. In addition to this  
16 amount all moneys received from any other source except the  
17 Federal Government as contributions for this program, shall be  
18 paid into the General Fund and credited to this appropriation.  
19 The Department of Public Welfare shall allocate funds from time  
20 to time for administrative expenses of the several county boards

1 of assistance, for such administrative expenses incurred by the  
2 department which are chargeable to such boards and for the  
3 payment of attorney's fees and court costs necessary for the  
4 proper conduct of the public assistance and medical assistance  
5 programs: Provided, That no rule or regulation shall be adopted  
6 by the Secretary of Public Welfare during the fiscal year 1977-  
7 1978 which adds to the cost of any public assistance program.

8 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.