## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

No. 726

Session of 1983

INTRODUCED BY COLAFELLA, GALLAGHER, FISCHER, BELFANTI, BURNS, LESCOVITZ, E. Z. TAYLOR, TRELLO, STEIGHNER, ALDERETTE, HUTCHINSON, GRUITZA, LAUGHLIN, MARMION, AFFLERBACH, BOOK, DALEY, MRKONIC, STEVENS, RYBAK, MANMILLER, COY, GREENWOOD, HALUSKA, BLAUM, HAGARTY, PISTELLA, LASHINGER, TELEK, D. W. SNYDER, BOYES, MILLER, CLARK, D. R. WRIGHT, PRESTON, KOSINSKI, DEAL, COWELL, WARGO, PRATT, MAIALE, WAMBACH, MAYERNIK, MARKOSEK, McVERRY, EVANS, CORDISCO, MICOZZIE, VAN HORNE, MISCEVICH, McMONAGLE, PETRONE, KASUNIC, BURD, COLE, POTT, SALOOM, WILLIAMS, GEORGE, DELUCA, DUFFY, BATTISTO, STAIRS, BOWSER, McCALL, LIVENGOOD, BROUJOS AND FEE, APRIL 11, 1983

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, APRIL 25, 1983

## AN ACT

- 1 Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain
- provisions applicable as well to private and parochial
- 4 schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the
- laws relating thereto, requiring legislative approval for
- 6 certain curriculum regulations.
- 7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 8 hereby enacts as follows:
- 9 Section 1. The act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known
- 10 as the Public School Code of 1949, is amended by adding a
- 11 section to read:
- 12 <u>Section 1521. Legislative Approval of Curriculum</u>
- 13 Regulations. The State Board of Education, prior to publishing
- 14 any proposed regulation in the Pennsylvania Bulletin relating to

- 1 22 Pa. Code Ch. 5 (relating to general curriculum requirements),
- 2 shall present the proposed regulation to the Senate Education
- 3 <u>Committee and the House Education Committee for approval. A</u>
- 4 majority affirmation vote of all of the members of each
- 5 committee must be obtained prior to publication in the
- 6 Pennsylvania Bulletin.
- 7 SECTION 1521. LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL OF CURRICULUM
- 8 REGULATIONS.--THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION, WHEN SUBMITTING FOR

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- 9 PUBLICATION IN THE PENNSYLVANIA BULLETIN ANY PROPOSED REGULATION
- 10 RELATING TO 22 PA. CODE CH. 5 (RELATING TO GENERAL CURRICULUM
- 11 REQUIREMENTS), SHALL PRESENT THE PROPOSED REGULATION TO THE
- 12 SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE FOR
- 13 APPROVAL. THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION SHALL NOT FINALLY ADOPT
- 14 ANY SUCH PROPOSED REGULATION UNTIL SUCH PROPOSED REGULATION HAS
- 15 BEEN APPROVED BY A MAJORITY OF MEMBERS OF BOTH THE SENATE
- 16 EDUCATION COMMITTEE AND THE HOUSE EDUCATION COMMITTEE.
- 17 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days
- 18 IMMEDIATELY. <—