THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 69

Session of 1985

INTRODUCED BY LLOYD, SWEET, HERMAN, STEWART, STABACK, BATTISTO, BELARDI, MORRIS, PRESTON, PRATT, COY, MERRY, CAWLEY, HALUSKA, BELFANTI, McVERRY, MILLER AND LESCOVITZ, JANUARY 23, 1985

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, JANUARY 23, 1985

AN ACT

Amending the act of January 25, 1966 (1965 P.L.1546, No.541), entitled "An act providing scholarships and providing funds to secure Federal funds for qualified students of the 4 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who need financial assistance to attend postsecondary institutions of higher learning, making an appropriation, and providing for the administration of 6 7 this act," authorizing approval of two-year institutions 8 outside this Commonwealth. 9 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 10 hereby enacts as follows: Section 1. Section 3(2) of the act of January 25, 1966 (1965 11 P.L.1546, No.541), entitled "An act providing scholarships and providing funds to secure Federal funds for qualified students 13 of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who need financial 15 assistance to attend postsecondary institutions of higher learning, making an appropriation, and providing for the 16 administration of this act," is amended to read: 17 Section 3. As used in this act--18

(2) "Approved institution of higher learning." Approved

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- 1 institution of higher learning shall mean any institution of
- 2 higher learning approved by the agency. The agency shall approve
- 3 any two-year institution of higher learning located outside this
- 4 Commonwealth if the institution has an instructional standard at
- 5 <u>least equal to two-year institutions of higher learning located</u>
- 6 within this Commonwealth which offer a similar curriculum:
- 7 Provided, however, That such an institution located outside this
- 8 Commonwealth shall be approved only for a student who resides in
- 9 <u>a county within this Commonwealth which does not have a</u>
- 10 community college established and operated in accordance with
- 11 the act of August 24, 1963 (P.L.1132, No.484), known as the
- 12 "Community College Act of 1963."
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- 14 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.