THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 120

Session of 1991

INTRODUCED BY DeLUCA, COWELL, VROON, BARLEY, ITKIN, COHEN, MELIO, COLAIZZO, PRESTON, PESCI, TRELLO, HALUSKA, FOX, REBER, LAUGHLIN, RITTER, NAHILL, DALEY, BILLOW, CIVERA, CAPPABIANCA, MIHALICH, OLASZ, LEVDANSKY, VAN HORNE, TIGUE, PISTELLA, COY, SERAFINI AND MICHLOVIC, JANUARY 29, 1991

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT, JANUARY 29, 1991

AN ACT

- Amending the act of December 31, 1965 (P.L.1257, No.511), 2 entitled "An act empowering cities of the second class, 3 cities of the second class A, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships of the first class, townships of 4 the second class, school districts of the second class, 5 school districts of the third class and school districts of 7 the fourth class including independent school districts, to 8 levy, assess, collect or to provide for the levying, 9 assessment and collection of certain taxes subject to maximum 10 limitations for general revenue purposes; authorizing the 11 establishment of bureaus and the appointment and compensation 12 of officers, agencies and employes to assess and collect such 13 taxes; providing for joint collection of certain taxes, 14 prescribing certain definitions and other provisions for 15 taxes levied and assessed upon earned income, providing for 16 annual audits and for collection of delinquent taxes, and 17 permitting and requiring penalties to be imposed and 18 enforced, including penalties for disclosure of confidential information, providing an appeal from the ordinance or 19 20 resolution levying such taxes to the court of quarter 21 sessions and to the Supreme Court and Superior Court," providing for collection of earned income taxes by the 22 23 Commonwealth.
- 24 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 25 hereby enacts as follows:
- 26 Section 1. The act of December 31, 1965 (P.L.1257, No.511),
- 27 known as The Local Tax Enabling Act, is amended by adding a

- 1 section to read:
- 2 <u>Section 10.1. Collection of Earned Income Tax by the</u>
- 3 <u>Commonwealth.--Any political subdivision imposing a tax upon</u>
- 4 <u>earned income under the authority of this act may enter a</u>
- 5 contract with the Secretary of Revenue for the collection of
- 6 that earned income tax by the Secretary of Revenue in
- 7 conjunction with the collection of any tax on personal income
- 8 imposed by the Commonwealth under the authority of the act of
- 9 March 4, 1971 (P.L.6, No.2), known as the "Tax Reform Code of
- 10 1971." The Secretary of Revenue, by regulation, shall establish
- 11 requirements as to the terms of agreements, including their
- 12 <u>duration and conditions under which agreements which have</u>
- 13 <u>expired will be reinstated, the fees to be paid by political</u>
- 14 subdivisions to cover the cost of collecting the earned income
- 15 tax and the procedures for collecting that tax and paying the
- 16 <u>amount collected over to the political subdivision.</u>
- 17 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.