THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 1231 Session of 1991

INTRODUCED BY VAN HORNE AND HECKLER, APRIL 22, 1991

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AN ACT

Amending the act of May 12, 1943 (P.L.259, No.120), entitled, as reenacted and amended, "An act providing for the payment by 3 the State Treasurer, of the amount of the tax on premiums paid by foreign casualty insurance companies, to the 5 treasurers of the several cities, boroughs, towns, townships, and certain counties, and for the payment thereof into police 7 pension funds, and in certain cases into the Municipal Employes' Retirement System, and for Pension Annuity 8 9 Contracts, and in certain other cases into the State Employes' Retirement Fund, for certain purposes, " further 10 providing for the return of unused moneys; and repealing 11 12 provisions relating to payments to municipalities. 13 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows: 14 15 Section 1. Section 1 of the act of May 12, 1943 (P.L.259, No.120), referred to as the Foreign Casualty Insurance Premium 16 Tax Allocation Law, reenacted and amended May 10, 1951 (P.L.250, 17 18 No.39), is repealed. 19 Section 2. Section 1.2 of the act, amended May 25, 1956 (1955 P.L.1742, No.582), is amended to read: 20 Section 1.2. (a) All general municipal pension system State 21

aid moneys distributed under the terms [hereof,] of Chapter 4 of

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- 1 the act of December 18, 1984 (P.L.1005, No.205), known as the
- 2 "Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and Recovery Act," that
- 3 are not used for the purposes set forth [herein] in that act
- 4 within two years after receipt thereof by the treasurers of the
- 5 several <u>counties</u>, cities, boroughs, towns and townships, shall
- 6 be returned to the [General Fund] General Municipal Pension
- 7 System State Aid Program for subsequent distribution in
- 8 [accordance with the terms of Formula 3 of the act herein
- 9 amended] the succeeding year.
- 10 (b) General municipal pension system State aid moneys shall
- 11 be deemed to have not been used for the purposes set forth in
- 12 Chapter 4 of the "Municipal Pension Plan Funding Standard and
- 13 Recovery Act" if the pension plan to which the aid amount has
- 14 been allocated has been dissolved, disbanded or terminated.
- 15 Section 3. Sections 2, 3 and 3.1 of the act are repealed.
- 16 Section 4. This act shall take effect immediately.