## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

No. 1298 Session of 1999

INTRODUCED BY LESCOVITZ, THOMAS, BELARDI, CALTAGIRONE, BELFANTI, SHANER, STABACK, TIGUE, LAUGHLIN, VAN HORNE, M. COHEN AND TRELLO, APRIL 14, 1999

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, APRIL 14, 1999

## AN ACT

- Amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), entitled "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the 2 3 executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the 4 Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers thereof, 6 including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or 7 Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reorganizing or 8 authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative 9 departments, boards, and commissions; defining the powers and 10 duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers, and of the several administrative departments, 11 12 boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the 13 Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of 14 15 certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and 16 other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards, and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the 17 18 number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments, boards and 19 20 commissions shall be determined, "further providing for 21 notice for purchase of real property. 22 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 23 hereby enacts as follows: 24 Section 1. The act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known 25 as The Administrative Code of 1929, is amended by adding a
- 27 <u>Section 511.1. Notice for Purchase of Real Property.--(a)</u>

section to read:

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- 1 Whenever a State department, commission, board, authority or
- 2 other State agency intends to purchase or acquire real property,
- 3 it shall first notify, in writing, the county, municipality and
- 4 school district wherein the said real property is located or
- 5 <u>situate of the intention of the Commonwealth to purchase that</u>
- 6 <u>real property.</u>
- 7 (b) The notice required by paragraph (a) shall be in writing
- 8 and shall be sent by certified mail.
- 9 (c) The notice of the purchase of real property shall be
- 10 given:
- 11 (1) no later than sixty (60) days prior to entering into an
- 12 <u>agreement of sale or option to purchase real property;</u>
- 13 (2) no later than sixty (60) days after specific potential
- 14 construction sites are determined for notice of the purchase of
- 15 <u>real property for construction sites; or</u>
- 16 (3) no later than thirty (30) days after legislation is
- 17 <u>introduced which would authorize the transfer of the real</u>
- 18 property for the purchase of real property which is not governed
- 19 by the notice provisions under clause (1) or (2).
- 20 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.