THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 697

Session of 2005

INTRODUCED BY STOUT, MAY 23, 2005

AS AMENDED ON THIRD CONSIDERATION, JUNE 15, 2005

AN ACT

- 1 Authorizing and directing the Department of General Services,
- with the approval of the Governor, to grant and convey to
- Basalt Trap Rock Company, a Pennsylvania company, or its
- 4 assigns, certain lands, situate in Morgan and Franklin
- 5 Townships, Greene County, Pennsylvania.
- 6 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 7 hereby enacts as follows:
- 8 Section 1. Conveyance in Morgan and Franklin Townships, Greene
- 9 County, Pennsylvania.
- 10 (a) Authorization. -- The Department of General Services, with
- 11 the approval of the Governor, is hereby authorized and directed
- 12 on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to grant and
- 13 convey to Basalt Trap Rock Company, or their assigns, all that
- 14 certain land and improvements thereon, known as the Waynesburg
- 15 State Correctional Institution, described in subsection (b) for
- 16 \$990,000.
- 17 (b) Description. -- The property to be conveyed pursuant to
- 18 subsection (a) consists of approximately 117 acres described as
- 19 follows:

- 1 Beginning at a White Oak corner to lands of Warren Jacobs and
- 2 Stephen Crayne Estate, thence by lands of Stephen Crayne Estate
- 3 and Joseph Harding, north 54 degrees 36 minutes east 2242.77
- 4 feet to a point; thence by lands of Joseph Harding north 54
- 5 degrees 36 minutes east 529.32 feet to a point; thence by lands
- 6 of Ed Burnfield, north 10 degrees 6 minutes west 86.55 feet to a
- 7 point, thence by lands of W. H. R. Hoge Estate, north 74 degrees
- 8 7 minutes 30 seconds east 232.75 feet to a point, thence by the
- 9 same, north 56 degrees 55 minutes 30 seconds east 921.33 feet to
- 10 a point; thence by lands of John B. Harry, south 8 degrees 39
- 11 minutes east 131.82 feet to a point, thence by same, north 64
- 12 degrees 30 minutes east 898.6 to a White Oak; thence by same
- 13 south 43 degrees 15 minutes east 1445.4 feet to a point; thence
- 14 by lands of Ben Jacobs, south 22 degrees 45 minutes east 561
- 15 feet to a point, thence along Ten Mile Creek, north 87 degrees
- 16 24 minutes west 1389.79 feet to a point, thence by same south 6
- 17 degrees 30 minutes west 346.5 feet to a point, thence by lands
- 18 of Noah Sproat, north 81 degrees 15 minutes west 874.5 feet to a
- 19 point, thence by same north 64 degrees 13 minutes west 582.5
- 20 feet to a point, thence by same south 84 degrees 37 minutes west
- 21 63.35 feet to a point, thence by same south 46 degrees 13
- 22 minutes west 19.15 feet to a point, thence by same south 46
- 23 degrees 13 minutes west 2272.67 feet to a point, thence by lands
- 24 of Warren Jacobs, north 53 degrees 55 minutes west 921.2 feet to
- 25 a White Oak, the place of Beginning.
- 26 Containing: 117.0577 acres, more or less, according to a
- 27 survey made June, 1960, by Fred L. Miller, Registered Surveyor.
- 28 Being the same lands conveyed to the Commonwealth of
- 29 Pennsylvania by deed of the General State Authority, dated June
- 30 16, 1989, and recorded in Greene County Deed Book 74, page 895.

- 1 (c) Easements. -- The conveyance shall be made under and
- 2 subject to all lawful and enforceable easements, servitudes and
- 3 rights of others, including, but not confined to, streets,
- 4 roadways and rights of any telephone, telegraph, water,
- 5 electric, gas or pipeline companies, as well as any lawful and
- 6 enforceable estates or tenancies vested in third persons
- 7 appearing of record, for any portion of the land or improvements

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- 8 erected thereon.
- 9 (d) Condition prohibiting gaming or gambling. The
- 10 conveyance shall be under and subject to the condition, which
- 11 shall be contained in the deed, that no portion of the property
- 12 being conveyed shall be used for gaming or gambling and that
- 13 such condition shall be a covenant running with the land and
- 14 shall be binding upon the grantee, its successors and assigns.
- 15 (D) LAND USE RESTRICTION. -- ANY CONVEYANCE AUTHORIZED UNDER
- 16 THIS ACT SHALL BE MADE UNDER AND SUBJECT TO THE CONDITION, WHICH
- 17 SHALL BE CONTAINED IN THE DEED OF CONVEYANCE, THAT NO PORTION OF
- 18 THE PROPERTY CONVEYED SHALL BE USED AS THE LOCATION FOR A
- 19 LICENSED GAMING ENTITY AUTHORIZED UNDER 4 PA.C.S. PT. II
- 20 (RELATING TO GAMING). THE CONDITION SHALL BE A COVENANT RUNNING
- 21 WITH THE LAND AND SHALL BE BINDING UPON THE GRANTEE, ITS
- 22 SUCCESSORS AND ASSIGNS. SHOULD ANY GRANTEE, ITS SUCCESSORS OR
- 23 ASSIGNS, PERMIT THE PARCEL CONVEYED IN THIS ACT, OR ANY PORTION
- 24 THEREOF, TO BE USED IN VIOLATION OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE TITLE
- 25 SHALL IMMEDIATELY REVERT TO AND REVEST IN THE GRANTOR.
- 26 (e) Execution. -- The deed of conveyance shall be by Special
- 27 Warranty Deed and shall be executed by the Secretary of General
- 28 Services in the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.
- 29 (f) Costs and fees.--Costs and fees incidental to this
- 30 conveyance shall be borne by the grantee.

- 1 (g) Nonconveyance. -- In the event that this conveyance is not
- 2 executed within six months of the effective date of this act,
- 3 the property may be disposed of in accordance with Article 2406-
- 4 A of the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The
- 5 Administrative Code of 1929.
- 6 Section 2. Effective date.
- 7 This act shall take effect immediately.