

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, MAY 12, 2015

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of February 9, 1999 (P.L.1, No.1), entitled "An
2 act providing for borrowing for capital facilities;
3 conferring powers and duties on various administrative
4 agencies and officers; making appropriations; and making
5 repeals," in capital facilities, further providing for
6 procedures for capital budget.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 Section 1. Section 303.1(b)(1) of the act of February 9,
10 1999 (P.L.1, No.1), known as the Capital Facilities Debt
11 Enabling Act, added October 25, 2013 (P.L.648, No.77), is
12 amended and the section is amended by adding a subsection to
13 read:

14 Section 303.1. Procedures for capital budget.

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16 (b) Categories.--Each capital budget bill must do all of the
17 following:

18 (1) State the category of capital projects to be
19 financed by the authorized debt. A capital budget bill shall

1 not have to enumerate the capital projects to be financed[.],
2 but shall enumerate the amount of debt being authorized in
3 each category to fund projects for which debt had been
4 previously authorized and the amount of debt being authorized
5 in each category to fund projects for which debt had not
6 previously been authorized.

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8 (c) Report.--

9 (1) Immediately upon the introduction of a capital
10 budget bill under subsection (a)(1), the Governor shall
11 compile an itemized list of projects for each category of
12 capital projects to be financed by the authorized debt. The
13 list shall include:

14 (i) The name, location and general description of
15 the project to be financed by the authorized debt.

16 (ii) The act year and number under which the project
17 to be financed was itemized.

18 (iii) The amount to be financed by the authorized
19 debt for each project.

20 (iv) The remaining amount to be financed by debt in
21 subsequent years for each project.

22 (v) Whether the project has received funding
23 financed by authorized debt in prior years.

24 (2) The report compiled under paragraph (1) shall be
25 sent to all members of the General Assembly.

26 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.