

**SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE  
FISCAL NOTE**

**BILL NO.** House Bill 2137

**PRINTER NO.** 3462

**AMOUNT**

\$244,400,000

**FUND**

General Fund  
Agricultural College Land Scrip Fund

**DATE INTRODUCED**

June 7, 2016

**PRIME SPONSOR**

Representative Adolph

**DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE OF BILL**

House Bill 2137 provides for the Commonwealth's nonpreferred appropriation to the Pennsylvania State University for fiscal year 2016-2017.

The bill specifies \$224,816,000 shall be provided for General Support and \$19,584,000 for Penn College of Technology. Payments to the university are to be made on a monthly basis.

The bill also authorizes the appropriation of moneys contained within the Agricultural College Land Scrip Fund restricted receipt account for Agricultural Research and Extension Services. Funds provided for in this account are appropriated as part of the General Appropriations Act.

The legislation is scheduled to take effect July 1, 2016, or immediately, whichever is later.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

House Bill 2137 will cost the Commonwealth \$244,400,000 in fiscal year 2016-2017. The appropriation level is the same as the amount provided in fiscal year 2015-2016.