

**SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE
FISCAL NOTE**

BILL NO. House Bill 1350

PRINTER NO. 2233

AMOUNT

\$268,832,000

FUND

General Fund
Agricultural College Land Script Fund

DATE INTRODUCED

May 1, 2019

PRIME SPONSOR

Representative Saylor

DESCRIPTION AND PURPOSE OF BILL

House Bill 1350 provides for the Commonwealth's non-preferred appropriation to the Pennsylvania State University for fiscal year 2019-20.

The bill specifies \$242,096,000 shall be provided for General Support and \$26,736,000 for Penn College of Technology, and 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, 2019, or immediately, whichever is later.

FISCAL IMPACT:

House Bill 1350 will cost the Commonwealth \$268,832,000 in fiscal year 2019-20. The appropriation level represents an increase in funding of \$8,747,000, or 3.4%, when considering the current (2018-19) fiscal year's budget.