

## AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 1834

Sponsor: REPRESENTATIVE BARRAR

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 7 through 9, by striking out all of  
2 said lines and inserting

3 Section 1. Section 7813(a) and (b) of Title 35 of the  
4 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes are amended by adding  
5 paragraphs and the section is amended by adding a subsection to  
6 read:

7 Amend Bill, page 2, by inserting between lines 1 and 2

8 (b) Limits.--

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10 (4) A fire company may only apply for a grant for up to  
11 five years for the purpose under subsection (e).

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13 (e) Construction Savings Account.--A fire company may apply  
14 for a grant under subsection (a) for the purpose of constructing  
15 a new facility. The grant shall be deposited into the  
16 Construction Savings Account, which is established within the  
17 State Treasury. Money in the Construction Savings Account may be  
18 withdrawn by application of the fire company. The Construction  
19 Savings Account shall be administered by the commissioner. The  
20 following shall apply:

21 (1) A fire company may only access money in the  
22 Construction Savings Account for emergency purposes and at  
23 the discretion of the commissioner.

24 (2) For a fire company to withdraw money from the  
25 Construction Savings Account:

26 (i) The application shall contain the signatures of  
27 two duly elected officers of the fire company.

28 (ii) The fire company shall indicate on the  
29 application how the money is going to be used under  
30 subsection (a).

31 (3) Any interest accrued on the Construction Savings  
32 Account may be used by the commissioner for administrative  
33 purposes.

34 Section 2. Section 7823(a) of Title 35 is amended by adding  
35 a paragraph to read:

36 Amend Bill, page 2, line 10, by striking out "2" and

1 inserting

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3 Amend Bill, page 2, line 16, by striking out "3." and

4 inserting

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