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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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INTRODUCED BY LEVDANSKY, DALEY, LAUGHLIN, KRUSZEWSKI, TIGUE AND  
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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LOCAL GOVERNMENT, DECEMBER 9, 1991

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of October 11, 1984 (P.L.906, No.179), entitled  
2 "An act providing for the administration and allocation of  
3 certain Federal Block Grants," further defining eligibility.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. The definition of "eligible city, borough,  
7 incorporated town and township," in section 3 of the act of  
8 October 11, 1984 (P.L.906, No.179), known as the Community  
9 Development Block Grant Entitlement Program for Nonurban  
10 Counties and Certain Other Municipalities, is amended to read:  
11 Section 3. Definitions.

12 The following words and phrases when used in this act shall  
13 have the meanings given to them in this section unless the  
14 context clearly indicates otherwise:

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16 "Eligible city, borough, incorporated town and township."  
17 All cities, boroughs, incorporated towns and townships which are  
18 eligible to receive and which apply directly or through a county

1 or a designated local public agency for funds which are  
2 available to the Commonwealth pursuant to the Housing and  
3 Community Development Act and which are not eligible as a  
4 metropolitan city [and which were not considered in Federal  
5 fiscal year 1984 as part of an urban county's federally funded  
6 community development block grant program]. In addition, a  
7 borough, incorporated town and township to be eligible must have  
8 a population according to the latest Decennial Census of 4,000  
9 or more and at the time of filing for the annual entitlement  
10 grant must also meet the current minimum standards of physical  
11 and economic distress for the Federal Urban Development Action  
12 Grant Program as determined by the Secretary of Housing and  
13 Urban Development pursuant to section 119 of the Housing and  
14 Community Development Act. All eligible entitlement  
15 municipalities must also meet the general qualifications  
16 criteria of this section.

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