

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 1473 Session of  
1982

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INTRODUCED BY TILGHMAN, MAY 14, 1982

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REFERRED TO APPROPRIATIONS, MAY 14, 1982

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AN ACT

1 Making an appropriation to the Trustees of the Jefferson Medical  
2 College and Hospital of Philadelphia for a comprehensive  
3 program relating to Tay-Sachs disease.

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

6 Section 1. The sum of \$50,000 is hereby specifically  
7 appropriated to the Trustees of the Jefferson Medical College  
8 and Hospital of Philadelphia for the fiscal year July 1, 1982 to  
9 June 30, 1983 for a comprehensive program relating to persons  
10 with Tay-Sachs disease.

11 Section 2. Payment to the Jefferson Medical College and  
12 Hospital of Philadelphia on account of the appropriation  
13 relating to Tay-Sachs disease as provided for in section 1,  
14 shall be conditioned upon a program which shall include the  
15 detection of Tay-Sachs disease in the community, counselling of  
16 individuals and families, education of the public institution,  
17 coordination of research into the treatment for Tay-Sachs  
18 disease and the expansion of genetic diagnostic services and

1 treatment of persons with the disease.

2 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 1982 or if

3 enacted subsequent to that date, then immediately.