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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 724

Session of  
1985

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INTRODUCED BY HESS AND REIBMAN, APRIL 17, 1985

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of January 25, 1966 (1965 P.L.1546, No.541),  
2 entitled "An act providing scholarships and providing funds  
3 to secure Federal funds for qualified students of the  
4 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who need financial assistance to  
5 attend postsecondary institutions of higher learning, making  
6 an appropriation, and providing for the administration of  
7 this act," providing for grants for full-time students.

8 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
9 hereby enacts as follows:

10 Section 1. Section 7(a) of the act of January 25, 1966 (1965  
11 P.L.1546, No.541), entitled "An act providing scholarships and  
12 providing funds to secure Federal funds for qualified students  
13 of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania who need financial  
14 assistance to attend postsecondary institutions of higher  
15 learning, making an appropriation, and providing for the  
16 administration of this act," amended May 4, 1977 (P.L.1, No.1),  
17 is amended to read:

18 Section 7. (a) All scholarship awards will be based on the  
19 applicant's financial need, the minimum scholarship award being  
20 one hundred dollars (\$100) per academic year, the maximum

1 scholarship shall not exceed [one thousand five hundred dollars  
2 (\$1,500)] one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800) per  
3 academic year and the maximum scholarship award shall be  
4 established annually by the board of directors of the agency at  
5 a maximum level not to exceed [one thousand five hundred dollars  
6 (\$1,500)] one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800) so as to  
7 keep expenditures within the funds available through reenactment  
8 of appropriations as provided for under the act of March 28,  
9 1974 (P.L.228, No.50), relating to the forward funding of PHEAA  
10 grant program and/or from funds appropriated or made available  
11 from State, Federal or other sources for grants during any  
12 fiscal year.

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14 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.