THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 1811 Session of 1995

INTRODUCED BY PITTS, JUNE 15, 1995

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, JUNE 15, 1995

AN ACT

- 1 Making an appropriation to the Philadelphia College of
- 2 Osteopathic Medicine, Philadelphia.
- 3 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 4 hereby enacts as follows:
- 5 Section 1. The sum of \$5,222,000 is hereby appropriated to
- 6 the Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine, Philadelphia,
- 7 for the fiscal year July 1, 1995, to June 30, 1996, for
- 8 instruction in the Doctor of Osteopathy program.
- 9 Section 2. Payments to the Philadelphia College of
- 10 Osteopathic Medicine on account of the appropriation provided in
- 11 section 1 shall be made quarterly by the Secretary of Education
- 12 on the basis of costs during the fiscal year. The secretary
- 13 shall not release more than the first quarterly payment until
- 14 such time as the Trustees of the Philadelphia College of
- 15 Osteopathic Medicine agree in writing to include a minimum of
- 16 five members appointed by the Governor and the General Assembly.
- 17 The Governor, the President pro tempore of the Senate, the

- 1 Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of
- 2 Representatives and the Minority Leader of the House of
- 3 Representatives may each, upon receipt of the written agreement
- 4 from the trustees, appoint a nonelected official to serve as a
- 5 member of the board and the terms of office shall be coterminous
- 6 with that of their appointing authority.
- 7 Section 3. The Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine
- 8 shall provide full, complete and accurate information as may be
- 9 required by the Department of Education or the chairman or the
- 10 minority chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the Senate
- 11 or the chairman or the minority chairman of the Appropriations
- 12 Committee of the House of Representatives.
- 13 Section 4. The Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine
- 14 shall report its revenues and expenditures and present its
- 15 financial statements in accordance with generally accepted
- 16 accounting principles and procedures for educational
- 17 institutions as set forth in the "Higher Education Finance
- 18 Manual (1975)" and the "Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Budget
- 19 Instructions for the State System of Higher Education, State-
- 20 Related Universities and Non-State-Related Colleges and
- 21 Universities."
- 22 Section 5. The Trustees of the Philadelphia College of
- 23 Osteopathic Medicine shall report on forms provided by the
- 24 Department of Education to both the chairman and minority
- 25 chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the Senate and the
- 26 chairman and minority chairman of the Appropriations Committee
- 27 of the House of Representatives by September 30, 1996, on how
- 28 State-appropriated funds were expended for fiscal year 1995-1996
- 29 to reduce the costs to Pennsylvania resident students or to
- 30 provide services to Pennsylvania residents.

- Section 6. This act shall take effect July 1, 1995, or 1
- 2 immediately, whichever is later.