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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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**HOUSE BILL**

**No. 2534** Session of  
2004

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INTRODUCED BY ARGALL, APRIL 12, 2004

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, APRIL 12, 2004

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AN ACT

1 Making an appropriation to the Trustees of Drexel University,  
2 Philadelphia.

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

5 Section 1. The sum of \$6,583,000 is hereby appropriated to  
6 the Trustees of Drexel University, Philadelphia, for the fiscal  
7 year July 1, 2004, to June 30, 2005, for instruction and student  
8 aid.

9 Section 2. Payments to Drexel University on account of the  
10 appropriation provided in section 1 shall be made quarterly by  
11 the Secretary of Education on the basis of costs during the  
12 fiscal year and shall be conditioned on continuing authority for  
13 inclusion on the Board of Trustees of Drexel University of a  
14 minimum of five persons who are not elected officials and who  
15 are appointed by the Governor, the President pro tempore of the  
16 Senate, the Minority Leader of the Senate, the Speaker of the  
17 House of Representatives and the Minority Leader of the House of

1 Representatives for terms of office coterminous with that of the  
2 respective appointing authority.

3 Section 3. The Drexel University shall provide full,  
4 complete and accurate information as may be required by the  
5 Department of Education or the chairman or the minority chairman  
6 of the Appropriations Committee of the Senate or the chairman or  
7 the minority chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the  
8 House of Representatives.

9 Section 4. Drexel University shall report its revenues and  
10 expenditures and present its financial statements in accordance  
11 with generally accepted accounting principles and procedures for  
12 educational institutions as set forth in the "Higher Education  
13 Finance Manual (1975)" and the "Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
14 Budget Instructions for the State System of Higher Education,  
15 State-Related Universities and Non-State-Related Colleges and  
16 Universities."

17 Section 5. The Trustees of Drexel University shall report on  
18 forms provided by the Department of Education to the chairman  
19 and the minority chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the  
20 Senate and the chairman and minority chairman of the  
21 Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives by  
22 September 30, 2005, on how State-appropriated funds were  
23 expended for fiscal year 2004-2005 to reduce the costs to  
24 Pennsylvania resident students or to provide services to  
25 Pennsylvania residents.

26 Section 6. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004, or  
27 immediately, whichever is later.