

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 750 Session of
2005

INTRODUCED BY SCAVELLO, BOYD, CAPPELLI, CREIGHTON, FAIRCHILD,
GILLESPIE, GINGRICH, HENNESSEY, LEACH, PALLONE, PAYNE,
REICHLEY, SATHER, SCHRODER, THOMAS, TIGUE AND YOUNGBLOOD,
MARCH 1, 2005

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, MARCH 1, 2005

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the
2 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for
3 compulsory arbitration.

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

6 Section 1. Section 7361(b) of Title 42 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes, amended November 30, 2004 (P.L.1703,
8 No.217), is amended to read:

9 § 7361. Compulsory arbitration.

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11 (b) Limitations.--No matter shall be referred under
12 subsection (a):

13 (1) which involves title to real property; or

14 (2) where the amount in controversy, exclusive of
15 interest and costs, exceeds[:

16 (i) \$50,000 in judicial districts embracing first,
17 second, second class A or third class counties or home

1 rule counties which but for the adoption of a home rule
2 charter would be a county of one of these classes; or
3 (ii) \$35,000 in any other judicial district.]
4 \$50,000.

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