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## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## SENATE BILL No. 86 Session of 2005

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AS AMENDED ON THIRD CONSIDERATION, APRIL 6, 2005

## AN ACT

| 1<br>2<br>3 | Amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania<br>Consolidated Statutes, further providing for disposition of<br>complaints received. |
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| 4           | The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  |
| 5           | hereby enacts as follows:   |
| 6           | Section 1. Section 6334 of Title 23 of the Pennsylvania   |
| 7           | Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:  |
| 8           | § 6334. Disposition of complaints received.   |
| 9           | * * *   |
| 10          | (d) Incidents occurring outside of this Commonwealth  |
| 11          | (1) A report of suspected child abuse occurring in  |
| 12          | another state where the child victim is identified as a   |
| 13          | resident of this Commonwealth and the other state child   |
| 14          | protective services agency cannot investigate the report  |
| 15          | because of statutory or policy limitations shall be assigned  |
| 16          | AS A GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES REPORT to the county of the  |
| 17          | child's residence or as determined by the department.   |

| 1  | (2) In addition to complying with the other requirements    |
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| 2  | of this chapter and applicable regulations, a copy of the   |
| 3  | report shall be provided to the other state's child         |
| 4  | protective services agency and, when applicable under       |
| 5  | Pennsylvania law, to law enforcement officials where the    |
| 6  | incident occurred.  |
| 7  | (3) Reports and information under this subsection shall     |
| 8  | be provided within seven calendar days of completion of the |
| 9  | child protective services investigation. GENERAL PROTECTIVE |
| 10 | SERVICES ASSESSMENT UNDER SECTION 6375 (RELATING TO COUNTY  |
| 11 | AGENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR GENERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICES).       |
| 12 | Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.          |

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