THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL No. 1066 Session of 2006

INTRODUCED BY ORIE, GREENLEAF, PILEGGI, COSTA, BROWNE,
 C. WILLIAMS, WOZNIAK, WONDERLING, RAFFERTY, MUSTO, O'PAKE,
 MELLOW, BOSCOLA AND PIPPY, MARCH 21, 2006

REFERRED TO APPROPRIATIONS, MARCH 21, 2006

AN ACT

Amending the act of July 7, 2005 (P.L. , No.1A), entitled "An act to provide from the General Fund for the expenses of the 2 Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the 4 Commonwealth, the public debt and for the public schools for the fiscal year July 1, 2005, to June 30, 2006, for certain 6 institutions and organizations, and for the payment of bills 7 incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year 8 ending June 30, 2005; to provide appropriations from the 9 State Lottery Fund, the Energy Conservation and Assistance Fund, the Hazardous Material Response Fund, The State Stores 10 Fund, the Milk Marketing Fund, the Home Investment Trust 11 12 Fund, the Emergency Medical Services Operating Fund, the 13 Tuition Payment Fund, the Banking Department Fund, the Firearm Records Check Fund, the Ben Franklin Technology 14 Development Authority Fund, the Tobacco Settlement Fund, the 15 Health Care Provider Retention Account and the Community 16 17 Health Reinvestment Restricted Account to the Executive 18 Department; to provide appropriations from the Judicial 19 Computer System Augmentation Account to the Judicial 20 Department for the fiscal year July 1, 2005, to June 30, 21 2006; to provide appropriations from the Motor License Fund 22 for the fiscal year July 1, 2005, to June 30, 2006, for the 23 proper operation of the several departments of the 24 Commonwealth and the Pennsylvania State Police authorized to 25 spend Motor License Fund moneys; to provide for the 26 appropriation of Federal funds to the Executive Department of 27 the Commonwealth and for the establishment of restricted receipt accounts for the fiscal year July 1, 2005, to June 30, 2006, and for the payment of bills remaining unpaid at 28 29 the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005; to provide 30 31 for the additional appropriation of Federal and State funds 32 from the General Fund and the Motor License Fund, for the 33 Executive and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth for

- the fiscal year July 1, 2004, to June 30, 2005, and for the
- 2 payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close
- of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004." reducing the State
- 4 appropriation for education assistance and increasing the
- 5 Federal and State appropriations for medical assistance -
- 6 outpatient.
- 7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 8 hereby enacts as follows:
- 9 Section 1. As much of section 212 as relates to the State
- 10 appropriation for the Education Assistance Program and section
- 11 219 as relates to the Federal and State appropriations for
- 12 medical assistance outpatient of the act of July 7, 2005 (P.L.
- 13 , No.1A), known as the General Appropriations Act of 2005, are
- 14 amended to read:
- 15 Section 212. Department of
- 16 Education. -- The following amounts are
- 17 appropriated to the Department of
- 18 Education:
- 19 Federal State
- 20 * * *
- 21 For the Education Assistance
- 22 Program.
- 23 [State appropriation..... 66,000,000]
- 24 State appropriation...... 58,695,000
- 25 * * *
- 26 Section 219. Department of Public
- 27 Welfare. -- The following sums are
- 28 appropriated to the Department of
- 29 Public Welfare: Federal State
- 30 * * *
- 31 For medical assistance payments -
- 32 outpatient services, exclusive of

- 1 outpatient services provided through
- 2 capitation plans. The Department of
- 3 Public Welfare shall not require a
- 4 recipient to obtain a physician
- 5 referral in order to receive
- 6 chiropractic services. The Department
- 7 of Public Welfare shall not expend or
- 8 authorize the expenditure of any funds
- 9 for family planning services in excess
- 10 of the amounts expended for such
- 11 services in the 2004-2005 fiscal year
- 12 and any such funds which are expended
- 13 shall be subject to the same
- 14 restrictions contained in the
- 15 appropriation for grants for women's
- 16 medical services. The Department of
- 17 Public Welfare shall not implement the
- 18 imposition of a monthly premium
- 19 requirement on the families of
- 20 <u>category PH-95 disabled children</u>.
- 21 [State appropriation..... 921,080,000]
- 22 State appropriation..... 928,385,000
- The following Federal amounts are
- 24 appropriated to supplement the sum
- 25 appropriated for medical assistance -
- 26 outpatient:
- 27 (1) "Medical Assistance -
- 28 Outpatient." The Department of Public
- 29 Welfare shall not require a recipient
- 30 to obtain a physician referral in

- 1 order to receive chiropractic
- 2 services. The Department of Public
- 3 Welfare shall not expend or authorize
- 4 the expenditure of any funds for
- 5 family planning services in excess of
- 6 the amounts expended for such services
- 7 in the 2004-2005 fiscal year and any
- 8 such funds which are expended shall be
- 9 subject to the same restrictions
- 10 contained in the appropriation for
- 11 grants for women's medical services.
- 12 The Department of Public Welfare shall
- 13 not implement the imposition of a
- 14 monthly premium requirement on the
- 15 <u>families of Category PH-95 disabled</u>
- 16 <u>children</u>.
- 17 [Federal appropriation....1,288,555,000]
- 18 <u>Federal appropriation....1,297,501,000</u>
- 19 * * *
- 20 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.