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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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**HOUSE BILL**  
**No. 2323** Session of  
2008

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INTRODUCED BY D. EVANS, MARCH 10, 2008

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SENATOR ARMSTRONG, APPROPRIATIONS, IN SENATE, RE-REPORTED AS  
AMENDED, JULY 2, 2008

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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 ~~\$7,037,000~~ \$6,946,000 is hereby <—  
6 appropriated to the Trustees of Drexel University, Philadelphia,  
7 for the fiscal year July 1, 2008, to June 30, 2009, for  
8 instruction and student 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

1 House of Representatives and the Minority Leader of the House of  
2 Representatives for terms of office coterminous with that of the  
3 respective appointing authority.

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

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

18 Section 5. The Trustees of Drexel University shall report on  
19 forms provided by the Department of Education to the chairman  
20 and the minority chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the  
21 Senate and the chairman and minority chairman of the  
22 Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives by  
23 September 30, 2009, on how State-appropriated funds were  
24 expended for fiscal year 2008-2009 to reduce the costs to  
25 Pennsylvania resident students or to provide services to  
26 Pennsylvania residents.

27 Section 6. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, or  
28 immediately, whichever is later.