

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1362 Session of 2009

INTRODUCED BY SEIP, BRENNAN, GOODMAN, GRUCELA, LONGIETTI,
HALUSKA, BEYER, CARROLL, DALEY, DeLUCA, FLECK, KORTZ AND
O'NEILL, APRIL 27, 2009

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, APRIL 27, 2009

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An
2 act relating to the public school system, including certain
3 provisions applicable as well to private and parochial
4 schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the
5 laws relating thereto," prohibiting cyber charter schools
6 from charging school districts for programs or services not
7 provided by the school district.

8 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
9 hereby enacts as follows:

10 Section 1. Section 1743-A(a) of the act of March 10, 1949
11 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, added
12 June 29, 2002 (P.L.524, No.88), is amended to read:

13 Section 1743-A. Cyber charter school requirements and
14 prohibitions.

15 (a) Special financial requirements prohibited.--A cyber
16 charter school shall not:

17 (1) provide discounts to a school district or waive
18 payments under section 1725-A for any student;

19 (2) except as provided for in subsection (e), provide
20 payments to parents or guardians for the purchase of

1 instructional materials; [or]

2 (3) except as compensation for the provision of specific
3 services, enter into agreements to provide funds to a school
4 entity[.]; or

5 (4) require payment from school districts for classes,
6 programs or services not provided by the school district.

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