

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1036 Session of 2009

INTRODUCED BY CORMAN, JULY 16, 2009

REFERRED TO APPROPRIATIONS, JULY 16, 2009

A SUPPLEMENT

1 To the act of July 28, 1966 (3rd Sp.Sess., P.L.87, No.3),
2 entitled "An act providing for the establishment and
3 operation of the University of Pittsburgh as an
4 instrumentality of the Commonwealth to serve as a State-
5 related university in the higher education system of the
6 Commonwealth; providing for change of name; providing for the
7 composition of the board of trustees; terms of trustees, and
8 the power and duties of such trustees; authorizing
9 appropriations in amounts to be fixed annually by the General
10 Assembly; providing for the auditing of accounts of
11 expenditures from said appropriations; providing for public
12 support and capital improvements; authorizing the issuance of
13 bonds exempt from taxation within the Commonwealth; requiring
14 the chancellor to make an annual report of the operations of
15 the University of Pittsburgh," making appropriations for
16 carrying the same into effect; and providing for a basis for
17 payments of such appropriations, for a method of accounting
18 for the funds appropriated and for certain fiscal information
19 disclosure.

20 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
21 hereby enacts as follows:

22 Section 1. (a) The following sum, or as much thereof as may
23 be necessary, is hereby appropriated to the Trustees of the
24 University of Pittsburgh for the fiscal year July 1, 2009, to
25 June 30, 2010, for the purposes and in the amount as shown:

26 For general support..... \$160,490,000

27 (b) The following Federal amount is hereby appropriated to

1 the Trustees of the University of Pittsburgh in order to
2 supplement the sum appropriated under subsection (a):

3 "ARRA - General Support."

4 Federal Appropriation..... \$7,679,000

5 (c) The following Federal amount, or as much thereof as may
6 be necessary, is hereby appropriated to the Trustees of the
7 University of Pittsburgh for the fiscal year July 1, 2008, to
8 June 30, 2009, for the purpose and in the amount as shown,
9 including the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of
10 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009:

11 "ARRA - General Support."

12 Federal Appropriation..... \$7,679,000

13 (d) For purposes of this section, "ARRA" means the American
14 Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Public Law 111-5, 123
15 Stat. 115).

16 Section 2. Payments to the University of Pittsburgh on
17 account of the appropriations for all items as provided in
18 section 1 shall be made on the basis of costs during the fiscal
19 year.

20 Section 3. (a) Payments to the University of Pittsburgh of
21 the appropriations provided in section 1(a) and (b) shall be
22 made monthly during the fiscal year and the appropriation as
23 provided in section 1(c) shall be made not later than September
24 15, 2009.

25 (b) Such monthly payments shall be made in accordance with
26 the provisions of section 2 on the basis of estimated costs. The
27 estimate of costs shall be submitted by the University of
28 Pittsburgh to the Secretary of Education, the General Assembly
29 and the State Treasurer not later than 30 days prior to the date
30 on which such payment is to be made.

1 Section 4. (a) The University of Pittsburgh shall apply the
2 moneys appropriated by this act only for such purposes as are
3 permitted in this act and shall at all times maintain proper
4 records showing the application of such moneys. Not later than
5 120 days after the close of the fiscal year to which this act
6 relates, the University of Pittsburgh shall file, with the
7 Secretary of Education, the General Assembly, the Auditor
8 General of the Commonwealth and the chief administrator of each
9 branch campus, a statement setting forth the amounts and
10 purposes of all expenditures made from moneys appropriated by
11 this act and other university accounts during said fiscal year,
12 as provided in section 2, used as a basis for receipt of any
13 appropriation during said fiscal year.

14 (b) Such statement of expenditures and costs shall be
15 reviewed by the Auditor General of the Commonwealth, and he
16 shall have the right, in respect to the moneys appropriated by
17 this act, to audit and disallow expenditures made for purposes
18 not permitted by this act and to cause such sums to be recovered
19 and paid by the University of Pittsburgh to the State Treasurer.
20 In respect to expenditures made by the university from moneys
21 other than those appropriated by this act, the Auditor General
22 shall have the right to review only, and he shall file annually
23 with the General Assembly such information concerning such
24 expenditures as the General Assembly or any of its committees
25 may require.

26 Section 5. The University of Pittsburgh shall provide full,
27 complete and accurate information as may be required by the
28 Department of Education or the chairman or the minority chairman
29 of the Appropriations Committee of the Senate or the chairman or
30 the minority chairman of the Appropriations Committee of the

1 House of Representatives.

2 Section 6. The University of Pittsburgh shall present and
3 report its financial statements required under the provisions of
4 this act in accordance with: the generally accepted accounting
5 principles as prescribed by the National Association of College
6 and University Business Officers, the American Institute of
7 Certified Public Accountants, or their successors, or by any
8 other recognized authoritative body; the "Commonwealth of
9 Pennsylvania Budget Instructions for the State System of Higher
10 Education, State-Related Universities and Non-State-Related
11 Colleges and Universities"; and the financial reporting policies
12 and standards promulgated by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
13 and by the Federal Government that apply to the University of
14 Pittsburgh.

15 Section 7. The University of Pittsburgh shall make all
16 articulation agreements with other higher education institutions
17 available on the Internet.

18 Section 8. No funds appropriated by this act may be used for
19 costs of personnel and operations of the environmental law
20 clinic.

21 Section 9. This act shall take effect immediately.