THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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INTRODUCED BY F. KELLER, BOYD, EVERETT, GABLER, GINGRICH, HARRIS, HORNAMAN, HUTCHINSON, MASSER, METCALFE, MILLARD, MOUL, O'NEILL, PERRY, RAPP, ROAE, SACCONE, STERN AND YOUNGBLOOD, OCTOBER 24, 2011

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, OCTOBER 24, 2011

AN ACT

- Amending the act of July 28, 1988 (P.L.556, No.101), entitled 2 "An act providing for planning for the processing and disposal of municipal waste; requiring counties to submit 3 plans for municipal waste management systems within their 4 boundaries; authorizing grants to counties and municipalities 5 for planning, resource recovery and recycling; imposing and 6 7 collecting fees; establishing certain rights for host 8 municipalities; requiring municipalities to implement recycling programs; requiring Commonwealth agencies to 9 procure recycled materials; imposing duties; granting powers 10 to counties and municipalities; authorizing the Environmental 11 Quality Board to adopt regulations; authorizing the 12 Department of Environmental Resources to implement this act; 13 providing remedies; prescribing penalties; establishing a 14 fund; and making repeals," in recycling and waste reduction, 15 further providing for municipal implementation of recycling 16 17 programs.
- 18 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 19 hereby enacts as follows:
- 20 Section 1. Section 1501 of the act of July 28, 1988
- 21 (P.L.556, No.101), known as the Municipal Waste Planning,
- 22 Recycling and Waste Reduction Act, is amended by adding a
- 23 subsection to read:
- 24 Section 1501. Municipal implementation of recycling programs.

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- 2 (b.1) Determination of population. -- For purposes of
- 3 <u>determining population of a municipality other than a county</u>
- 4 under subsections (a) and (b), the number of people residing in
- 5 <u>a Federal or State facility that conducts a facility-wide</u>
- 6 recycling program administered by the Federal or State
- 7 government and that is situated in the municipality shall be
- 8 excluded.
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- 10 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.