

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL**No. 1934** Session of
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DAVIDSON, KORTZ AND CALTAGIRONE, OCTOBER 24, 2011

SENATOR M. WHITE, ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, IN SENATE,
AS AMENDED, MAY 23, 2012

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of July 28, 1988 (P.L.556, No.101), entitled
2 "An act providing for planning for the processing and
3 disposal of municipal waste; requiring counties to submit
4 plans for municipal waste management systems within their
5 boundaries; authorizing grants to counties and municipalities
6 for planning, resource recovery and recycling; imposing and
7 collecting fees; establishing certain rights for host
8 municipalities; requiring municipalities to implement
9 recycling programs; requiring Commonwealth agencies to
10 procure recycled materials; imposing duties; granting powers
11 to counties and municipalities; authorizing the Environmental
12 Quality Board to adopt regulations; authorizing the
13 Department of Environmental Resources to implement this act;
14 providing remedies; prescribing penalties; establishing a
15 fund; and making repeals," in recycling and waste reduction,
16 further providing for municipal implementation of recycling
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:

1 Section 1501. Municipal implementation of recycling programs.

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3 (b.1) Determination of population.--For purposes of
4 determining population of a municipality other than a county
5 under subsections (a) and (b), the number of people residing in
6 a Federal or State facility that conducts a facility-wide
7 recycling program administered by the Federal or State
8 government and that is situated in the municipality shall be
9 excluded. This subsection shall not apply to any municipality ←
10 which, prior to the 2010 census, administered a mandatory
11 recycling program under this section.

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