

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2305 Session of 2014

INTRODUCED BY DEAN, FRANKEL, BISHOP, CALTAGIRONE, THOMAS, MUNDY, MCGEEHAN, KINSEY, DAVIS, DAVIDSON, J. HARRIS, YOUNGBLOOD, MAHONEY, BROWNLEE, KULA, STURLA, D. MILLER, McCARTER, KIRKLAND, COHEN, McNEILL, SIMS, M. DALEY, BRIGGS AND KIM, OCTOBER 8, 2014

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH, OCTOBER 8, 2014

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), entitled "An
2 act to consolidate, editorially revise, and codify the public
3 welfare laws of the Commonwealth," in public assistance,
4 further providing for determination of need.

5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
6 hereby enacts as follows:

7 Section 1. Section 432.12 of the act of June 13, 1967
8 (P.L.31, No.21), known as the Public Welfare Code, is amended by
9 adding a subsection to read:

10 Section 432.12. Determination of Need.--* * *

11 (d) The maximum monthly grant amount for aid to families
12 with dependent children shall be set annually at an amount equal
13 to fifty percent of the poverty guidelines updated periodically
14 in the Federal Register by the Department of Health and Human
15 Services under section 673 of the Omnibus Budget Reconciliation
16 Act of 1981 (Public Law 97-35, 42 U.S.C. § 9902(2)).

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