THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL No. 276 Session of 2015

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AN ACT

1 2 3 4 5 6 7	Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," in reimbursements by Commonwealth and between school districts, further providing for Commonwealth reimbursements for charter schools and cyber charter schools.
8	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
9	hereby enacts as follows:
10	Section 1. Section 2591.1 of the act of March 10, 1949
11	(P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, is
12	amended by adding a subsection to read:
13	Section 2591.1. Commonwealth Reimbursements for Charter
14	Schools and Cyber Charter Schools* * *
15	(e) Beginning with the 2015-2016 school year and each year
16	thereafter, the Commonwealth shall pay an amount equal to thirty
17	per centum (30%) of the total funding required under section
18	<u>1725-A(a) to each school district with resident students</u>
19	enrolled in a charter school. For the purposes of this
20	subsection the term "charter school" includes the schools

- 1 approved under section 1717-A or 1718-A which provide
- 2 <u>instruction through the Internet or other electronic means or a</u>
- 3 cyber charter school as defined under Article XVII-A.
- 4 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.