THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1065 Session of 2013

INTRODUCED BY FARNESE, HUGHES, BOSCOLA AND COSTA, JULY 19, 2013

REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, JULY 19, 2013

AN ACT

- 1 Amending Title 42 (Judiciary and Judicial Procedure) of the
- 2 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, further providing for
- 3 limitations on damages.
- 4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 5 hereby enacts as follows:
- 6 Section 1. Section 8553(b) of Title 42 of the Pennsylvania
- 7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:
- 8 § 8553. Limitations on damages.
- 9 * * *
- 10 (b) Amounts recoverable. -- Damages arising from the same
- 11 cause of action or transaction or occurrence or series of causes
- 12 of action or transactions or occurrences shall not exceed
- 13 [\$500,000] \$2,000,000 in the aggregate.
- 14 * * *
- 15 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.