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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 496 Session of  
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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An  
2 act relating to the public school system, including certain  
3 provisions applicable as well to private and parochial  
4 schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the  
5 laws relating thereto," in school finances, providing for  
6 millage rate increase.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 Section 1. The act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known  
10 as the Public School Code of 1949, is amended by adding a  
11 section to read:

12 Section 602.1. Millage Rate Increase.--The millage rate of  
13 tax in effect in each school district on the effective date of  
14 this section shall not be increased in any succeeding year  
15 unless approved by a two-thirds majority vote by members elected  
16 to the board of school directors.

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