

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Recent Actions During the 2000 Regular Session of the General Assembly

The following is a summary of recent actions of the General Assembly during the 2000 Regular Session.

2000 Acts—Acts 20 through 23 (numerical)

<i>Act No.</i>	<i>Enactment Date</i>	<i>Bill No.</i>	<i>Printer's No.</i>	<i>Effective Date</i>	<i>Subject Matter</i>
2000-20	May 22	HB1099	PN3504	60 days	Area Agency on Aging Services Waiting List Act—enactment
2000-21	May 22	HB945	PN3503	60 days	Crimes Code (18 Pa.C.S.)—identity theft
2000-22	May 22	SB1359	PN1760	July 1, 2000	Capital Budget Act of 2000-2001—enactment
2000-23	May 24	SB2	PN1966	Immediately*	Tax Reform Code of 1971—omnibus amendments

2000 Appropriations—5A through 21A (numerical)

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2000-05A	May 22	SB1364	PN1765	July 1, 2000	Drexel University—instruction and student aid
2000-06A	May 22	SB1365	PN1948	July 1, 2000	University of Pennsylvania—dental clinic operation, doctor of medicine instruction, veterinary activities and cardiovascular studies
2000-07A	May 22	SB1366	PN1949	July 1, 2000	Philadelphia Health and Education Corporation, MCP Hahnemann University—instruction, maintenance, student aid, minority education and recruitment programs and cardiovascular studies, etc.
2000-08A	May 22	SB1368	PN1950	July 1, 2000	Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine—instruction
2000-09A	May 22	SB1369	PN1951	July 1, 2000	Pennsylvania College of Optometry—instruction
2000-10A	May 22	SB1374	PN1775	July 1, 2000	Fox Chase Institute for Cancer Research—operation and maintenance
2000-11A	May 22	SB1375	PN1776	July 1, 2000	Wistar Institute—operation and maintenance expenses and AIDS research
2000-12A	May 22	SB1376	PN1777	July 1, 2000	Central Penn Oncology Group—operation
2000-13A	May 22	SB1377	PN1778	July 1, 2000	St. Francis Hospital—cardiovascular studies
2000-14A	May 22	SB1378	PN1779	July 1, 2000	Lancaster Cleft Palate—treatment
2000-15A	May 22	SB1379	PN1780	July 1, 2000	Pittsburgh Cleft Palate—treatment
2000-16A	May 22	SB1380	PN1781	July 1, 2000	Burn Foundation—treatment
2000-17A	May 22	SB1381	PN1952	July 1, 2000	Children's Institute, The—treatment and rehabilitation of children and young adults with disabling diseases
2000-18A	May 22	SB1382	PN1783	July 1, 2000	Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, The—comprehensive patient care for children, maintenance and operation
2000-19A	May 22	SB1383	PN1784	July 1, 2000	Beacon Lodge Camp—services to the blind
2000-20A	May 22	SB1391	PN1792	July 1, 2000	Arsenal Family and Children's Center—operation
2000-21A	May 24	SB1	PN1955	Immediately*	General Appropriation Act of 2000—enactment

*with exceptions

Effective Dates of Statutes

The effective dates specified above for laws and appropriation acts were contained in the applicable law or appropriation act. Where no date is specified or where the effective date specified is prior to the date of enactment, the effective date is 60 days after final enactment except for statutes making appropriations or affecting budgets of political subdivisions. See 1 Pa.C.S. §§ 1701—1704 (relating to effective dates of statutes).

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