

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND INDUSTRY, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, MAY 2, 2016

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of November 10, 1999 (P.L.491, No.45), entitled
2 "An act establishing a uniform construction code; imposing
3 powers and duties on municipalities and the Department of
4 Labor and Industry; providing for enforcement; imposing
5 penalties; and making repeals," in Uniform Construction Code,
6 further providing for revised or successor codes; and, in <--
7 ~~training and certification of inspectors, further providing~~
8 ~~for education and training programs.~~

9 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
10 hereby enacts as follows:

11 Section 1. Section 304(a) of the act of November 10, 1999
12 (P.L.491, No.45), known as the Pennsylvania Construction Code
13 Act, is amended by adding a paragraph to read:

14 Section 304. Revised or successor codes.

15 (a) Duties of department.--

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17 (4) The department may contract with the ICC to
18 establish and publish code manuals that contain the standards
19 of the Uniform Construction Code. The department shall
20 require in any contract under this paragraph that the

1 standards be made available on the department's publicly
2 accessible Internet website.

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4 ~~Section 2. Section 703 of the act is amended by adding a~~ <--
5 ~~subsection to read:~~

6 ~~Section 703. Education and training programs.~~

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8 ~~(d) Specific code funding. Before the distribution required~~
9 ~~under subsection (c), upon approval by the Governor, money~~
10 ~~collected under subsection (a) may be appropriated as necessary~~
11 ~~for the purposes set forth under section 304(a)(4).~~

12 Section 3 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days. <--