

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1443 Session of 2014

INTRODUCED BY WHITE, JUNE 20, 2014

REFERRED TO ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES AND ENERGY, JUNE 20, 2014

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of October 8, 2012 (P.L.1194, No.147), entitled  
 2 "An act providing for indigenous mineral resource  
 3 development; and imposing powers and duties on the Department  
 4 of General Services and the State System of Higher  
 5 Education," further providing for definitions.

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

8 Section 1. The definitions of "State-owned land" and "State  
 9 system land" in section 2 of the act of October 8, 2012  
 10 (P.L.1194, No.147), known as the Indigenous Mineral Resources  
 11 Development Act, are amended to read:

12 Section 2. Definitions.

13 The following words and phrases when used in this act shall  
 14 have the meanings given to them in this section unless the  
 15 context clearly indicates otherwise:

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17 "State-owned land." [Land] Surface and subsurface land and  
 18 any rights therein owned by the Commonwealth. The term does not  
 19 include State system land or land owned and administered by the  
 20 Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, the

1 Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission or the Pennsylvania Game  
2 Commission.

3 "State system land." [Land] Surface and subsurface land and  
4 any rights therein owned by the State System of Higher Education  
5 or controlled by the State System of Higher Education pursuant  
6 to a memorandum of understanding approved by the Department of  
7 General Services.

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