
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 459

Session of
1977

INTRODUCED BY HARPER, WILLIAMS, LAUGHLIN, WHITE, WISE,
GREENFIELD, COHEN, GIAMMARCO, RICHARDSON, JONES, RIEGER,
RAPPAPORT AND OLIVER, MARCH 2, 1977

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON INSURANCE, MARCH 2, 1977

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 11, 1947 (P.L.538, No.246), entitled
2 "An act relating to the regulation of rates for insurance
3 which may be written by stock or mutual casualty insurance
4 companies, associations or exchanges, including fidelity,
5 surety and guaranty bonds and all other forms of motor
6 vehicle insurance, and title insurance; to rating and
7 advisory organizations; conferring on the Insurance
8 Commissioner the power and duty of supervising and regulating
9 persons, associations, companies and corporations, and of
10 enforcing the provisions of this act; prescribing and
11 regulating the practice and procedure before the
12 commissioner, and procedure for review by the courts; giving
13 the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County exclusive
14 jurisdiction over certain proceedings; prescribing penalties
15 and providing for enforcement thereof, and repealing
16 inconsistent acts," providing that certain automobile
17 insurance rates to be charged in the City of Philadelphia be
18 uniform.

19 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
20 hereby enacts as follows:

21 Section 1. Section 3, act of June 11, 1947 (P.L.538,
22 No.246), known as "The Casualty and Surety Rate Regulatory Act,"
23 is amended by adding a clause to read:

24 Section 3. Making of Rates.--All rates shall be made in
25 accordance with the following provisions:

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2 (e) All rates charged by insurance companies for issuing
3 automobile insurance which conforms to the basic coverage
4 required by the act of July 19, 1974 (P.L.489, No.176), known as
5 the "Pennsylvania No-fault Motor Vehicle Insurance Act," shall
6 be uniform within the boundaries of the City of Philadelphia.
7 This provision shall not be applicable to any additional
8 coverage or other options available.

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