
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL
No. 56

Session of
1979

INTRODUCED BY MR. McCLATCHY, FEBRUARY 5, 1979

AS AMENDED ON THIRD CONSIDERATION, IN SENATE, FEBRUARY, 27, 1979

AN ACT

1 To further provide for the expenses of the Executive, and <—
2 Legislative AND JUDICIAL Departments of the Commonwealth for <—
3 the fiscal period July 1, 1978 to June 30, 1979, and to make
4 additional appropriations FROM THE MOTOR LICENSE FUND; AND <—
5 from the Federal augmentation to the Executive and
6 Legislative Departments for the fiscal period July 1, 1978 to
7 June 30, 1979.

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

10 Section 1. This act shall be known and may be cited as the
11 "Supplemental Appropriation Act of 1978."

12 Section 2. The following sums, or as much thereof as may be
13 necessary, are hereby specifically appropriated from the General
14 Fund to the several hereinafter named agencies of the Executive
15 and Legislative Departments of the Commonwealth for the payment
16 of salaries, wages or other compensation and travel expenses of
17 the duly elected or appointed officers and employees of the
18 Commonwealth, for payment of fees of contractual services
19 rendered, for the purchase or rental of goods, services,
20 printing, equipment, land and buildings and for payment of any

1 other expenses, as provided by law or by this act, necessary for
2 the proper conduct of the duties, functions and activities and
3 for the purposes hereinafter set forth for the fiscal period
4 beginning July 1, 1978 and for the payment of bills incurred and
5 remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal period ending June
6 30, 1978.

7 I. Executive Department

8 To the Governor

9 For the salaries, wages and all necessary
10 expenses for the following purposes and activities,
11 including the maintenance of the Executive Mansion,
12 the expense of entertainment of official guests
13 and members of the General Assembly and the Judiciary,
14 participation in the Governor's Conference, the
15 expenses of the Executive Board, and for the payment
16 of traveling expenses of persons other than employees
17 of the Commonwealth appointed by the Governor to
18 represent or otherwise serve the Commonwealth.

19 Administration of the Office of Governor..... \$2,497,000

20 TO THE AUDITOR GENERAL

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21 ADMINISTRATION OF THE BOARD OF ARBITRATION AND

22 CLAIMS..... \$287,000

23 TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

24 FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING, OPERATING AND

25 PURCHASING RENAL DISEASE SERVICES..... ~~\$4,911,000~~ <—

26 \$4,261,000

27 FOR ADDITIONAL PAYMENTS TO THE UNITED

28 NEIGHBORHOOD FACILITIES AND HEALTH CARE

29 CORPORATION..... \$57,000

30 FOR SALARIES, WAGES, AND ALL NECESSARY EXPENSES

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1 FOR THE PROPER ADMINISTRATION OF THE QUALITY ASSUR-
2 ANCE PROGRAM WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH WHICH
3 IS DESIGNED TO IMPROVE CONDITIONS AND TO ASSURE
4 APPROPRIATE CARE IN HEALTH CARE FACILITIES IN
5 PENNSYLVANIA..... \$3,167,000

6 To the Department of Justice

7 For general government operations:

8 Civil Law..... \$1,668,000

9 TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MILITARY AFFAIRS

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10 FOR ADDITIONAL EMERGENCY MAINTENANCE AND REPAIRS

11 OF THE SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME AT ERIE: PROVIDED,

12 HOWEVER, THAT NO ONE SPECIFIC PROJECT SHALL EXCEED

13 THE SUM OF \$99,000..... \$480,000

14 To the Department of Public Welfare

15 For county administration..... \$100,217,000

16 For administration of the State mental health

17 and mental retardation legislation exclusive of

18 capital improvements; for payments to reimburse

19 counties, county institution districts and private

20 institutions; and for the care of mental patients

21 boarded out by the State institutions for the

22 mentally ill and mentally retarded..... \$106,349,000

23 Supplemental grants - aged, blind and disabled.. \$59,552,000

24 For the purpose of developing, operating and

25 purchasing day care services for children from

26 State approved facilities..... \$10,516,000

27 ~~To the Department of Health~~

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28 ~~For the Chronic Renal Dialysis Program..... \$1,278,000~~

29 II. LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

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30 TO THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION

1 FOR THE SALARIES, WAGES AND NECESSARY EXPENSES
2 INCURRED PURSUANT TO THE ACT OF OCTOBER 4, 1978
3 (P.L.883, NO.170) REFERRED TO AS THE PUBLIC OFFICIAL
4 AND EMPLOYEE ETHICS LAW..... \$ 100,000

5 III. JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT

6 COURTS OF COMMON PLEAS

7 FOR THE PAYMENT OF A PER DIEM SALARY, MILEAGE,
8 AND MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES TO RETIRED OR ACTIVE
9 VISITING JUDGES FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR
10 OFFICIAL DUTIES..... \$750,000

11 IV. MOTOR LICENSE FUND

12 THE FOLLOWING SUMS OR AS MUCH THEREOF AS MAY BE NECESSARY,
13 ARE HEREBY SPECIFICALLY APPROPRIATED FROM THE MOTOR LICENSE FUND
14 TO THE HEREINAFTER NAMED AGENCIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH FOR THE
15 PAYMENT OF SALARIES, WAGES AND OTHER COMPENSATION AND TRAVEL
16 EXPENSES OF THE DULY ELECTED OR APPOINTED OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES
17 OF THE COMMONWEALTH, FOR CONTRACTUAL SERVICES AND OTHER EXPENSES
18 NECESSARY FOR THE PROPER CONDUCT OF THE DUTIES, FUNCTIONS AND
19 ACTIVITIES FOR THE PURPOSES HEREINAFTER SET FORTH FOR THE FISCAL
20 PERIOD BEGINNING JULY 1, 1978 AND FOR THE PAYMENT OF BILLS
21 INCURRED AND REMAINING UNPAID AT THE CLOSE OF THE FISCAL PERIOD
22 ENDING JUNE 30, 1978.

23 TO THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

24 FOR THE SALARIES, WAGES AND ALL NECESSARY
25 EXPENSES FOR THE OPERATION OF THE HIGHWAY AND
26 SAFETY CONSTRUCTION PROGRAMS, INCLUDING PLANNING
27 AND RESEARCH, DESIGN, ENGINEERING, RIGHT-OF-WAY
28 ACQUISITION AND THE OPERATION OF THE ENGINEERING
29 DISTRICT FACILITIES AND LIAISON SERVICES WITH
30 COMMUNITIES ON LOCAL ROAD ENGINEERING AND

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1 CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITIES..... \$1,500,000
2 FOR HIGHWAY RECONSTRUCTION AND PAVING IN <—
3 ALLEGHENY COUNTY ON L.R.736; T.R.837 FROM STATION
4 1007+82 TO STATION 1054+67..... \$ 355,000
5 FOR THE SALARIES, WAGES AND ALL NECESSARY <—
6 EXPENSES FOR THE ADMINISTRATION AND OPERATION OF
7 THE MAINTENANCE PROGRAM FOR STATE ROADS, BRIDGES,
8 TUNNELS AND STRUCTURES, INCLUDING THE OPERATION
9 OF THE COUNTY MAINTENANCE DISTRICT FACILITIES.... 9,600,000
10 IT IS THE INTENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT
11 THE ADDITIONAL \$9,600,000 AND ANY OTHER FUNDS
12 NOT IMMEDIATELY REQUIRED FOR ORDINARY MAINTENANCE
13 OR CONSTRUCTION BE USED TO MAKE ALL NECESSARY
14 REPAIRS OR REHABILITATION OF ROAD DAMAGES CAUSED
15 BY THE SEVERE WINTER OF 1978-1979.
16 ~~II.~~ V. Federal Augmentation Funds <—
17 The following ~~sum~~ SUMS, or as much thereof as may <—
18 be necessary, ~~is~~ ARE hereby specifically appropriated <—
19 from the Federal augmentation funds to the
20 following agency of the Executive Department of
21 the Commonwealth for the payment of the expenses
22 of implementing and carrying out the ~~program~~ PROGRAMS <—
23 stated herein for the fiscal year beginning
24 July 1, 1978:
25 Executive Department
26 TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH <—
27 THE FOLLOWING FEDERAL AUGMENTATION AMOUNTS,
28 OR AS MUCH THEREOF AS MAY BE NECESSARY, ARE HEREBY
29 SPECIFICALLY APPROPRIATED TO SUPPLEMENT THE SUM OF
30 \$9,667,000 APPROPRIATED FROM COMMONWEALTH REVENUES

1 FOR GENERAL GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS:

2 FEDERAL COMPREHENSIVE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES -
3 SUPPLEMENTAL FORMULA GRANTS ARE SPECIFICALLY APPRO-
4 PRIATED TO THE FOLLOWING AGENCIES:

5 (1) TO THE PHILADELPHIA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.. \$ 114,000

6 (2) TO THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT. \$61,000

7 To the Department of Public Welfare

8 The following Federal ~~augmentation~~ AUGMENTATION amounts, or <—

9 as much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby

10 specifically appropriated to supplement the sum of

11 \$8,715,000 appropriated from Commonwealth revenues

12 for services for the aging:

13 Food Distribution (Food Donation Program)..... \$2,500,000

14 The following Federal Title XX Social Services

15 augmentation amount, or as much thereof as may be

16 necessary, is hereby specifically appropriated to

17 supplement the sum of \$19,244,000 appropriated

18 from Commonwealth revenues for day care:

19 "Title XX - Social Services" - for provision of

20 social services to eligible persons in day care

21 programs..... \$59,477,000

22 ~~III. LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT~~ <—

23 ~~To the State Ethics Commission~~

24 ~~For the salaries, wages and necessary expenses~~

25 ~~incurred pursuant to the act of October 4, 1978~~

26 ~~(No.170) referred to as the Public Official and~~

27 ~~Employees Ethics Law.....\$100,000~~

28 Section 3. It is the intent of the General Assembly that any

29 appropriation under the provisions of this act which is the same

30 or similar to an appropriation under the act of May 31, 1978

1 (No.16A), entitled "An act to provide for the expenses of the
2 Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the
3 Commonwealth, the public debt and for the public schools for the
4 fiscal period July 1, 1978 to June 30, 1979, and for the payment
5 of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the
6 fiscal period ending June 30, 1978," as amended, OR THE ACT OF <—
7 JULY 1, 1978 (NO.55A), KNOWN AS THE "MOTOR LICENSE FUND
8 SUPPLEMENT TO THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT OF 1978," AS
9 AMENDED, or the act of July 1, 1978 (No.56A), entitled "An act
10 appropriating the Federal augmentation to the Executive and
11 Judicial Departments of the Commonwealth and establishing
12 restricted receipts accounts for the fiscal period July 1, 1978
13 to June 30, 1979 and for the payment of bills incurred and
14 remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal period ending June
15 30, 1978," shall replace such appropriations.

16 Section 4. (a) The act of May 31, 1978 (No.16A), known as
17 the "General Appropriation Act of 1978," as amended, is repealed
18 insofar as it is inconsistent herewith.

19 (B) THE ACT OF JULY 1, 1978 (NO.55A), KNOWN AS THE "MOTOR <—
20 LICENSE FUND SUPPLEMENT TO THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT OF
21 1978," AS AMENDED, IS REPEALED INsofar AS IT IS INCONSISTENT
22 HEREWITH.

23 ~~(b)~~ (C) The act of July 1, 1978 (No.56A), known as the <—
24 "Federal Augmentation Appropriation Act of 1978," is repealed
25 insofar as it is inconsistent herewith.

26 Section 5. This act shall take effect immediately.