## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

No. 1731

Session of 1979

INTRODUCED BY A. K. HUTCHINSON, FRYER, LIVENGOOD, B. D. CLARK, ITKIN AND STAIRS, SEPTEMBER 24, 1979

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, SEPTEMBER 24, 1979

## AN ACT

- Amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), entitled 2 "An act concerning elections, including general, municipal, special and primary elections, the nomination of candidates, 3 primary and election expenses and election contests; creating 5 and defining membership of county boards of elections; 6 imposing duties upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth, courts, county boards of elections, county commissioners; 7 imposing penalties for violation of the act, and codifying, 8 9 revising and consolidating the laws relating thereto; and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating to 10 elections," providing reimbursement by the Commonwealth for 11 county administration expenses for campaign expense reports. 12 13 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows: 14 15 Section 1. The act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the "Pennsylvania Election Code," is amended by adding a 16 17 section to read: 18 Section 1643. Commonwealth Reimbursement. -- The Commonwealth 19 shall reimburse each county on a dollar for dollar basis for all 20 expenses incurred in administering the provisions of Article 16 21 relating to campaign expense reporting requirements.
- 22 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately and shall

1 be retroactive to October 4, 1978.