

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1388 Session of
1981

INTRODUCED BY PITTS, REBER, E. H. SMITH, MANMILLER, BOWSER,
E. Z. TAYLOR, ARMSTRONG, VROON AND PETERSON, MAY 5, 1981

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, MAY 5, 1981

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of April 27, 1927 (P.L.450, No.291), entitled,
2 as amended, "An act relating to fires and fire prevention;
3 imposing duties and conferring powers upon the Pennsylvania
4 State Police; authorizing the appointment of the chiefs of
5 fire departments and certain public officers and others as
6 assistants to the Pennsylvania State Police, and defining
7 their powers and duties; providing for the investigation of
8 the cause, origin, and circumstance of fires and the
9 inspection of all, and the removal or change of, certain
10 buildings by owners and occupants thereof, including
11 political subdivisions; imposing duties on school authorities
12 and on certain corporations, associations, and fire rating
13 agencies; providing for the attendance of witnesses before
14 the Pennsylvania State Police, and the enforcement of its
15 orders; and prescribing penalties," increasing certain fees
16 and mileage.

17 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
18 hereby enacts as follows:

19 Section 1. Section 9, act of April 27, 1927 (P.L.450,
20 No.291), referred to as the State Fire Marshal Law, amended
21 April 28, 1943 (P.L.123, No.63), is amended to read:

22 Section 9. The assistants to the Pennsylvania State Police,
23 not receiving a salary for the performance of public duties,
24 shall receive, upon the audit of the Pennsylvania State Police,

1 [fifty cents] two dollars (\$2.00) for each report of each
2 separate fire reported to the Pennsylvania State Police under
3 this act, and, in addition thereto, shall be paid the sum of
4 fifteen cents for each mile traveled to and from the place of
5 fire and, in the discretion of the Pennsylvania State Police,
6 where an investigation has been made, a sum not to exceed [three
7 dollars (\$3.00)] ten dollars (\$10.00) for each day's service
8 spent in such investigation.

9 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.