## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

## No. 1539 Session of 1991

INTRODUCED BY DALEY, STISH, KOSINSKI, SALOOM AND GEORGE, JUNE 4, 1991

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LABOR RELATIONS, JUNE 4, 1991

## AN ACT

Amending the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), entitled, as 2 reenacted and amended, "An act defining the liability of an employer to pay damages for injuries received by an employe 3 in the course of employment; establishing an elective 5 schedule of compensation; providing procedure for the determination of liability and compensation thereunder; and 7 prescribing penalties, "further providing cost-of-living 8 increase in compensation. The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 10 hereby enacts as follows: 11 Section 1. The act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known 12 as The Pennsylvania Workmen's Compensation Act, reenacted and 13 amended June 21, 1939 (P.L.520, No.281), is amended by adding a 14 section to read: 15 Section 306.3. Every payment under this act shall be 16 increased annually by an amount based on the increase in the 17 cost of living evidenced by the Consumer Price Index for All 18 Urban Consumers, published by the Federal Bureau of Labor 19 Statistics.

Section 2. This act shall apply to the fiscal year July 1,

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- 1991, to June 30, 1992, and for each fiscal year thereafter. 1
- Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately. 2