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AN ACT

1 Prohibiting reductions-in-force of certain public employees  
2 pending completion of a manpower survey and report by the  
3 Department of Community Affairs in cities of the first class.

4 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
5 hereby enacts as follows:

6 Section 1. Certain reductions-in-force prohibited.

7 The governing body of a city of the first class shall not  
8 implement any program of layoffs or otherwise reduce in force  
9 the public employees of the police and fire departments, since  
10 such a reduction-in-force would jeopardize the lives, health and  
11 safety of the people, until the Department of Community Affairs  
12 shall have completed a manpower survey and report relating to  
13 the affected areas of public employment.

14 Section 2. Effective date.

15 This act shall take effect immediately.