

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2456 Session of  
2002

INTRODUCED BY STERN, TIGUE, HERMAN, BARRAR, CAWLEY, TRELLO,  
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HARHAI, YUDICHAK, COLAFELLA, DALLY, YOUNGBLOOD, THOMAS AND  
PALLONE, MARCH 26, 2002

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, MARCH 26, 2002

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of February 9, 1984 (P.L.3, No.2), entitled "An  
2 act providing for the education and training of deputy  
3 sheriffs; creating the Deputy Sheriffs' Education and  
4 Training Board under the Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and  
5 Delinquency; providing for the powers and duties of the board  
6 and the Attorney General; establishing the Deputy Sheriffs'  
7 Education and Training Account; providing for a surcharge on  
8 sheriffs' fees; and providing penalties," further providing  
9 for reimbursement to counties.

10 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
11 hereby enacts as follows:

12 Section 1. Section 9 of the act of February 9, 1984 (P.L.3,  
13 No.2), known as the Deputy Sheriffs' Education and Training Act,  
14 is amended to read:

15 Section 9. Reimbursement to counties.

16 [The commission shall provide for reimbursement to each  
17 county of 100% of the allowable tuition and the ordinary and  
18 necessary living and travel expenses incurred by their deputy

1 sheriffs while attending certified deputy sheriffs' basic  
2 training or continuing education schools if the county adheres  
3 to the training standards set forth in this act and established  
4 by the board with the review and approval of the commission. The  
5 regular salary of deputy sheriffs while attending approved  
6 schools shall be paid by the employing county. Fifty percent of  
7 the regular salaries of deputy sheriffs while attending approved  
8 schools shall be reimbursed to the employing county.] Each  
9 county shall pay the ordinary and necessary living and travel  
10 expenses and the regular salary of their deputy sheriffs while  
11 attending approved schools. The commission shall provide for  
12 reimbursement to each county of 100% of the regular salary of  
13 their deputy sheriffs and 100% of the ordinary and necessary  
14 living and travel expenses incurred by their deputy sheriffs  
15 while attending certified deputy sheriffs' basic training or  
16 continuing education schools if the county adheres to the  
17 training standards set forth in this act and established by the  
18 board with the review and approval of the commission. The  
19 commission shall provide for 100% of the tuition incurred by  
20 deputy sheriffs while attending certified deputy sheriffs' basic  
21 training or continuing education schools.

22 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.