

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 175 Session of 2013

INTRODUCED BY GREENLEAF, WASHINGTON, FONTANA AND BOSCOLA,
JANUARY 15, 2013

REFERRED TO JUDICIARY, JANUARY 15, 2013

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 2 (Administrative Law and Procedure) of the
2 Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes, in practice and procedure
3 of Commonwealth agencies, further providing for the contents
4 and service of adjudications.

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

7 Section 1. Section 507 of Title 2 of the Pennsylvania
8 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

9 § 507. Contents and service of adjudications.

10 (a) General rule.--All adjudications of a Commonwealth
11 agency shall be in writing, shall contain findings and the
12 reasons for the adjudication, and shall be served upon all
13 parties or their counsel personally, or by mail.

14 (b) Effect of failed service.--Notwithstanding any other
15 provision of law, if a party or the party's counsel was not
16 served personally under subsection (a) and failed to meet the
17 applicable deadline for appeal of the Commonwealth agency's
18 adjudication, the party shall have the right to file an appeal
19 within 30 days after the party discovers that the Commonwealth

1 agency made the adjudication.

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