

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, FEBRUARY 1, 2017

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), entitled
 2 "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the
 3 executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the
 4 Executive Department thereof and the administrative
 5 departments, boards, commissions, and officers thereof,
 6 including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or
 7 Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reorganizing or
 8 authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative
 9 departments, boards, and commissions; defining the powers and
 10 duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative
 11 officers, and of the several administrative departments,
 12 boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the
 13 Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive
 14 and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of
 15 certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and
 16 other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards,
 17 and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the
 18 number and compensation of the deputies and all other
 19 assistants and employes of certain departments, boards and
 20 commissions shall be determined," in Commonwealth budget
 21 procedures, providing for budget implementation.

22 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
 23 hereby enacts as follows:

24 Section 1. The act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known
 25 as The Administrative Code of 1929, is amended by adding a
 26 section to read:

27 Section 626. Budget Implementation.--(a) Except as provided

1 in subsection (b), before the enactment of the General
2 Appropriation Act for the current fiscal year, the State
3 Treasurer may not release or approve the transfer of State funds
4 to an administrative agency or the General Assembly for any
5 expense that would result in the disbursement of State funds
6 beyond the amount that was enacted or funds not included in the
7 General Appropriation Act for the prior fiscal year.

8 (b) The following expenditures are not subject to subsection
9 (a):

10 (1) Expenditures required under the Fair Labor Standards Act
11 of 1938 (52 Stat. 1060, 29 U.S.C. § 201 et seq.).

12 (2) Expenditures required in compliance with Federal or
13 State court decisions.

14 (c) As used in this section, "administrative agency" shall
15 mean:

16 (1) An agency or department of the Commonwealth within the
17 executive branch.

18 (2) The Office of the Governor.

19 (3) The Office of the Lieutenant Governor.

20 (4) The Office of Attorney General.

21 (5) The Department of the Auditor General.

22 (6) The Treasury Department.

23 (7) An independent board or commission.

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