

## AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 711

Sponsor: REPRESENTATIVE VEREB

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1 Amend Bill, page 76, line 30, by inserting after "1202(A)(1)"  
2 and (2)

3 Amend Bill, page 77, by inserting between lines 11 and 12

4 (2) The board shall employ individuals as necessary to  
5 carry out the powers and duties of the board, who shall serve  
6 at the board's pleasure. An employee of the board shall be  
7 considered a State employee for purposes of 71 Pa.C.S. Pt.  
8 XXV (relating to retirement for State employees and  
9 officers). For the purposes of this paragraph, the board  
10 shall not be considered an executive or independent agency  
11 under the act of October 15, 1980 (P.L.950, No.164), known as  
12 the Commonwealth Attorneys Act. The board shall not take  
13 final action in filling the positions of executive director  
14 of the board, director of the bureau, chief counsel of the  
15 board or director of the Office of Enforcement Counsel until  
16 receipt and review of the results of the background  
17 investigation under section 1517(c)(1.1) (relating to  
18 investigations and enforcement).

19 Amend Bill, page 193, line 17, by inserting after "BOARD."

20 Regulations and procedures under this section shall do all of  
21 the following:

22 (1) Provide that the executive director and the chief  
23 counsel of the board shall not direct or limit the scope of a  
24 background investigation conducted by the bureau.

25 (2) Incorporate subsection (c.1), on prohibitions, of  
26 section 1202.1(c.1) (relating to code of conduct) and any  
27 other applicable provisions of section 1202.1.

28 Amend Bill, page 193, lines 20 and 21, by striking out "A" in  
29 line 20 and "PARAGRAPH" in line 21 and inserting  
30 paragraphs

31 Amend Bill, page 194, by inserting between lines 23 and 24

32 (1.1) Promptly conduct a background investigation on an  
33 individual selected by the board to fill the position of

1 executive director of the board, director of the bureau,  
2 chief counsel of the board or the director of the Office of  
3 Enforcement Counsel and submit the results to the board.

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5 Amend Bill, page 217, by inserting between lines 17 and 18

6 Section 20.1. The amendment of 4 Pa.C.S. § 1202(a)(2) and  
7 the addition of 4 Pa.C.S. § 1517(c)(1.1) shall not apply to an  
8 individual:

9 (1) who, on July 1, 2009, was serving officially or  
10 acting as Executive Director of the Pennsylvania Gaming  
11 Control Board, Chief Counsel of the board, or the Director of  
12 the Office Of Enforcement Counsel within the Bureau of  
13 Investigations and Enforcement and;

14 (2) on whom the bureau or the Pennsylvania State Police  
15 completed a background investigation as a condition of  
16 employment with the board.