

AMENDMENTS TO HOUSE BILL NO. 201

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, line 2, by inserting after "Statutes, "

2 in general provisions, further providing for definitions
3 and providing for charging Internet convenience fee; and

4 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 6 and 7, by striking out all of
5 said lines and inserting

6 Section 1. Section 103 of Title 62 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a definition to read:
8 § 103. Definitions.

9 Subject to additional definitions contained in subsequent
10 provisions of this part which are applicable to specific
11 provisions of this part, the following words and phrases when
12 used in this part shall have the meanings given to them in this
13 section unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

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15 "Internet convenience fee." An additional fee for an online
16 transaction of an executive agency, including, but not limited
17 to, a fee for ordering an online search or an online filing of
18 any application, license, permit, registration or form, if the
19 fee is separate from and in addition to the fee for the same
20 search, application, license, permit, registration or form when
21 the transaction is made in person or by mail. The term shall
22 also include any additional online fee for a person to use a
23 credit card, debit card or electronic transfer from a checking
24 account in paying for an online search or an online filing of
25 any application, license, permit, registration or form.

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27 Section 2. Title 62 is amended by adding a section to read:
28 § 109. Internet convenience fee.

29 No contract pursuant to this title shall authorize and no
30 executive agency is permitted to establish any Internet
31 convenience fee without specific authorization from the General
32 Assembly. This limitation shall not preclude any type of credit
33 card or debit card processing fee for the payment of any type of
34 tax or fee to the Department of Revenue or the Pennsylvania
35 Public Utility Commission or for the payment of any fine or
36 penalty to an executive agency.

37 Section 3. Section 513(e) of Title 62 is amended to read:

1 Amend Bill, page 2, line 1, by striking out "2" and inserting

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