

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY, MARCH 22, 1999

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 23 (Domestic Relations) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, further providing for the time period
3 for the employment of provisional child-care employees.

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

6 Section 1. Section 6344(m) of Title 23 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended to read:

8 § 6344. Information relating to prospective child-care
9 personnel.

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11 (m) Provisional employees for limited periods.--

12 Notwithstanding subsection (b), administrators may employ
13 applicants on a provisional basis for a single period not to
14 exceed the longer of 30 days or the time period it takes for a
15 written reply under subsection (b) or, for out-of-State
16 applicants, a period of 90 days, if all of the following
17 conditions are met:

18 (1) [The] Within 48 hours of the time in which a new

1 provisional employee begins employment, the administrator or
2 the applicant has applied for the information required under
3 subsection (b) and the applicant provides a copy of the
4 appropriate completed request forms and copies of certified
5 mail receipts showing the date and time of making of such
6 request forms to the administrator.

7 (2) The administrator has no knowledge of information
8 pertaining to the applicant which would disqualify him from
9 employment pursuant to subsection (c).

10 (3) The applicant swears or affirms in writing that he
11 is not disqualified from employment pursuant to subsection
12 (c).

13 (4) If the information obtained pursuant to subsection
14 (b) reveals that the applicant is disqualified from
15 employment pursuant to subsection (c), the applicant shall be
16 immediately dismissed by the administrator.

17 (5) The administrator requires that the applicant not be
18 permitted to work alone with children and that the applicant
19 work in the immediate vicinity of a permanent employee.

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