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 duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative
10 officers, and of the several administrative departments,
11 boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the
12 Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive
13 and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of
14 certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and
15 other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards,
16 and commissions; providing for judicial administration; and
17 prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation
18 of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of
19 certain departments, boards and commissions shall be
20 determined," providing for emergency COVID-19 provisions.

21 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
22 hereby enacts as follows:
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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 an
26 article to read:

27 ARTICLE I-A
Section 101-A. Extension of waiver provisions.

(a) General rule.--The Secretary of Community and Economic Development shall, upon request of a residential cleaning service, immediately issue a waiver to the Governor's 20200319 TWW COVID-19 Business Closure Order to the residential cleaning service. Waivers shall only be issued to residential cleaning services that can adhere to the social distancing practices and other mitigation measures defined by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to protect workers and to mitigate the spread of COVID-19.

(b) Violation.--A residential cleaning service operating in this Commonwealth under a waiver issued under subsection (a) that fails to comply with the requirements of this section shall be immediately closed and may not be permitted to reopen until the residential cleaning service is in compliance.

(c) Applicability.--This section shall apply until the proclamation of disaster emergency issued by the Governor on March 6, 2020, published at 50 Pa.B. 1644 (March 21, 2020), and any renewal of the state of disaster emergency, is terminated or expires under 35 Pa.C.S. § 7301(c) (relating to general authority of Governor).

(d) Definitions.--As used in this section, the following words and phrases shall have the meanings given to them in this subsection unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

"Residential cleaning service." A person licensed to do business in this Commonwealth that provides cleaning services in the homes of individuals.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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