

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL
No. 1888 Session of
1979

INTRODUCED BY GANNON, McMONAGLE, GRUPPO, SPITZ, ALDEN, DURHAM
AND EARLEY, OCTOBER 23, 1979

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND WELFARE, OCTOBER 23, 1979

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), entitled "An
2 act to consolidate, editorially revise, and codify the public
3 welfare laws of the Commonwealth," providing for temporary
4 staffing in the local office.

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

7 Section 1. Section 417, act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31,
8 No.21), known as the "Public Welfare Code," suspended insofar as
9 inconsistent with Reorganization Plan No. 3 of July 24, 1975
10 (P.L.629), is amended to read:

11 Section 417. Personnel.--Each county board shall:

12 (1) In accordance with the Civil Service Act, appoint,
13 transfer, lay off, suspend and remove its employees who shall, on
14 behalf of the county board and under the supervision of the
15 Executive Director, provide assistance in the territory under
16 the jurisdiction of the county board in accordance with law.
17 Should there be an increase in the number of applications for
18 benefits, which might result from a furlough, plant closing,

1 labor dispute or reduction in force, such county board may
2 request the temporary assistance of employes of other county
3 boards upon the request of and approval by the Secretary of
4 Public Welfare.

5 (2) Determine the number of its employes and direct and
6 supervise their services so as to attain the maximum degree of
7 efficiency.

8 (3) From time to time, appoint such board of review as it
9 sees fit and proper, to hear and determine appeals by employes
10 from orders of demotion and of removal.

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