

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 861 Session of
1993

INTRODUCED BY REIBMAN, LAVALLE, STAPLETON, O'PAKE, MUSTO, LEWIS
AND SCHWARTZ, MARCH 31, 1993

REFERRED TO STATE GOVERNMENT, MARCH 31, 1993

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 departments, boards, and commissions; defining the powers and
10 duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative
11 officers, and of the several administrative departments,
12 boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the
13 Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive
14 and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of
15 certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and
16 other assistants and employees in certain departments, boards,
17 and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the
18 number and compensation of the deputies and all other
19 assistants and employees of certain departments, boards and
20 commissions shall be determined," authorizing the Department
21 of General Services to provide for the installation of
22 original works of art in public buildings.

23 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
24 hereby enacts as follows:

25 Section 1. Section 2401.1 of the act of April 9, 1929
26 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929, is
27 amended by adding a clause to read:

1 Section 2401.1. Specific Powers of the Department of General
2 Services.--In addition to all other powers and duties set forth
3 in this act, the Department of General Services shall have the
4 power, and its duty shall be:

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6 (19.1) To commission original works of art to be installed
7 in all public buildings constructed under this section, the cost
8 of which may not exceed one per centum (1%) of the total cost of
9 the building. Artists shall be nominated by a committee
10 consisting of the project architect, a representative of the
11 agency or institution that will occupy the building, a
12 representative designated by the State Art Commission and a
13 representative of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Council on
14 the Arts. The nominations shall be submitted to the Secretary of
15 General Services for approval.

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