THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

$\begin{array}{l} HOUSE BILL \\ \text{No.} \quad 2527 \, {}^{\text{Session of}}_{2004} \end{array}$

INTRODUCED BY ARGALL, APRIL 12, 2004

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, APRIL 12, 2004

AN ACT

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9	Making appropriations from the Workmen's Compensation Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry and the Department of Community and Economic Development to provide for the expenses of administering the Workers' Compensation Act, The Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act and the Office of Small Business Advocate for the fiscal year July 1, 2004, to June 30, 2005, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2004.
10	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
11	hereby enacts as follows:
12	Section 1. The sum of \$54,250,000, or as much thereof as may
13	be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the Workmen's
14	Compensation Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and
15	Industry for the payment of all salaries, wages and other
16	compensation and travel expenses, for contractual services and
17	other expenses necessary for the administration of the act of
18	June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the Workers'
19	Compensation Act, and the act of June 21, 1939 (P.L.566,
20	No.284), known as The Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act, for
21	the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004, and for the payment of

bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal
year ending June 30, 2004.

3 Section 2. The sum of \$184,000 is hereby appropriated from the restricted revenue account within the Workmen's Compensation 4 Administration Fund to the Office of Small Business Advocate in 5 the Department of Community and Economic Development as provided 6 in the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the 7 8 Workers' Compensation Act, for the operation of that office for the fiscal year July 1, 2004, to June 30, 2005. 9 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2004, or 10

11 immediately, whichever is later.