

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2911 Session of
2004

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WEBER, WILT, YUDICHAK, MAJOR, ROSS AND PETRARCA,
OCTOBER 21, 2004

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, OCTOBER 21, 2004

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of July 4, 2004 (P.L. , No.7A), entitled "An
2 act to provide from the General Fund for the expenses of the
3 Executive, Legislative and Judicial Departments of the
4 Commonwealth, the public debt and for the public schools for
5 the fiscal year July 1, 2004, to June 30, 2005, for certain
6 institutions and organizations, and for the payment of bills
7 incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year
8 ending June 30, 2004; to provide appropriations from the
9 State Lottery Fund, the Energy Conservation and Assistance
10 Fund, the Hazardous Material Response Fund, The State Stores
11 Fund, the Milk Marketing Fund, the Home Investment Trust
12 Fund, the Emergency Medical Services Operating Fund, the
13 Tuition Payment Fund, the Banking Department Fund, the
14 Firearm Records Check Fund, the Ben Franklin Technology
15 Development Authority Fund, the Tobacco Settlement Fund, the
16 Health Care Provider Retention Account and the Alternative
17 Fuels Incentive Grant Fund to the Executive Department; to
18 provide appropriations from the Judicial Computer System
19 Augmentation Account to the Judicial Department for the
20 fiscal year July 1, 2004, to June 30, 2005; to provide
21 appropriations from the Motor License Fund for the fiscal
22 year July 1, 2004, to June 30, 2005, for the proper operation
23 of the several departments of the Commonwealth and the
24 Pennsylvania State Police authorized to spend Motor License
25 Fund moneys; to provide for the appropriation of Federal
26 funds to the Executive Department of the Commonwealth and for
27 the establishment of restricted receipt accounts for the

1 fiscal year July 1, 2004, to June 30, 2005, and for the
2 payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal
3 year ending June 30, 2004; to provide for the additional
4 appropriation of Federal and State funds from the General
5 Fund, for the Executive and the Legislative Departments of
6 the Commonwealth for the fiscal year July 1, 2003, to June
7 30, 2004, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining
8 unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2003,"
9 further providing for appropriations to the Pennsylvania
10 State Police.

11 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
12 hereby enacts as follows:

13 Section 1. Sections 223 and 809 of the act of July 4, 2004
14 (P.L. , No.7A), known as the General Appropriation Act of
15 2004, are amended to read:

16 Section 223. Pennsylvania State
17 Police.--The following amounts are
18 appropriated to the Pennsylvania State

19 Police:	Federal	State
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20 For general government operations		
21 of the Pennsylvania State Police. The		
22 Pennsylvania State Police may		
23 anticipate Pennsylvania State Police		
24 member vacancies occurring during the		
25 fiscal period July 1, 2004, to June		
26 30, 2005, and may authorize the		
27 recruitment and training of cadets		
28 based on anticipated vacancies prior		
29 to the actual occurrence of the		
30 vacancy.		

31 [State appropriation.....	155,694,000]
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32 <u>State appropriation.....</u>	<u>153,956,000</u>
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33 For the hiring of 90 Pennsylvania

34 State Police members not based on

1 anticipated vacancies prior to the
2 actual occurrence of the vacancy but
3 new positions, in order for the non-
4 Turnpike complement of the
5 Pennsylvania State Police to be 4,130
6 in the aggregate.

7 State appropriation..... 1,738,000

8 The following Federal amounts are
9 appropriated to supplement the sum
10 appropriated for general government
11 operations:

12 (1) "Drug Enforcement."	
13 Federal appropriation.....	400,000
14 (2) "Bulletproof Vests."	
15 Federal appropriation.....	1,473,000
16 (3) "Marijuana Eradication."	
17 Federal appropriation.....	100,000
18 (4) "In-Car Video Cameras."	
19 Federal appropriation.....	300,000
20 (5) "Computer Crime Prevention."	
21 Federal appropriation.....	750,000
22 (6) "Improvements for Lab System."	
23 Federal appropriation.....	250,000
24 (7) "Combat Underage Drinking."	
25 Federal appropriation.....	450,000
26 (8) "Radiation Emergency Response	
27 Fund."	
28 Federal appropriation.....	10,000
29 (9) "Domestic Terrorism	
30 Equipment."	

1	Federal appropriation.....	300,000
2	(10) "Forensic Lab Improvement."	
3	Federal appropriation.....	139,000
4	(11) "Megan's Law Improvement."	
5	Federal appropriation.....	105,000
6	(12) "DNA Backlog Reduction."	
7	Federal appropriation.....	268,000
8	(13) "Innovative Occupant	
9	Protection."	
10	Federal appropriation.....	300,000
11	(14) "Racial Profiling Analysis."	
12	Federal appropriation.....	166,000
13	(15) "Child Passenger Fitting	
14	Station."	
15	Federal appropriation.....	570,000
16	(16) "DNA Capacity Enhancement."	
17	Federal appropriation.....	758,000
18	For the Commonwealth Law	
19	Enforcement Assistance Network.	
20	State appropriation.....	14,400,000
21	For the Municipal Police Officers'	
22	Education and Training Commission,	
23	including in-service training.	
24	State appropriation.....	3,509,000
25	For replacement of patrol vehicles.	
26	State appropriation.....	2,542,000
27	For an Automated Fingerprint	
28	Identification System (AFIS).	
29	State appropriation.....	975,000
30	For gun checks in association with	

1	State appropriation.....	3,695,000
2	For the Commonwealth Law	
3	Enforcement Assistance Network.	
4	State appropriation.....	30,600,000
5	For transfer to the General Fund to	
6	finance the Municipal Police Officers'	
7	Education and Training Commission.	
8	State appropriation.....	3,509,000
9	For transfer to the General Fund to	
10	finance adequate replacement patrol	
11	vehicles.	
12	State appropriation.....	5,401,000
13	For transfer to the General Fund to	
14	finance the Automated Fingerprint	
15	Identification System (AFIS).	
16	State appropriation.....	1,846,000
17	Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.	