

## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

# HOUSE BILL

## No. 2271 Session of 2010

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AS AMENDED ON SECOND CONSIDERATION, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
APRIL 19, 2010

## AN ACT

1 Amending Title 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania  
2 Consolidated Statutes, providing for mailings by ~~members of~~  
3 ~~General Assembly~~ CERTAIN PUBLIC OFFICIALS. ←

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

6 Section 1. Section 1103 of Title 65 of the Pennsylvania  
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:  
8 § 1103. Restricted activities.

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10 (k) Mailings by ~~members of General Assembly~~ CERTAIN PUBLIC ←  
11 OFFICIALS.--No reimbursement or expenditure may be made out of  
12 any appropriation account for a mass mailing, including a bulk  
13 rate mailing, made at the direction or on behalf of a member of  
14 the General Assembly, THE GOVERNOR, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, ←  
15 ATTORNEY GENERAL, AUDITOR GENERAL OR STATE TREASURER that is  
16 mailed or delivered to a postal facility within 60 days  
17 immediately preceding any primary or general election at which



1 ~~the member~~ SUCH PERSON is a candidate for public office.

2 Section 2. Section 1109(b) of Title 65 is amended to read:

3 § 1109. Penalties.

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5 (b) Financial interests statement violation.--Any person who  
6 violates the provisions of section 1103(d) through [(j)] (k),  
7 1104 (relating to statement of financial interests required to  
8 be filed) or 1105(a) (relating to statement of financial  
9 interests) commits a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction, be  
10 sentenced to pay a fine of not more than \$1,000 or to  
11 imprisonment for not more than one year, or both.

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13 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.