THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 25

Session of 2011

INTRODUCED BY PAYNE, V. BROWN, MILLER, READSHAW, SWANGER, VULAKOVICH AND WATSON, OCTOBER 6, 2011

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LIQUOR CONTROL, OCTOBER 6, 2011

AN ACT

Amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P.L.90, No.21), entitled, as reenacted, "An act relating to alcoholic liquors, alcohol and 2 malt and brewed beverages; amending, revising, consolidating 3 and changing the laws relating thereto; regulating and 4 restricting the manufacture, purchase, sale, possession, 5 consumption, importation, transportation, furnishing, holding in bond, holding in storage, traffic in and use of alcoholic 7 liquors, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages and the 8 9 persons engaged or employed therein; defining the powers and duties of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; providing 10 for the establishment and operation of State liquor stores, 11 for the payment of certain license fees to the respective 12 municipalities and townships, for the abatement of certain 13 nuisances and, in certain cases, for search and seizure 14 without warrant; prescribing penalties and forfeitures; 15 providing for local option, and repealing existing laws," in licenses and regulations, further providing for license fees. 17 18 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 19 hereby enacts as follows: 20 Section 1. Section 405(c) of the act of April 12, 1951 21 (P.L.90, No.21), known as the Liquor Code, reenacted and amended 22 June 29, 1987 (P.L.32, No.14) and amended April 29, 1994 23 (P.L.212, No.30), is amended to read: Section 405. License Fees. --* * * 24

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(c) [All]

- 1 (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 801(b) and
- 2 <u>subject to paragraph (2), all</u> license fees authorized under this
- 3 section shall be collected by the board for the use of the
- 4 municipalities in which such fees were collected[.] so long as
- 5 those municipalities have a local police force.
- 6 (2) Any license fees authorized under this section that are
- 7 <u>collected by the board from a municipality that does not have</u>
- 8 <u>its own police force shall be transferred to the enforcement</u>
- 9 <u>bureau</u>.
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- 11 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.