

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION, JUNE 16, 2016

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 employes in certain departments, boards,
17 and commissions; providing for the regulation of pari-mutuel
18 thoroughbred horse racing and harness horse racing
19 activities, imposing certain taxes and providing for the
20 disposition of funds from pari-mutuel tickets; and
21 prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation
22 of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of
23 certain departments, boards and commissions shall be
24 determined," in powers and duties of the Governor and other
25 constitutional officers, of the executive board, and of the
26 Pennsylvania State Police, further providing for Pennsylvania
27 State Police.

28 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
29 hereby enacts as follows:

30 Section 1. Section 710(i) of the act of April 9, 1929

(P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929,
amended October 3, 1986 (P.L.1414, No.129), is amended and the
section is amended by adding a subsection to read:

Section 710. Pennsylvania State Police.--The Pennsylvania
State Police shall have the power and its duty shall be:

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(i) To collect information relating to crimes and incidents
related to the race, color, religion or national origin of
individuals or groups, which shall be reported monthly by all
local law enforcement agencies and the State Fire Marshal. Any
information, records and statistics collected in accordance with
this subsection shall be available for use by any agency
required to furnish information, to the extent that such
information is reasonably necessary or useful to such agency in
carrying out the duties imposed on it by law. The Commissioner
of the Pennsylvania State Police may, by regulation, establish
such conditions for the use or availability of such information
as may be necessary to its preservation, the protection of
confidential information, or the circumstances of a pending
prosecution[.];

(j) To establish a fee schedule for services rendered to
municipalities having a population in excess of 10,000 or a
population density in excess of 160 persons per square mile
which rely on the Pennsylvania State Police as the primary
police agency. Fees shall not be established for specialized
police services available to all municipalities, only for
primary police services in municipalities without the protection
of an organized police department. Such fees shall be paid into
the General Fund.

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