

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1483 Session of 2021

INTRODUCED BY CUTLER, BOBACK, HERSHEY, JAMES, METCALFE, ECKER, STAMBAUGH, GROVE, COOK, OWLETT, SONNEY, HICKERNELL, KERWIN, GLEIM, KAUFFMAN, ROWE, KEEFER, LEWIS, GILLEN, DAVANZO, CAUSER, TOPPER, STAATS, OBERLANDER, MERCURI, POLINCHOCK, HAMM, SCHMITT, THOMAS, FARRY, ROAE, GAYDOS, B. MILLER, FEE, JOZWIAK, WHEELAND, RYAN, WARNER, SMITH, MOUL AND ARMANINI, MAY 25, 2021

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, MAY 25, 2021

AN ACT

1 Making an appropriation to the Auditor General for the purpose  
 2 of establishing a bureau of election audits to perform  
 3 audits.

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

6 Section 1. The sum of \$3,100,000 is hereby appropriated from  
 7 the General Fund to the Auditor General for the purpose of  
 8 conducting postauditing, annually, periodically or specifically,  
 9 the accuracy of election results, the accuracy of equipment used  
 10 to conduct elections, the accuracy and performance of the  
 11 Statewide Voter Registration System, the accuracy of voter  
 12 registration lists, compliance with Federal and State laws, and  
 13 any other audit deemed necessary to ensure that the  
 14 Commonwealth's elections are open, free and fair, for the fiscal  
 15 year July 1, 2021, to June 30, 2022.

16 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2021, or

1 immediately, whichever is later.