

# **SENATE APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE FISCAL NOTE**

**BILL NO.** Senate Bill 765

**PRINTER NO.** 863

**AMOUNT**

No Fiscal Impact

**FUND**

General Fund

**DATE INTRODUCED**

June 13, 2023

**PRIME SPONSOR**

Senator Comitta

**DESCRIPTION**

Senate Bill 765 makes specific changes to the Borough Code to make it consistent with the First Class Township Code as updated by Act 96 of 2020.

The legislation changes Section 1059.3 to provide that an elected or appointed official of a borough may not be surcharged if the official acted in good faith on a written or publicly disclosed opinion of the borough solicitor.

Sections 1141, 1142 and 1143 are amended to authorize a borough to appoint a partnership, limited partnership, association or professional corporation as the borough manager.

Section 1174 permits the civil service commission of a borough to reorganize within 30 days of the first Monday in January of each even-numbered year.

Section 1307 removes a requirement that a preliminary budget be prepared beginning at least 30 days prior to the adoption of the budget.

This act shall take effect in 60 days.

**FISCAL IMPACT:**

Senate Bill 765 will have no fiscal impact on Commonwealth funds.