

DELAWARE RIVER BASIN COMMISSION AND FUNDS AND PROPERTIES

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AN ACT

Amending the act of April 19, 1945 (P.L.272), entitled "An act to promote interstate cooperation for the conservation and protection of water resources in the Delaware River Basin," transferring the functions of the Interstate Commission on the Delaware River, providing for the disposition of its unexpended funds and properties, and providing for the continuance of certain employes under the Pennsylvania State Retirement System.

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

Section 2. The functions and powers of the Interstate Commission on the Delaware River are hereby transferred from that Commission to the Delaware River Basin Commission, and Interstate Commission, established by the act of July 7, 1961 (P.L.518), and any and all reference to the Interstate Commission on the Delaware River Basin shall be construed to mean the Delaware River Basin Commission.

Section 3. Any and all interests in the funds and properties of the Interstate Commission on the Delaware River Basin which are or may be in the possession or control of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or in which the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania may have an equity or to which the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania may have title are hereby transferred to the Delaware River Basin Commission with power in said Commission to hold, use and dispose of any and all such interests in accordance with the compact under which said Commission functions.

Section 4. Pending the dissolution of the Interstate Commission on the Delaware River Basin, said Commission may transfer any interest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in funds or property in its possession to the Delaware River Basin Commission which latter Commission may hold, use and dispose of pursuant to the provisions of the compact under which it functions.

Section 5. The dissolution of the Interstate Commission on the Delaware River Basin and the transfer of its funds and properties, or any portion thereof, shall not be construed as a disavowal of any activity or program of said Commission nor as a direction for the discontinuance of any such program or activity. Henceforth, the Delaware River Basin Commission, subject to the provisions of the Delaware River Basin Compact, shall have full power and authority to continue any activity or program hitherto carried on by the Interstate Commission on the Delaware River Basin.