
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 148

Session of

INTRODUCED BY ARTY, KLINGAMAN, PETERSON, BOWSER, SWIFT, MADIGAN,
LEVI, GRUPPO, GRABOWSKI, GAMBLE, BOYES AND CIMINI,
JANUARY 19, 1981

AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND WELFARE, HOUSE OF
REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, JANUARY 27, 1981

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), entitled "An
2 act to consolidate, editorially revise, and codify the public
3 welfare laws of the Commonwealth," denying eligibility for
4 allowance for moving expense resulting from certain
5 nonpayment of rent.

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

8 Section 1. The act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known
9 as the "Public Welfare Code," is amended by adding a section to
10 read:

11 Section 432.19. Allowance for Moving Costs.--A person shall
12 not be eligible for assistance under this act in the form of
13 moving expense whenever that cost is the result of nonpayment of
14 rent or an arrearage in the payment of rent. The recipient shall
15 present rent receipts or a certified statement to verify that he
16 or she is not in arrearage in the payment of rent or has an
17 escrow account pursuant to the act of January 24, 1966 (1965
18 P.L.1534, No.536), entitled, as amended, "An act providing for

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1 ~~the suspension of the duty to pay rent for dwellings certified~~
2 ~~to be unfit for human habitation in cities and providing for the~~
3 ~~withholding and disposition of shelter allowances."~~ LAWS OF THE <—
4 COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.

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