## THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

## **HOUSE BILL**

No. 1919

Session of 1984

INTRODUCED BY PIEVSKY, FEBRUARY 8, 1984

AS AMENDED ON THIRD CONSIDERATION, IN SENATE, MARCH 27, 1984

## AN ACT

1 2 3	Making appropriations from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the Public Utility Commission.			
4	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania			
5	hereby enacts as follows:			
6	Section 1. The following sums, or as much thereof as may be			
7	necessary, are specifically appropriated from the restricted			
8	revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal			
9	augmentation funds to the Public Utility Commission to provide			
10	for the operation of the commission for the fiscal period July			
11	1, 1984 to June 30, 1985 for the purposes and in the amounts			
12	shown:			
13	Federal State			
14	(1) For the salaries, wages			
15	and all necessary expenses for the			
16	proper operation and administration			
17	of the Public Utility Commission,			

1	INCLUDING THE SUM OF \$1,000,000 TO		
2	BE USED SPECIFICALLY BY THE PUBLIC		
3	UTILITY COMMISSION TO COMBAT THE		
4	CONTAMINATION OF WATER SUPPLIES BY		
5	PARASITIC MICRO-ORGANISMS WHICH		
6	CAUSE GIARDIASIS.		
7	State appropriation		\$22,733,000
8	(i) The following Federal		
9	augmentation amounts, or as		
10	much thereof as may be		
11	necessary, are specifically		
12	appropriated to supplement the		
13	sum authorized to be billed to		
14	utilities for the operation of		
15	the commission:		
16	(A) "Natural Gas		
17	Pipeline Safety" - To		
18	enforce the regulations of		
19	the Natural Gas Pipeline		
20	Safety Act.		
21	Federal appropriation	140,000	
22	(B) "Railroad Safety"		
23	- For safety inspectors to		
24	survey and patrol over		
25	14,000 miles of trackage to		
26	eliminate derailment and		
27	provide safe rail travel.		
28	Federal appropriation	149,000	
29	Any Federal funds which the Public		
30	Utility Commission receives pursuant		

- 1 to these appropriations shall not be
- 2 credited to any utility nor used to
- 3 lower the annual assessment of any
- 4 utility.
- 5 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.