THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2364 Session of 1998

INTRODUCED BY BARLEY, MARCH 11, 1998

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, MARCH 11, 1998

AN ACT

- 1 Making appropriations from the Professional Licensure
- 2 Augmentation Account and from restricted revenue accounts
- 3 within the General Fund to the Department of State for use by
- 4 the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs in
- 5 support of the professional licensure boards assigned
- 6 thereto.
- 7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
- 8 hereby enacts as follows:
- 9 Section 1. The sum of \$16,449,000, or as much thereof as may
- 10 be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the Professional
- 11 Licensure Augmentation Account within the General Fund to the
- 12 Department of State for the operation of the Bureau of
- 13 Professional and Occupational Affairs, including the State Board
- 14 of Auctioneer Examiners, for the fiscal year July 1, 1998, to
- 15 June 30, 1999.
- 16 Section 2. (a) The sum of \$2,936,000, or as much thereof as
- 17 may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the restricted
- 18 receipts account of the State Board of Medicine, as authorized
- 19 by section 907(a) of the act of October 15, 1975 (P.L.390,

- 1 No.111), known as the Health Care Services Malpractice Act, for
- 2 the operation of the board for the fiscal year July 1, 1998, to
- 3 June 30, 1999.
- 4 (b) The sum of \$470,000, or as much thereof as may be
- 5 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the restricted receipts
- 6 account of the State Board of Osteopathic Medicine, as
- 7 authorized by section 907(b) of the Health Care Services
- 8 Malpractice Act, for the operation of the board for the fiscal
- 9 year July 1, 1998, to June 30, 1999.
- 10 (c) The sum of \$158,000, or as much thereof as may be
- 11 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the restricted receipts
- 12 account of the State Board of Podiatry, as authorized by section
- 13 907(c) of the Health Care Services Malpractice Act, for the
- 14 operation of said board for the fiscal year July 1, 1998, to
- 15 June 30, 1999.
- 16 (d) The sum of \$305,000, or as much thereof as may be
- 17 necessary, is hereby appropriated from the Athletic Commission
- 18 Augmentation Account for the State Athletic Commission, as
- 19 authorized by 5 Pa.C.S. § 1512 (relating to Athletic Commission
- 20 Augmentation Account), for the support and operation of the
- 21 commission for the fiscal year July 1, 1998, to June 30, 1999.
- 22 (e) Each appropriation listed in subsections (a), (b), (c)
- 23 and (d) shall not be treated as an augmentation to the
- 24 Department of State, general government appropriation, or any
- 25 other appropriation, but shall be treated and accounted for as
- 26 separate appropriations respectively.
- 27 Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 1998, or
- 28 immediately, whichever is later.