

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 421 Session of 1997

INTRODUCED BY BRIGHTBILL, SALVATORE, WENGER, WOZNIAK, MUSTO, SCHWARTZ, O'PAKE, HECKLER, ROBBINS, RHOADES, MOWERY, AFFLERBACH, HART, HUGHES, KITCHEN, MURPHY, WHITE AND WILLIAMS, FEBRUARY 10, 1997

AS AMENDED ON THIRD CONSIDERATION, JUNE 2, 1997

AN ACT

1 Repealing certain mandates imposed on counties; and discharging
2 certain liabilities of counties.

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

5 Section 1. Repeals.

6 ~~(a) Absolute.~~ The following acts and parts of acts are <—
7 repealed:

8 Section ~~505~~ 505(A) of the act of October 20, 1966 (3rd <—
9 Sp.Sess., P.L.96, No.6), known as the Mental Health and Mental
10 Retardation Act of 1966.

11 Section 408 of the act of July 9, 1976 (P.L.817, No.143),
12 known as the Mental Health Procedures Act.

13 ~~(b) Other. As much as relates to public nursing homes in <—
14 section 472 of the act of June 13, 1967 (P.L.31, No.21), known
15 as the Public Welfare Code, is repealed.~~

16 Section 2. Discharge of certain liabilities of counties and
17 county authorities.

1 All liability of counties and county authorities under
2 section ~~505~~ 505(A) of the act of October 20, 1966 (3rd Sp.Sess., ←
3 P.L.96, No.6), known as the Mental Health and Mental Retardation
4 Act of 1966, in existence on the effective date of this act, is
5 discharged.

6 Section 3. Effective date.

7 This act shall take effect immediately.