

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1427 Session of
1999

INTRODUCED BY NICKOL, ALLEN, ARGALL, BASTIAN, BENNINGHOFF, BUNT,
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RUBLEY, SATHER, SAYLOR, SEYFERT, STEELMAN, STERN, TIGUE,
TRELLO, VANCE, WOJNAROSKI AND YOUNGBLOOD, MAY 4, 1999

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, MAY 4, 1999

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of August 5, 1941 (P.L.752, No.286), entitled
2 "An act regulating and improving the civil service of certain
3 departments and agencies of the Commonwealth; vesting in the
4 State Civil Service Commission and a Personnel Director
5 certain powers and duties; providing for classification of
6 positions, adoption of compensation schedules and
7 certification of payrolls; imposing duties upon certain
8 officers and employees of the Commonwealth; authorizing
9 service to other State departments or agencies and political
10 subdivisions of the Commonwealth in matters relating to civil
11 service; defining certain crimes and misdemeanors; imposing
12 penalties; making certain appropriations, and repealing
13 certain acts and parts thereof," further providing for
14 political activity.

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

17 Section 1. Section 905.2 of the act of August 5, 1941
18 (P.L.752, No.286), known as the Civil Service Act, is amended by
19 adding a subsection to read:

20 Section 905.2. Political Activity.--* * *

21 (d.1) Notwithstanding anything in this section or any other
22 act to the contrary, persons in the classified service may serve

1 as election officers under section 402 of the act of June 3,
2 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known as the "Pennsylvania Election
3 Code," provided that they are qualified registered electors of
4 the district in which they are elected or appointed.

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6 Section 2. The act of June 3, 1937 (P.L.1333, No.320), known
7 as the Pennsylvania Election Code, is repealed insofar as it is
8 inconsistent with this act.

9 Section 3. This act shall take effect in 60 days.