

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

**SENATE BILL**

**No. 519**      Session of  
2005

INTRODUCED BY KASUNIC, FERLO, ERICKSON, LOGAN, COSTA, LAVALLE,  
STOUT, MUSTO, KITCHEN, BOSCOLA AND RAFFERTY, MARCH 29, 2005

REFERRED TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT, MARCH 29, 2005

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 21, 1939 (P.L.626, No.294), entitled  
2 "An act providing for and regulating the assessment and  
3 valuation of all subjects of taxation in counties of the  
4 second class; creating and prescribing the powers and duties  
5 of a Board of Property Assessment, Appeals and Review;  
6 imposing duties on certain county and city officers;  
7 abolishing the board for the assessment and revision of taxes  
8 in such counties; and prescribing penalties," further  
9 providing for powers and duties of the Board of Property  
10 Assessment, Appeals and Review.

11 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
12 hereby enacts as follows:

13 Section 1. Section 4(c) of the act of June 21, 1939  
14 (P.L.626, No.294), referred to as the Second Class County  
15 Assessment Law, is amended to read:

16 Section 4. The Board of Property Assessment, Appeals and  
17 Review shall have power and its duty shall be:

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19 (c) To hear all cases of appeals from assessments, and all  
20 complaints as to assessments, errors, exonerations and  
21 refunds[.], provided that, and notwithstanding any other  
22 provision of law to the contrary, the board is prohibited from

1 imposing or assessing any type of fee relating to any case heard  
2 by it pursuant to the authority conferred under this subsection.

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