THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1289 Session of 2007

INTRODUCED BY D. EVANS, MAY 8, 2007

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, MAY 8, 2007

AN ACT

1 Making an appropriation from a restricted revenue account within 2 the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the

3 Pennsylvania 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 Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
- 10 to provide for the operation of the commission for the fiscal
- 11 year July 1, 2007, to June 30, 2008, for the purposes and in the
- 12 amounts shown:

13 Federal State

- 14 For the salaries, wages and all
- 15 necessary expenses for the proper
- 16 operation and administration of the
- 17 Pennsylvania Public Utility
- 18 Commission, including the chairman and

- 1 commissioners and the Bureau of Safety
- 2 and Enforcement.
- 3 State appropriation..... 51,483,000
- 4 The following Federal augmentation
- 5 amounts, or as much thereof as may be
- 6 necessary, are specifically
- 7 appropriated to supplement the sum
- 8 authorized to be billed to utilities
- 9 for the operation of the commission:
- 10 (1) "Natural Gas Pipeline
- 11 Safety" To enforce the
- 12 regulations of the Natural Gas
- 13 Pipeline Safety Act.
- Federal appropriation..... 1,347,000
- 15 (2) "Motor Carrier Safety."
- Federal appropriation..... 1,580,000
- 17 Any Federal funds which the
- 18 Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
- 19 receives pursuant to these
- 20 appropriations shall not be reimbursed
- 21 to any utility.
- 22 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, or
- 23 immediately, whichever is later.