

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2826 Session of  
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INTRODUCED BY HANNA, BENNINGHOFF, BRENNAN, CARROLL, FABRIZIO,  
GALLOWAY, GIBBONS, KORTZ, MAHONEY, SIPTROTH, SOLOBAY AND  
SURRA, OCTOBER 15, 2008

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, OCTOBER 15, 2008

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(d) of act of August 5, 1941  
18 (P.L.752, No.286), known as the Civil Service Act, added June  
19 26, 1989 (P.L.47, No.10), is amended to read:

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

21 (d) Notwithstanding anything in this section or any other  
22 act to the contrary, no person shall be deemed ineligible for:

23 (1) the office of school director; or

1        (2) the office of magisterial district judge  
2 solely on the basis that such person is a member of the  
3 classified service under this act.

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