
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2287 Session of
2010

INTRODUCED BY D. EVANS, MARCH 5, 2010

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, MARCH 5, 2010

AN ACT

1 Making appropriations from a restricted revenue account within
2 the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the
3 Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission; and providing for the
4 additional appropriation of Federal funds from the General
5 Fund to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission for the
6 fiscal year July 1, 2009, to June 30, 2010.

7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
8 hereby enacts as follows:

9 Section 1. (a) The following sums, or as much thereof as
10 may be necessary, are specifically appropriated from the
11 restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from
12 Federal augmentation funds to the Pennsylvania Public Utility
13 Commission to provide for the operation of the commission for
14 the fiscal year July 1, 2010, to June 30, 2011, for the purposes
15 and in the amounts shown:

16 Federal State

17 For the salaries, wages and all
18 necessary expenses for the proper
19 operation and administration of the
20 Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission,

1 including the chairman and
2 commissioners and the Bureau of Safety
3 and Enforcement.

4 State appropriation..... 56,003,000

5 The following Federal augmentation
6 amounts, or as much thereof as may be
7 necessary, are specifically
8 appropriated to supplement the sum
9 authorized to be billed to utilities
10 for the operation of the commission:

11 (1) "Natural Gas Pipeline
12 Safety" - To enforce the regulations
13 of the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety
14 Act.

15 Federal appropriation..... 1,501,000

16 (2) "Motor Carrier Safety."

17 Federal appropriation..... 1,888,000

18 (3) "ARRA - Electric Regulatory
19 Assistance."

20 Federal appropriation..... 868,000

21 Any Federal funds which the
22 Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
23 receives pursuant to these
24 appropriations shall not be reimbursed
25 to any utility.

26 (b) The following Federal amounts, or as much thereof as may
27 be necessary, are hereby appropriated to the Pennsylvania Public
28 Utility Commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2009, to June 30,
29 2010, for the purposes and in the amounts as shown, including
30 the payment of bills remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal

1 year ending June 30, 2009:

2 "ARRA - Electric Regulatory

3 Assistance."

4 Federal appropriation..... 1,068,000

5 (c) For purposes of this section, "ARRA" means the American

6 Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (Public Law 111-5, 123

7 Stat. 115).

8 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, or

9 immediately, whichever is later.