
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 590 Session of
2013

INTRODUCED BY VULAKOVICH, TEPLITZ, RAFFERTY, BREWSTER,
HUTCHINSON, HUGHES AND WASHINGTON, MARCH 1, 2013

REFERRED TO COMMUNITY, ECONOMIC AND RECREATIONAL DEVELOPMENT,
MARCH 1, 2013

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 4 (Amusements) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated
2 Statutes, further providing for general and specific powers,
3 for gross terminal revenue deductions and for itemized budget
4 reporting.

5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
6 hereby enacts as follows:

7 Section 1. Sections 1202(b)(28) and (29), 1402(a)(4) and
8 1402.1(a) of Title 4 of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes
9 are amended to read:

10 § 1202. General and specific powers.

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12 (b) Specific powers.--The board shall have the specific
13 power and duty:

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15 (28) To prepare and, through the Governor, submit
16 annually to the General Assembly an itemized budget
17 consistent with Article VI of the act of April 9, 1929
18 (P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of 1929,

1 consisting of the amounts necessary to be appropriated by the
2 General Assembly out of the accounts established under
3 section 1401 (relating to slot machine licensee deposits)
4 required to meet the obligations accruing during the fiscal
5 period beginning July 1 of the following year. The budget
6 shall include itemized recommendations for the Attorney
7 General, the Auditor General, the department and the
8 Pennsylvania State Police as to the amount needed to meet
9 their obligations under this part.

10 (29) In the event that, in any year, appropriations for
11 the administration of this part are not enacted by June 30,
12 any funds appropriated for the administration of this part
13 which are unexpended, uncommitted and unencumbered at the end
14 of a fiscal year shall remain available for expenditure by
15 the board [or other agency to which they were appropriated],
16 the department, the Pennsylvania State Police, the Auditor
17 General or the Attorney General until the enactment of
18 appropriation for the ensuing fiscal year.

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20 § 1402. Gross terminal revenue deductions.

21 (a) Deductions.--After determining the appropriate
22 assessments for each slot machine licensee, the department shall
23 determine costs, expenses or payments from each account
24 established under section 1401 (relating to slot machine
25 licensee deposits). The following costs and expenses shall be
26 transferred to the appropriate agency upon appropriation by the
27 General Assembly:

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29 (4) The costs and expenses to be incurred by the
30 Pennsylvania State Police, the Office of the Auditor General

1 and the Office of Attorney General and not otherwise
2 reimbursed under this part in carrying out their respective
3 responsibilities under this part based upon budgets submitted
4 by the Pennsylvania State Police, the Auditor General and the
5 Attorney General under section 1402.1.

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7 § 1402.1. Itemized budget reporting.

8 (a) Submission.--The board, department, Pennsylvania State
9 Police, Office of the Auditor General and Office of Attorney
10 General shall prepare and annually submit to the chairman of the
11 Appropriations Committee of the Senate and the chairman of the
12 Appropriations Committee of the House of Representatives an
13 itemized budget consisting of amounts to be appropriated out of
14 the accounts established under section 1401 (relating to slot
15 machine licensee deposits) necessary to administer this part.
16 The department, Pennsylvania State Police, Office of the Auditor
17 General and Office of Attorney General shall provide copies of
18 their itemized budgets to the board at the same time they are
19 submitted to the chairmen of the committees.

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