

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 432 Session of 2015

INTRODUCED BY CARROLL, V. BROWN, COHEN, D. COSTA, DAVIDSON,
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SCHLOSSBERG, SCHWEYER AND THOMAS, FEBRUARY 10, 2015

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON HUMAN SERVICES, FEBRUARY 10, 2015

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), entitled
2 "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the
3 executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the
4 Executive Department thereof and the administrative
5 departments, boards, commissions, and officers thereof,
6 including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or
7 Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reorganizing or
8 authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative
9 departments, boards, and commissions; defining the powers and
10 duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative
11 officers, and of the several administrative departments,
12 boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the
13 Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive
14 and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of
15 certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and
16 other assistants and employees in certain departments, boards,
17 and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the
18 number and compensation of the deputies and all other
19 assistants and employees of certain departments, boards and
20 commissions shall be determined," in powers and duties of the
21 Department of Human Services and its departmental
22 administrative and advisory boards and commissions, providing
23 for housing for mentally ill inmates of county correctional
24 institutions.

25 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
26 hereby enacts as follows:

27 Section 1. The act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177, No.175), known
28 as The Administrative Code of 1929, is amended by adding a

1 section to read:

2 Section 2336. Housing for Mentally Ill Inmates of County
3 Correctional Institutions.--The Department of Human Services
4 shall construct and operate an appropriate facility for mentally
5 ill inmates of county correctional institutions who are unable
6 to be accommodated at an existing State mental health facility.

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