
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 2290 Session of
2015

INTRODUCED BY MICCARELLI, AUGUST 16, 2016

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON COMMERCE, AUGUST 16, 2016

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of March 29, 1803 (P.L.542, No.156), entitled
2 "An act to establish a Board of Wardens for the port of
3 Philadelphia, and for the regulation of pilots and pilotages,
4 and for other purposes therein mentioned," further providing
5 for fees.

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

8 Section 1. Section 37 of the act of March 29, 1803 (P.L.542,
9 No.156), entitled "An act to establish a Board of Wardens for
10 the port of Philadelphia, and for the regulation of pilots and
11 pilotages, and for other purposes therein mentioned," added June
12 23, 1993 (P.L.114, No.27), is amended to read:

13 Section 37. (a) All pilots, upon being issued an original
14 license or upon renewal thereof, shall pay to the Navigation
15 Commission a fee to be fixed by the Navigation Commission by
16 regulation but not to exceed [two hundred fifty] four hundred
17 dollars, which shall be subject to review in accordance with the
18 act of June 25, 1982 (P.L.633, No.181), known as the "Regulatory
19 Review Act." If the projected revenues to be generated by fees,
20 fines and civil penalties imposed under this act are not

1 sufficient to match expenditures over the renewal period, the
2 Navigation Commission shall increase the fees by regulation,
3 subject to review under the "Regulatory Review Act," so that the
4 projected revenues will meet or exceed projected expenditures:
5 Provided, however, That the total amount of any such fee may not
6 exceed five hundred and twenty-five dollars annually.

7 (b) If the Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs
8 determines that the fees established by the Navigation
9 Commission are inadequate to meet the minimum enforcement
10 efforts required, the Bureau of Professional and Occupational
11 Affairs, after consultation with the Navigation Commission,
12 shall increase the fees by regulation subject to review under
13 the "Regulatory Review Act" so that adequate revenue is raised
14 to meet the required enforcement effort[.]: Provided, however,
15 That the total amount of any such fee may not exceed five
16 hundred and twenty-five dollars annually.

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