
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 287 Session of
2015

INTRODUCED BY RAFFERTY, VULAKOVICH, EICHELBERGER AND SCAVELLO,
JANUARY 16, 2015

REFERRED TO TRANSPORTATION, JANUARY 16, 2015

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of June 12, 1931 (P.L.575, No.200), entitled
2 "An act providing for joint action by Pennsylvania and New
3 Jersey in the development of the ports on the lower Delaware
4 River, and the improvement of the facilities for
5 transportation across the river; authorizing the Governor,
6 for these purposes, to enter into an agreement with New
7 Jersey; creating The Delaware River Joint Commission and
8 specifying the powers and duties thereof, including the power
9 to finance projects by the issuance of revenue bonds;
10 transferring to the new commission all the powers of the
11 Delaware River Bridge Joint Commission; and making an
12 appropriation," providing for gubernatorial veto.

13 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
14 hereby enacts as follows:

15 Section 1. The act of June 12, 1931 (P.L.575, No.200),
16 entitled "An act providing for joint action by Pennsylvania and
17 New Jersey in the development of the ports on the lower Delaware
18 River, and the improvement of the facilities for transportation
19 across the river; authorizing the Governor, for these purposes,
20 to enter into an agreement with New Jersey; creating The
21 Delaware River Joint Commission and specifying the powers and
22 duties thereof, including the power to finance projects by the
23 issuance of revenue bonds; transferring to the new commission

1 all the powers of the Delaware River Bridge Joint Commission;
2 and making an appropriation," is amended by adding a section to
3 read:

4 Section 3.1. Under the second paragraph of Article III of
5 the agreement under section 1:

6 (1) The commissioners for the Commonwealth shall transmit to
7 the Governor a certified copy of the minutes of each meeting of
8 the commission.

9 (2) Within ten business days after receipt of the copy under
10 paragraph (1), the Governor may veto the action of a
11 commissioner for the Commonwealth.

12 (3) An action vetoed under paragraph (2) shall be void.

13 Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.