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AS REPORTED FROM COMMITTEE ON STATE GOVERNMENT, HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, AS AMENDED, SEPTEMBER 25, 2018

AN ACT

1 Abolishing numerous State authorities, boards, commissions,
2 committees, councils and representatives; and making related
3 repeals.

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

6 Section 1. State authorities, boards, commissions, committees,
7 councils and representatives abolishment.

8 The following State authorities, boards, commissions,
9 committees, councils and representatives, as established by law,
10 are abolished:

11 ~~(1) The Interagency Coordinating Council within the~~ <--
12 ~~Department of Education.~~

13 ~~(2)~~ (1) The Advisory Committee on Probation within the <--
14 Pennsylvania Board of Probation and Parole.

15 ~~(3) The Health Careers Leadership Council within the~~ <--
16 ~~Pennsylvania Center for Health Careers within the Department~~
17 ~~of Labor and Industry.~~

1 ~~(4)~~ (2) The Industrial Resource Center Strategic <--
2 Advisory Board within the Department of Community and
3 Economic Development.

4 ~~(5)~~ (3) The Interstate Rail Passenger Advisory Council <--
5 created under the Interstate High Speed Rail Passenger
6 Network Compact.

7 ~~(6)~~ (4) The joint committee to review the cost-of-living <--
8 supplements under 24 Pa.C.S. § 8348 (relating to supplemental
9 annuities) and 71 Pa.C.S. § 5708 (relating to supplemental
10 annuities).

11 ~~(7)~~ (5) The legislative representative for collective <--
12 bargaining appointed under section 214 of the act of August
13 5, 1941 (P.L.752, No.286), known as the Civil Service Act.

14 ~~(8) The committee established under 65 Pa.C.S. § <--
15 13A10(d) (relating to registration fees; fund established;
16 system; regulations) to establish lobbying disclosure
17 regulations.~~

18 (6) THE WEATHER MODIFICATION BOARD WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT <--
19 OF AGRICULTURE.

20 ~~(9)~~ (7) The Pennsylvania Public Television Network <--
21 Commission.

22 ~~(10)~~ (8) The Pennsylvania Quality Leadership Awards <--
23 Council.

24 ~~(11)~~ (9) The Small Business Advocacy Council within the <--
25 Department of Community and Economic Development.

26 ~~(12)~~ (10) The Tobacco Use Prevention and Cessation <--
27 Advisory Committee within the Department of Health.

28 ~~(13) The Voting Standards Development Board within the <--
29 Department of State.~~

30 Section 2. Repeals.

1 Repeals are as follows:

2 (1) The General Assembly declares that the repeals under
3 paragraph (2) are necessary to effectuate the provisions of
4 this act.

5 (2) The following acts and parts of acts are repealed:

6 ~~(i) Article XXVIII C of the act of April 9, 1929~~ <--
7 ~~(P.L.177, No.175), known as The Administrative Code of~~
8 ~~1929.~~

9 ~~(ii) Section 204 of the act of June 3, 1937~~
10 ~~(P.L.1333, No.320), known as the Pennsylvania Election~~
11 ~~Code.~~

12 ~~(iii) (I) Section 214 of the act of August 5, 1941~~ <--
13 ~~(P.L.752, No.286), known as the Civil Service Act.~~

14 (II) SECTION 3 OF THE ACT OF JANUARY 19, (1968) 1967 <--
15 (P.L.1024, NO.449), ENTITLED "AN ACT PROVIDING
16 TEMPORARILY FOR THE REGULATION AND LICENSING OF RAIN-
17 MAKING ACTIVITIES; CREATING A WEATHER MODIFICATION BOARD
18 WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND DEFINING ITS
19 POWERS AND DUTIES; IMPOSING POWERS AND DUTIES ON THE
20 DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND CERTAIN OTHER STATE
21 AGENCIES; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES."

22 ~~(iv) (III) Sections 2 and 3 of the act of November~~ <--
23 ~~20, 1968 (P.L.1075, No.329), referred to as the Public~~
24 ~~Television Network System Law.~~

25 ~~(v) (IV) Section 3 of the act of December 18, 1979~~ <--
26 ~~(P.L.566, No.130), entitled "An act amending Titles 24~~
27 ~~(Education) and 71 (State Government) of the Pennsylvania~~
28 ~~Consolidated Statutes, further providing for a cost-of-~~
29 ~~living increase to annuitants."~~

30 ~~(vi) (V) Article III of the act of June 22, 1980~~ <--

1 (P.L.259, No.75), entitled "An act adopting the
2 interstate high speed intercity rail passenger network
3 compact and for related purposes."

4 ~~(vii)~~ (VI) Section 6 of the act of October 22, 1986 <--
5 (P.L.1452, No.143), known as the Pennsylvania Adult and
6 Family Literacy Education Act.

7 ~~(viii)~~ (VII) Section 5 of the act of November 24, <--
8 1992 (P.L.732, No.111), known as the Pennsylvania Quality
9 Improvement Act.

10 ~~(ix)~~ (VIII) Chapter 7 of the act of June 27, 1996 <--
11 (P.L.403, No.58), known as the Community and Economic
12 Development Enhancement Act.

13 ~~(x)~~ (IX) Section 9 of the act of June 22, 2001 <--
14 (P.L.400, No.31), known as the Industrial Resources
15 Center Partnership Act.

16 ~~(xi)~~ (X) Section 705 of the act of June 26, 2001 <--
17 (P.L.755, No.77), known as the Tobacco Settlement Act.

18 ~~(xii) Section 302(a)(3)(v.1) of the act of December <--
19 18, 2001 (P.L.949, No.114), known as the Workforce
20 Development Act.~~

21 ~~(xiii)~~ (XI) 61 Pa.C.S. § 6123. <--

22 ~~(xiv) 65 Pa.C.S. § 13A10(d).~~ <--

23 Section 3. Effective date.

24 This act shall take effect in 60 days.