
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 596 Session of
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LANGERHOLC, APRIL 13, 2017

REFERRED TO STATE GOVERNMENT, APRIL 13, 2017

AN ACT

1 Amending Title 65 (Public Officers) of the Pennsylvania
2 Consolidated Statutes, in ethics standards and financial
3 disclosure, further providing for restricted activities.

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

6 Section 1. Section 1103 of Title 65 of the Pennsylvania
7 Consolidated Statutes is amended by adding a subsection to read:
8 § 1103. Restricted activities.

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10 (k) Appointment to governmental body.--

11 (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2), a public
12 official may not accept an appointment to a governmental body
13 for one year after the public official leaves office as a
14 result of:

15 (i) retirement;

16 (ii) resignation prior to the completion of the term
17 for which the public official was elected or appointed;

18 or

1 (iii) defeat in a primary, municipal or general
2 election.

3 (2) Paragraph (1) shall not apply if the public official
4 is elected to the governmental body through a primary,
5 municipal or general election.

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