THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 1123 Session of 2019

INTRODUCED BY ORTITAY, APRIL 8, 2019

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS, APRIL 8, 2019

AN ACT

Making appropriations from the General Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2 2019, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining 3 unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020. 4 5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows: 7 PART I PRELIMINARY PROVISIONS 8 Section 101. Short title. 10 This act shall be known and may be cited as the Appropriation 11 Act of 2019 - Department of Labor and Industry. 12 PART III 13 GENERAL FUND APPROPRIATIONS FOR 2019-2020 14 15 Section 301. Appropriations from General Fund. 16 The following amounts, or as much thereof as may be 17 necessary, are hereby appropriated from the General Fund to the 18 Department of Labor and Industry for the purposes specified in 19 this part for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2019, and for

1	the payment of bills incurred and re	emaining unpaid a	t the close
2	of the fiscal year ending June 30,	2020:	
3		Federal	State
4	For general government		
5	operations of the Department of		
6	Labor and Industry.		
7	State appropriation		13,401,000
8	The following Federal amounts		
9	are appropriated to supplement		
10	the sum appropriated for general		
11	government operations:		
12	(1) "Workforce Innovation and		
13	Opportunity Act -		
14	Administration."		
15	Federal appropriation	11,000,000	
16	(2) (Reserved).		
17	(3) "Community Service and		
18	Corps."		
19	Federal appropriation	12,857,000	
20	(4) "Disability		
21	Determination."		
22	Federal appropriation	139,579,000	
23	(5) "New Hires."		
24	Federal appropriation	1,534,000	
25	For occupational and		
26	industrial safety.		
27	State appropriation		5,054,000
28	The following Federal amounts		
29	are appropriated to supplement		
30	the sum appropriated for		

1	occupational and industrial	
2	safety:	
3	(1) "Lead Certification and	
4	Accreditation."	
5	Federal appropriation	227,000
6	For occupational disease	
7	payments.	
8	State appropriation	362,000
9	For transfer from the General	
10	Fund to the Vocational	
11	Rehabilitation Fund for work of	
12	the State Board of Vocational	
13	Rehabilitation.	
14	State appropriation	45,626,000
15	For supported employment.	
16	State appropriation	397,000
17	For centers for independent	
18	living, including independent	
19	living services purchased by	
20	Office of Vocational	
21	Rehabilitation District Offices.	
22	State appropriation	1,912,000
23	To carry out the provisions of	
24	section 306(h) of the act of June	
25	2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known	
26	as the Workers' Compensation Act.	
27	State appropriation	433,000
28	For Assistive Technology	
29	Financing.	
30	State appropriation	450,000

- 1 For Assistive Technology
- 2 Demonstration and Training.
- 3 State appropriation.....

400,000

- 4 The following Federal amounts
- 5 are appropriated for employment
- 6 services:
- 7 (1) "Reed Act Unemployment
- 8 Insurance." For administrative
- 9 expenses of the unemployment
- 10 insurance program.
- 11 Federal appropriation.... 5,000,000
- 12 (2) "Reed Act Employment
- 13 Services and Unemployment
- 14 Insurance."
- 15 (a) For administrative
- 16 expenses of the public employment
- 17 offices and unemployment
- 18 insurance program, including
- 19 staff and related costs to
- 20 provide reemployment services to
- 21 unemployment claimants to enhance
- 22 the public employment service and
- 23 PA CareerLink service delivery
- 24 systems and to train and give
- 25 technical assistance and
- 26 professional development to staff
- 27 who deliver employment and
- 28 workforce services.
- 29 (b) For administrative
- 30 expenses of unemployment

- 1 insurance program, including
- 2 improvements to the unemployment
- 3 insurance program's information
- 4 processing and telecommunications
- 5 systems and applications;
- 6 staffing; service contracts and
- 7 technology to address the
- 8 unemployment compensation program
- 9 appeals workload; and interest
- 10 payments on loans.
- 11 Federal appropriation.... 72,000,000
- 12 (3) (Reserved).
- 13 (4) "WIOA Adult Employment
- 14 and Training."
- Federal appropriation.... 50,000,000
- 16 (5) (Reserved).
- 17 (6) "WIOA Youth Employment
- 18 and Training."
- 19 Federal appropriation.... 52,000,000
- 20 (7) (Reserved).
- 21 (8) "WIOA Statewide
- 22 Activities."
- Federal appropriation.... 18,000,000
- 24 (9) (Reserved).
- 25 (10) "WIOA Dislocated
- Workers."
- Federal appropriation.... 109,000,000
- 28 (11) "TANFBG Youth
- 29 Employment and Training."
- Federal appropriation.... 25,000,000

1	For New Choices/New Options.
2	State appropriation 500,000
3	For industry partnerships.
4	State appropriation 4,813,000
5	For apprenticeship training.
6	State appropriation 7,000,000
7	PART V
8	MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS
9	Section 501. (Reserved).
10	Section 502. Effective date.
11	This act shall take effect July 1, 2019, or immediately,
12	whichever is later.