THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 236 Session of 2019

INTRODUCED BY BROWNE, FEBRUARY 7, 2019

REFERRED TO APPROPRIATIONS, FEBRUARY 7, 2019

AN ACT

1 Making appropriations from the Workmen's Compensation
2   Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry
3   and the Department of Community and Economic Development to
4   provide for the expenses of administering the Workers'
5   Compensation Act, The Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act
6   and the Office of Small Business Advocate for the fiscal year
7   July 1, 2019, to June 30, 2020, and for the payment of bills
8   incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year
9   ending June 30, 2019.

10 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

11 hereby enacts as follows:

12   Section 1. The sum of $71,215,000, or as much thereof as may

13 be necessary, is appropriated from the Workmen's Compensation

14 Administration Fund to the Department of Labor and Industry for

15 the payment of all salaries, wages and other compensation and

16 travel expenses, for contractual services and other expenses

17 necessary for the administration of the act of June 2, 1915

18 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the Workers' Compensation Act, and

19 the act of June 21, 1939 (P.L.566, No.284), known as The

20 Pennsylvania Occupational Disease Act, for the fiscal year

21 beginning July 1, 2019, and for the payment of bills incurred

22 and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending June

1 30, 2019.

2   Section 2. The sum of $275,000 is appropriated from the

3 restricted revenue account within the Workmen's Compensation

4 Administration Fund to the Office of Small Business Advocate in

5 the Department of Community and Economic Development as provided

6 in the act of June 2, 1915 (P.L.736, No.338), known as the

7 Workers' Compensation Act, for the operation of that office for

8 the fiscal year July 1, 2019, to June 30, 2020.

9   Section 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2019, or

10 immediately, whichever is later.