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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATE BILL

No. 1244 Session of  
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INTRODUCED BY BROOKS, ROBINSON, TARTAGLIONE, VOGEL, SCHWANK,  
KEARNEY AND MILLER, JUNE 7, 2024

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REFERRED TO LABOR AND INDUSTRY, JUNE 7, 2024

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of December 5, 1936 (2nd Sp.Sess., 1937  
2 P.L.2897, No.1), entitled "An act establishing a system of  
3 unemployment compensation to be administered by the  
4 Department of Labor and Industry and its existing and newly  
5 created agencies with personnel (with certain exceptions)  
6 selected on a civil service basis; requiring employers to  
7 keep records and make reports, and certain employers to pay  
8 contributions based on payrolls to provide moneys for the  
9 payment of compensation to certain unemployed persons;  
10 providing procedure and administrative details for the  
11 determination, payment and collection of such contributions  
12 and the payment of such compensation; providing for  
13 cooperation with the Federal Government and its agencies;  
14 creating certain special funds in the custody of the State  
15 Treasurer; and prescribing penalties," in contributions by  
16 employers and employees, further providing for contributions  
17 by employees.

18 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
19 hereby enacts as follows:

20 Section 1. Section 301.4(e) of the act of December 5, 1936  
21 (2nd Sp.Sess., 1937 P.L.2897, No.1), known as the Unemployment  
22 Compensation Law, is amended by adding a paragraph to read:

23 Section 301.4. Contributions by Employees.--\* \* \*

24 (e) Contributions paid under this section shall be allocated  
25 by the department among the Unemployment Compensation Fund, the

1 Reemployment Fund and the Service and Infrastructure Improvement  
2 Fund as follows:

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4 (1.1) Five per centum (5%) of the contributions on wages  
5 paid from October 1, 2024, through September 30, 2028, shall be  
6 deposited into the Reemployment Fund to the extent the  
7 contributions are paid on or before December 31, 2028.

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