
LEGISLATURE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

FILE OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.**No.****929****Session of
1919.**

INTRODUCED BY MR. MANGAN, MARCH 12, 1919.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON MANUFACTURES, MARCH 17, 1919.

AN ACT

To amend sections one and nineteen of an act approved the second day of May one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act to regulate the employment in all kinds of industrial establishments of women and children employed at wages or salary by regulating the age at which minors can be employed and the mode of certifying the same and by fixing the hours of labor for women and minors to provide for the safety of all employes in all industrial establishments and of men women and children in school-houses academies seminaries colleges hotels hospitals storehouses office buildings public halls and places of amusements in which proper fire-escapes exits and extinguishers are required to provide for the health of all employes and of men women and children in all such establishments storehouses and buildings by proper sanitary appliances and to provide for the appointment

of inspectors office clerks and others who with the Chief Factory Inspector shall constitute the Department of Factory Inspection to enforce the same and providing penalties for violations of the provision thereof fixing the term and salaries of the Chief Factory Inspector and his appointees"

1 Section 1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Repre-*
2 *sentatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly*
3 *met and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same* That
4 section one of an act approved the second day of May
5 one thousand nine hundred and five (Pamphlet Laws three
6 hundred fifty-two) entitled "An act to regulate the em-
7 ployment in all kinds of industrial establishments of women
8 and children employed at wages or salary by regulating
9 the age at which minors can be employed and the
10 mode of certifying the same and by fixing the hours
11 of labor for women and minors to provide for the safety
12 of all employes in all industrial establishments and of
13 men women and children in school-houses academies semin-
14 aries colleges hotels hospitals storehouses office buildings
15 public halls and places of amusements in which proper
16 fire-escapes exits and extinguishers are required to provide
17 for the health of all employes and of men women and
18 children in all such establishments storehouses and build-
19 ings by proper sanitary appliances and to provide for
20 the appointment of inspectors office clerks and others who
21 with the Chief Factory Inspector shall constitute the De-
22 partment of Factory Inspection to enforce the same and
23 providing penalties for violations of the provisions thereof

1 fixing the term and salaries of the Chief Factory In-
2 spector and his appointees" which reads as follows

3 "Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House
4 of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in
5 General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the
6 authority of the same That the term "establishment" where
7 used for the purpose of this act shall mean any place
8 within this Commonwealth other than where domestic coal-
9 mining or farm labor is employed where men women or
10 children are engaged and paid a salary or wages by
11 any person firm or corporation and where such men
12 women or children are employes in the general accept-
13 ance of the term" is hereby amended to read as follows

14 Section 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House
15 of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in
16 General Assembly met and it is hereby enacted by the
17 authority of the same That the term "establishment" where
18 used for the purpose of this act except as otherwise
19 herein provided for shall mean any place within this
20 Commonwealth other than where domestic coal-mining or
21 farm labor is employed where men women or children
22 are engaged and paid a salary or wages by any per-
23 son firm or corporation and where such men women or
24 children are employes in the general acceptance of the
25 term

26 Section 2 That section nineteen of said act which
27 reads as follows

28 "Section 19 All boilers used for generating steam or
29 heat in any establishment shall be kept in good order

1 and the owner agent or lessee of such establishment shall
2 have said boilers inspected by a casualty company in
3 which said boilers are insured or by any other compe-
4 tent person approved by the Chief Factory Inspector once
5 in twelve months and shall file a certificate showing the
6 result thereof in the office of such establishment and shall
7 send a duplicate thereof to the Department of Factory
8 Inspection Each boiler or nest of boilers used for gen-
9 erating steam or heat in any establishment shall be pro-
10 vided with a proper safety-valve and with steam and
11 water-gauges to show respectively the pressure of steam
12 and the height of water in the boilers Every boiler-
13 house in which a boiler or nest of boilers is placed
14 shall be provided with a steam gauge properly connected
15 with the boilers and another steam-gauge shall be attached
16 to the steam pipe in the engine-house and so placed
17 that the engineer or fireman can readily ascertain the
18 pressure carried Nothing in this section shall apply to
19 boilers which are regularly inspected by competent inspectors
20 acting under local laws and ordinances" is hereby amended
21 to read as follows

22 Section 19 All boilers used for generating steam or
23 heat in any establishment including those used on or in
24 connection with farms for other than domestic purposes
25 shall be kept in good order and the owner agent or
26 lessee of such establishment shall have said boilers in-
27 spected by a casualty company in which said boilers are
28 insured or by any other competent person approved by
29 the Chief Factory Inspector once in twelve months and

1 shall file a certificate showing the result thereof in the
2 office of such establishment and shall send a duplicate
3 thereof to the Department of Factory Inspection. Each
4 boiler or nest of boilers used for generating steam or
5 heat in any establishment shall be provided with a proper
6 safety-valve and with steam and water gauges to show
7 respectively the pressure of steam and the height of
8 water in the boilers. Every boiler-house in which a boiler
9 or nest of boilers is placed shall be provided with a
10 steam gauge properly connected with the boilers and an-
11 other steam gauge shall be attached to the steam pipe
12 in the engine-house and so placed that the engineer or
13 fireman can readily ascertain the pressure carried. Nothing
14 in this section shall apply to boilers which are regularly
15 inspected by competent inspectors acting under local laws
16 and ordinances.