
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. **233** Session of
1961

INTRODUCED BY MESSRS. McCREESH, WEINER AND CAMIEL,
FEBRUARY 20, 1961.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS,
FEBRUARY 20, 1961.

AN ACT

Permitting any person entitled to vote to absent himself from any
service or employment in which he is then engaged or employed
for a period of two hours in certain cases without deduction
in salary or wages

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania here-
by enacts as follows

- 1 Section 1 Any person entitled to vote at a general municipal spec-
- 2 ial or primary election shall on the day of election be entitled to ab-

EXPLANATION—CAPITAL LETTERS indicate new matter added to bill. Matter stricken-through is to be omitted from bill. Underlining indicates new matter added to existing law. [Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

1 sent himself from any service or employment in which he is then en-
2 gaged or employed for a period of two hours while the polls of the
3 election are open This section shall not apply to a voter on the day of
4 elections if there are two successive hours while the polls of such elec-
5 tion are open in which he is not engaged in any service or employment

6 Section 2 No deduction shall be made from the usual salary or
7 wages of such voter and no other penalty shall be imposed upon him
8 by his employer by reason of such absence

9 (1) If the voter shall notify his employer before the day of elec-
10 tion of such intended absence and

11 (2) If thereupon two successive hours for such absence shall be
12 designated by the employer and such absence shall be during such
13 designated hours or

14 (3) If the employer upon the day of such notice makes no desig-
15 nation and such absence shall be during any two successive hours while
16 the polls are open

17 Section 3 This act shall apply to and include employes of all
18 political subdivisions

We certify that this bill has passed the Senate and the House of
Representatives.

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Chief Clerk, Senate

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President pro tempore, Senate

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Speaker, House of Representatives

Approved 'The day of A. D. 1961.

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Governor