
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. **692** Session of
1961

INTRODUCED BY MESSRS. WEINER AND SEYLER,
MAY 24, 1961.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND INDUSTRY,
MAY 24, 1961.

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 1 1937 (P L 1168) entitled "An act to protect the right of employes to organize and bargain collectively creating the Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board officers of the State government and courts providing for the right of employes to organize and bargain collectively declaring certain labor practices by employers to be unfair further providing that representatives of a majority of

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the employes be the exclusive representatives of all the employes authorizing the board to conduct hearings and elections and certify as to representatives of employes for purposes of collective bargaining empowering the board to prevent any person from engaging in any unfair labor practice and providing a procedure for such cases including the issuance of a complaint the conducting of a hearing and the making of an order empowering the board to petition a court of common pleas for the enforcement of its order and providing a procedure for such cases providing for the review of an order of the board by a court of common pleas on petition of any person aggrieved by such order and establishing a procedure for such cases providing for an appeal from the common pleas court to the Supreme Court providing the board with investigatory powers including the power to issue subpoenas and the compelling of obedience to them through application to the proper court providing for service of papers and process of the board prescribing certain penalties" changing the definition of "employer"

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows

1 Section 1 Clause (c) of section 3 act of June 1 1937 (P L 1168)
2 known as the "Pennsylvania Labor Relations Act" amended June 5
3 1947 (P L 410) is amended to read

4 Section 3 Definitions When used in this act

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6 (c) The term "employer" includes any person acting directly or
7 indirectly in the interest of an employer and shall not be limited to
8 employers engaged in industry commerce trade business or production
9 but shall not include the United States or the Commonwealth or any
10 political subdivision thereof or any municipal authority or any person
11 subject to the Federal Railway Labor Act or any labor organization
12 (other than when acting as an employer) or anyone acting in the capac-
13 ity of officer or agent of such labor organization

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15 Section 2 This act shall take effect immediately

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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. 1861.

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Governor