

No. 332

AN ACT

HB 1970

Amending the act of June 30, 1965 (Act No. 103) (P. L. 153), entitled "An act to create a regional agency by intergovernmental compact for the continuing, comprehensive, coordinated regional planning for the Delaware Valley Urban Area, and defining the functions, powers and duties of such agency," making an exception to the provision that the State of New Jersey shall not have any representation on the board or commission; the exception shall be when the State of New Jersey agrees to pay at least twenty percent of the total program cost.

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

Section 1. Section 2 of Article VI, act of June 30, 1965 (Act No. 103) (P. L. 153), known as the "Delaware Valley Urban Area Compact," is amended to read:

ARTICLE VI

General Provisions

Section 2. Failure of Mutual Ratification.—In the event the State of New Jersey does not enact legislation adequate to the consummation of the interstate compact expressed in this act by June 30, 1965, then this act shall become effective in this Commonwealth on July 1, 1965, and shall be operative in all respects and manners as fully as if the State of New Jersey had enacted such legislation, except that the State of New Jersey and the political subdivisions thereof shall have no official membership on the board or the executive committee of the commission, except as hereinafter provided in this section. In such event the commission shall organize and operate within Pennsylvania, then the Governor of Pennsylvania is authorized to appoint three rather than one member of the commission until the State of New Jersey shall become a party to this compact.

During any interim when the Delaware Valley Regional Planning Commission shall be a public agency of this Commonwealth only, as provided for in this section, the Pennsylvania members of the commission, with the approval of the Governor, are hereby authorized to enter into agreements with the Department of Highways and the Department of Conservation and Economic Development of New Jersey, in such manner and form as provides ad hoc eligibility to New Jersey for the several Federal aids involved in the planning process which is the subject of this act. If such agreement or agreements provide for a payment by the proper agencies of New Jersey of an amount totaling

at least twenty percent of the program costs to be paid by Pennsylvania and New Jersey, New Jersey shall have the same voting rights as if it had enacted this act to create an interstate compact, and the appointees of the Governors shall be limited to one from each state.

No such agreements may exceed in their terms one fiscal year.

At such time as New Jersey shall enact this act to create an interstate compact, then the commission shall organize as expressed herein and the appointees of the Governors shall be limited to one from each state.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 9th day of November, A. D. 1965.

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HB 2010

Amending the act of May 25, 1933 (P. L. 1050), entitled "An act creating and establishing a fund for the care, maintenance, and relief of aged, retired and disabled employes of the bureau of fire in cities of the second class; creating a board for the management thereof; providing the mode and manner of payment to beneficiaries, and for the care and disposition of its funds; and providing for the transfer and payment of all moneys and securities in existing funds in similar boards superseded by the fund and board herein created," authorizing additional supplies and employes for the board; providing for additional contributions by employes; further regulating payments to beneficiaries and their spouses and children.

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

Section 1. Section 6, act of May 25, 1933 (P. L. 1050), entitled "An act creating and establishing a fund for the care, maintenance, and relief of aged, retired and disabled employes of the bureau of fire in cities of the second class; creating a board for the management thereof; providing the mode and manner of payment to beneficiaries, and for the care and disposition of its funds; and providing for the transfer and payment of all moneys and securities in existing funds in similar boards superseded by the fund and board herein created," is amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph to read:

Section 6. * * *

The board may appoint and fix the compensation of such employes