## No. 557

## AN ACT

## HB 2013

Amending the act of June 4, 1943 (P. L. 886), entitled, as amended, "An act creating a Municipal Employes' Retirement System for the payment of retirement allowances to officers and employes of political subdivisions and municipal authorities and of institutions supported and maintained by political subdivisions, and providing for the administration of the same by a board composed of certain State officers and others appointed by the Governor; imposing certain duties on the State Employes' Retirement Board and the actuary thereof; providing the procedure whereby political subdivisions and municipal authorities may join such system, and imposing certain liabilities and obligations on such political subdivisions and municipal authorities in connection therewith, and as to certain existing retirement and pension systems, and upon officers and employes of such political subdivisions, institutions supported and maintained by political subdivisions, and upon municipal authorities; providing certain exemptions from taxation, execution, attachment, levy and sale; and making an appropriation," extending the act to certain "industrial development agencies."

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

Section 1. The definition of "Municipality" in section 2, act of June 4, 1943 (P. L. 886), known as the "Municipal Employes' Retirement Law," amended September 23, 1959 (P. L. 946), is amended to read:

Section 2. Definitions.—The following words and phrases, unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context, shall have the following meanings:

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"Municipality," a city, borough, town, township, county, institution district, [or] an authority created by a city, borough, town, township, county, or county institution district, or jointly by any such political subdivisions, or an industrial development agency as defined by the act of May 31, 1956 (P. L. 1911), known as the "Industrial Development Assistance Law," which has adopted bylaws and the governing body of which is organized and holds regular public meetings.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED-The 25th day of January, A. D. 1966.

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