

(b) The Temporary Supplemental Retirement Allowance [Fund] *Account* for Former State Employees shall be established [and be held separate and apart from any other funds or moneys of the Commonwealth] and shall be used and administered exclusively for the payment of benefits under this act.

Exclusive use.

(c) From the [fund] *account* created by this act, the State Treasurer shall pay, monthly, upon warrant of the Auditor General, pursuant to requisitions received from the State Employees' Retirement Board, the supplemental retirement allowance provided for in section 1 of this act.

Method of payments.

(d) The cost of administration of this act shall be borne by the State Employees' Retirement Board.

Cost of administration of act.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Act effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 13th day of August, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 360

AN ACT

Creating a Legislative Service Agency Committee; defining its powers and duties, and making an appropriation.

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

Legislative Service Agency Committee.

Section 1. The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint four members of the House and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall appoint four senators who, together with the Speaker and the President Pro Tempore as members *ex officio*, shall constitute a joint committee (1) to make a thorough study of the legislative service agencies of the Commonwealth, their functions and activities, (2) to devise means by which to coordinate and make more effective the several legislative services, and (3) to report its findings and recommendations, together with drafts of legislation to put its recommendations into effect, to the General Assembly not later than the first day of February, 1965. Vacancies in the membership of the committee shall be filled in the manner provided for original appointments.

Appointment, purposes, reports.

Section 2. The chairman of the committee shall be appointed by the Speaker and the President Pro Tempore, acting jointly, from among the appointed members. The committee may employ and fix the compensation of an executive director and such counsel, experts, clerks and assistants as may be deemed necessary for the proper conduct of the work of the committee.

Chairman: employes.

Subpoena power :
penalties: oaths.

Section 3. The committee may issue subpoenas, under the hand and seal of its chairman, commanding any person to appear before it and to answer questions touching matters properly being inquired into by the committee and to produce such books, papers, records and documents as the committee deems necessary. Any person who wilfully neglects or refuses to testify before the committee or to produce any books, papers, records or documents shall be subject to the penalties provided by the laws of the Commonwealth in such cases. Each member of the committee shall have power to administer oaths and affirmations to witnesses appearing before the committee.

Appropriation.

Section 4. The sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000), or as much thereof as is necessary, is appropriated for the expenses of the committee in carrying into effect the provisions of this act.

Act effective immediately.

Section 5. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 13th day of August, A. D. 1963.

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No. 361

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 24, 1937 (P. L. 2045), entitled, as amended, "An act relating to the support of indigent persons; providing for the support of such persons by certain relatives, and for the recovery of public moneys expended for care and assistance from the property and estates of certain persons; providing for guardians of the person and property of such persons; providing for the arrest and seizure and sale of the property of deserters; and providing procedure," further regulating liability for and adjustment or recovery of payments of medical assistance for the aged.

The Support Law.

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

Subsection (c), section 4, act of June 24, 1937, P. L. 2045, amended August 22, 1961, P. L. 1029, further amended.

Section 1. Subsection (c) of section 4, act of June 24, 1937 (P. L. 2045), known as "The Support Law," amended August 22, 1961 (P. L. 1029), is amended to read:

Section 4. Property of Persons Liable for Expenses Incurred for Support and Assistance.—

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(c) No lien may be imposed against the property of any individual [prior to his death,] or of his spouse on account of medical assistance for the aged paid or to be