

No. 14

AN ACT

HB 1000

Amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177), entitled "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers thereof, including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reorganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments, boards, and commissions; defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers, and of the several administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards, and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments, boards and commissions shall be determined," creating a Board of State College and University Directors as an administrative board in the Department of Education; and removing provisions relating to the boards of trustees of the several State colleges and universities, and making changes to conform to existing law.

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

Section 1. As much as applies to the Department of Education of section 202, act of April 9, 1929 (P.L.177), known as "The Administrative Code of 1929," amended June 3, 1963 (P.L.63) and June 17, 1963 (P.L.143), is amended to read:

Section 202. Departmental Administrative Boards, Commissions, and Offices.—The following boards, commissions, and offices are hereby placed and made departmental administrative boards, commissions, or offices, as the case may be, in the respective administrative departments mentioned in the preceding section as follows:

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In the Department of [**Public Instruction**] *Education*,
Pennsylvania State Board of Censors,
Public School Employes' Retirement Board,
Board of Trustees of Thaddeus Stevens Trade School,
Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania State Oral School for
the Deaf,
Board of Trustees of Scotland School for Veterans' Children,
Board of Trustees of West Chester State College,
Board of Trustees of Millersville State College,
Board of Trustees of Kutztown State College,
Board of Trustees of East Stroudsburg State College,
Board of Trustees of Mansfield State College,
Board of Trustees of Bloomsburg State College,

Board of Trustees of Shippensburg State College,
 Board of Trustees of Lock Haven State College,
[Board of Trustees of Indiana State College,]
 Board of Trustees of California State College,
 Board of Trustees of Slippery Rock State College,
 Board of Trustees of Edinboro State College,
 Board of Trustees of Clarion State College,
 Board of Trustees of Cheyney State College,
*Board of Trustees of Indiana University of
 Pennsylvania, at Indiana,*
Board of State College and University Directors,
 Public Service Institute Board,
 State Board of Private Academic Schools,
 State Board of Private Business Schools,
 State Board of Private Trade Schools,
 State Board of Private Correspondence Schools,
 State Board of Education.

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All of the foregoing departmental administrative boards and commissions shall be organized or reorganized as provided in this act.

Section 2. As much as applies to the Department of Education of section 401, amended June 19, 1964 (P.L.77), is amended to read:

Section 401. Boards of Trustees of State Institutions.—The boards of trustees of each of the State institutions hereinafter mentioned shall consist of nine members, and the head of the department having supervision over the institution ex officio.

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This section shall apply to:

Board of Trustees of Thaddeus Stevens Trade School,
 Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf,
 Board of Trustees of Scotland School for Veterans' Children,
[Board of Trustees of West Chester State College,
Board of Trustees of Millersville State College,
Board of Trustees of Kutztown State College,
Board of Trustees of East Stroudsburg State College,
Board of Trustees of Mansfield State College,
Board of Trustees of Bloomsburg State College,
Board of Trustees of Shippensburg State College,
Board of Trustees of Lock Haven State College,
Board of Trustees of Indiana State College,
Board of Trustees of California State College,
Board of Trustees of Slippery Rock State College,
Board of Trustees of Edinboro State College,
Board of Trustees of Clarion State College,
Board of Trustees of Cheyney State College,]

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Section 3. The act is amended by adding after section 401, a new section to read:

Section 401.1. Boards of Trustees of State Colleges and Universities. The constitution, terms, and appointment of the boards of trustees of the State colleges and universities shall be as set forth in section 2008.1 of the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949."

Section 4. Section 1311 of the act, amended August 1, 1963 (P.L.475) and December 27, 1965 (P.L.1218), is amended to read:

Section 1311. Boards of Trustees of State Institutions Within the Department.—The [boards of trustees of the several State Colleges, the] Board of Trustees of Pennsylvania State Oral School for the Deaf, the Board of Trustees of Scotland School for Veterans' Children, and the Board of Trustees of Thaddeus Stevens Trade School, shall have general direction and control of the property and management of their respective institutions. Each of the boards of trustees shall have the power and its duty shall be:

(a) Subject to the approval of the Governor, to elect a president, principal, or superintendent, of the institution, who shall, subject to the authority of the board, administer the institution, and, if deemed advisable, a business manager [and in addition thereto the board of trustees of any State College may authorize such president, principal, superintendent or business manager to purchase educational charts, film strips, slides, prepared transparencies, prerecorded magnetic tapes, disc recordings, projectors, slide projectors and all supplies necessary for the use of projectors and slide projectors, not in excess of a cost of seven hundred and fifty dollars (\$750) without competitive bidding on the part of sellers of such materials].

(b) On nomination by the president, principal, or superintendent, from time to time, to appoint such officers and employes as may be necessary;

(c) To fix the salaries of its employes in conformity with the standards established by the Executive Board;

(d) Subject to the approval of the [Superintendent of Public Instruction] *Secretary of Education*, to make such by-laws, rules and regulations for the management of the institution as it may deem advisable.

[(e) At State Colleges, to appoint, with the approval of the Superintendent of Public Instruction and the Council of Higher Education, graduate assistants. Such graduate assistants shall be assigned to regular faculty members to assist in research, instruction and other professional duties. All classes shall be assigned to the regular faculty member and the graduate assistant will instruct the class and conduct the laboratory only under the supervision of the full time faculty member. A graduate assistant shall not be part of the regular faculty, shall not be compensated in any amount greater than twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200) per annum, shall not be retained as a graduate assistant for more than three years and shall not be compensated from any State appropriation for faculty salaries.]

Section 5. The act is amended by adding after section 1311, a new section to read:

Section 1311.1. The Powers and Duties of Boards of Trustees of State Colleges and Universities.—(a) The powers and duties of the boards of trustees of State colleges shall be as set forth in section 2008.2 of the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949."

(b) The powers and duties of the boards of trustees of State universities shall be as set forth in section 2008.3 of the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949."

Section 6. This act shall take effect July 1, 1969.

APPROVED—The 17th day of February, A. D. 1970.

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The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 14.



Secretary of the Commonwealth.