No. 1985-17

AN ACT

SB 400

Amending the act of February 1, 1966 (1965 P.L.1656, No.581), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," increasing the per diem special meeting allowance of certain officials.

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

Section 1. Section 701 of the act of February 1, 1966 (1965 P.L.1656, No.581), known as The Borough Code, amended March 24, 1980 (P.L.48, No.16), is amended to read:

Section 701. State Association of Boroughs.—The boroughs of the Commonwealth are authorized to organize a State Association of Boroughs for the purpose of advancing the interests of the boroughs. Any borough may join the said association by motion of council and payment of the annual dues. Council may designate one or more delegates from the elected or appointed officials of the borough to attend the annual meeting of the association, which shall be held in the Commonwealth in accordance with the procedure adopted by the association. In addition to any compensation allowed by law each delegate may be allowed for his expenses incurred in attending the meeting an amount not exceeding [seventy-five dollars (\$75)] ninety dollars (\$90) per day, together with mileage going to and returning from the meeting. The time spent in attending said meeting shall not be more than four days, including the time employed in traveling thereto and therefrom. Each borough, becoming a member of the association, shall pay such reasonable dues as may be fixed by the association.

The dues and other revenues received by the association shall be used to pay for services, publications and other expenses authorized or ratified by the association, or incurred in behalf of the association, by its officers and committees.

Section 2. Section 704 of the act, amended November 5, 1981 (P.L.327, No.117), is amended to read:

Section 704. Associations and Organizations for Mayors.—Any mayor may join a mayors' association and borough council shall pay reasonable dues, not to exceed twenty-five dollars (\$25), as may be fixed by the association for each mayor belonging to that association. The mayor may attend the annual meeting of the association, which shall be held in the Commonwealth in accordance with the procedure adopted by the association. Each mayor shall be allowed for expenses incurred in attending the meeting an amount not exceeding [seventy-five dollars (\$75)] ninety dollars (\$90) per day, together with mileage, at the rate otherwise provided by law, in going to and returning from the meeting. The time spent in attending said meeting shall

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not be more than four days, including time in traveling to and from the meeting.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED-The 16th day of May, A. D. 1985.

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