

*Section 916. Boards of Trustees of State Institutions.*  
 —The boards of trustees of each State institution within the Department of Justice and the Commissioner of Correction shall have general direction and control of the property and management of such institutions. Together they shall have the power and their duties shall be:

(a) Subject to the approval of the Governor, to appoint a superintendent or warden of the institution who shall, subject to the authority of the board and the Commissioner of Correction, administer the institution in accordance with law.

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

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

(d) Subject to the approval of the Department of Justice, to make such by-laws, rules and regulations for the management of the institution.

The Governor, by Executive Order, shall designate which of the powers and duties referred to above shall be exercised by the Commissioner of Correction and which shall be exercised by the boards of trustees. Said order need not be uniform or applicable to all institutions.

APPROVED—The 29th day of July, A. D. 1953.

JOHN S. FINE

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 No. 407

AN ACT

To repeal section six of the act, approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws 1044), entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary, prison, workhouse, house of correction, or any other institution for adult prisoners, under sentence of law, to some other prison, penitentiary, workhouse, house of correction, or other institution for adult prisoners," by eliminating transfers to the Central State Penitentiary at Rockview.

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

Section 1. Section six of the act, approved the eleventh day of July, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws 1044), entitled "An act to authorize and provide for the transfer and retransfer of person or persons confined in any penitentiary, prison, workhouse, house of correction, or any other institution for adult prisoners, under sentence of law, to some other

Section 6, act of July 11, 1923, P. L. 1044, repealed.

prison, penitentiary, workhouse, house of correction, or other institution for adult prisoners," as added by the act, approved the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 640), is hereby repealed.

APPROVED—The 29th day of July, A. D. 1953.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 408

AN ACT

To add sections nine hundred eleven, nine hundred twelve, nine hundred thirteen, nine hundred fourteen and nine hundred fifteen to the act, approved the ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 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 employees in certain departments, boards, and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employees of certain departments, boards and commissions shall be determined," by transferring certain powers of the Department of Welfare to the Department of Justice and imposing certain duties upon the Department of Justice.

"The Administrative Code of 1929."

Article IX, act of April 9, 1929, P. L. 177, as last amended by act of June 21, 1937, P. L. 1365 further amended by adding, immediately following section 910, sections 911, 912, 913, 914, and 915.

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

Section 1. Article nine of the act, approved the ninth day of April, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 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