

No. 193

AN ACT

HB 2283

Amending the act of January 6, 1970 (P.L.434), entitled "An act relating to the Commonwealth Court, implementing section 4 of Article V of the Constitution of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania," further providing for offices and other facilities for judges of the Commonwealth Court.

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

Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 4, act of January 6, 1970 (P.L.434), known as "The Commonwealth Court Act," is amended to read:

Section 4. Seat of Court; Sessions; Business.—(a) The regular sessions of the court shall be held at the seat of government of the Commonwealth and as elsewhere herein provided. Each judge shall be authorized to appoint his own law clerk and such secretarial assistance as is necessary to conduct his judicial duties and shall be provided with suitable chambers, and other facilities at the seat of government, and [**except for temporary facilities provided in connection with the holding of a special session of the court, no officer of the Commonwealth or of any political subdivision thereof shall expend any public moneys for the provision of chamber, secretarial or other facilities for judges of the court at any other location within this Commonwealth**] *each city of the first class and each county of the Commonwealth shall provide for each judge of the Commonwealth Court who resides therein such office or facilities as are presently required to be furnished by each of them for resident justices or judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts under any act of the General Assembly.* The intention of this provision is to render the court and the judges thereof as available; except as *otherwise* provided *herein and* in subsection (b) of this section, at the seat of government for the conduct of routine and emergency judicial business as would be the case if the jurisdiction of the court were exercised by the Court of Common Pleas of Dauphin County.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 1970.

APPROVED—The 22nd day of July, A. D. 1970.

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The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly
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Secretary of the Commonwealth.