

## No. 266

## AN ACT

SB 1568

Amending the act of July 30, 1963 (P.L.362), entitled "An act authorizing an incoming Governor to arrange for temporary staffing to expedite the transition of government, and providing for an appropriation in certain years," requiring the employment of certain employes by the Auditor General; increasing the maximum limit of the appropriation to be made and making an appropriation.

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

Section 1. Section 1, act of July 30, 1963 (P.L.362), entitled "An act authorizing an incoming Governor to arrange for temporary staffing to expedite the transition of government, and providing for an appropriation in certain years," is amended to read:

Section 1. In order that there may be an orderly, efficient and economical transition of government following the election of a new Governor, the Auditor General, in the fiscal year during which a new Governor is elected, **[is hereby authorized to]** *shall* employ such consultants, accountants and experts as shall have been selected in writing by the new Governor who is hereby authorized to fix the compensation to be paid such personnel. Such notice to the Auditor General shall be given at any time after the Secretary of the Commonwealth and the Auditor General have determined the person receiving the highest number of votes for the office of Governor and have informed the new Governor-elect of such determination. Since this personnel is to be engaged for a limited period of time, they shall not be eligible for membership in any of the retirement systems of the Commonwealth, nor shall they be bound by or subject to the provisions of "The Administrative Code of 1929," pertaining to State employes. Such personnel shall be paid from an appropriation not to exceed **[fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000)]** *one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000)* made to the Auditor General during the fiscal year when the new Governor is elected. Within thirty days after his inauguration the new Governor shall dispense with the services of the temporary personnel or place such members thereof as he sees fit on the payroll of the Commonwealth in the manner provided by "The Administrative Code of 1929."

Section 2. *The sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to the Auditor General for carrying out the purposes of this act.*

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved the 27th day of November A. D. 1970, in the sum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000). I withhold my approval from the remainder of said appropriation because it would provide for a one hundred per cent increase in the amount recommended in the 1970-71 General Fund Budget to provide for the transition of government.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 266.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Robert R. Kelly". The signature is written in black ink on a white background.

*Secretary of the Commonwealth.*