

## No. 58

## AN ACT

## HB 771

Amending the act of January 10, 1968 (P.L.925, No.417), entitled "An act relating to officers and employes of the General Assembly; fixing the number, qualifications, compensation, mileage and duties of the officers and employes of the Senate and of the House of Representatives; providing for their election or appointment, term of office, or of service, removal and manner of filling vacancies; fixing the salary of the Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau; providing for compilation of lists of employes," granting a cost-of-living increase to employes of the General Assembly.

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

Section 1. Section 54, act of January 10, 1968 (P.L.925, No.417), entitled "An act relating to officers and employes of the General Assembly; fixing the number, qualifications, compensation, mileage and duties of the officers and employes of the Senate and of the House of Representatives; providing for their election or appointment, term of office, or of service, removal and manner of filling vacancies; fixing the salary of the Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau; providing for compilation of lists of employes," added November 30, 1972 (P.L.1251, No.279), is amended to read:

Section 54. **(a)** In addition to any amounts specified heretofore in this act or any amendments thereto, each person, other than a member of the General Assembly, whose compensation is fixed in this act, shall, subject to the recommendation and approval of the appointing authority having the power to employ such person, receive an amount as a cost-of-living increase equal to five per cent of the compensation such person is receiving on the date such person is recommended to receive such increase. Such amount shall be prorated to each pay period, beginning with the first pay period occurring after such person has been recommended to receive such increase and continuing thereafter.

**(b)** *In addition to any amounts specified heretofore in this act or any amendments thereto, each person, other than a member of the General Assembly, who is an employe under this act, or is an employe of any bureau, board, commission or committee under the joint or several control of the Houses of the General Assembly, shall, receive an amount as a cost-of-living increase equal to six per cent of the compensation such person is receiving on the effective date of this subsection. Such amount shall be prorated to each pay period, commencing with the first pay period occurring after the effective date of this subsection (b) and continuing thereafter.*

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 4th day of April, A. D. 1974.

MILTON J. SHAPP

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly  
No. 58.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "C. McLaughlin Tucker". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "C" and a prominent "M".

*Secretary of the Commonwealth.*