No. 127

## AN ACT

SB 518

Amending the act of June 22, 1964 (P.L.16, No.2), entitled "An act imposing a State excise tax on net earnings or income of mutual thrift institutions; requiring the filing of reports and payment of the tax; providing certain exemptions from the tax and repealing part of an act imposing other taxes," further providing for the filing of documents and payment of taxes.

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

Section 1. The act of June 22, 1964 (P.L.16, No.2), known as "The Mutual Thrift Institutions Tax Act," is amended by adding a section to read:

Section 4.1. Timely Mailing Treated as Timely Filing and Payment.—Notwithstanding the provisions of any State tax law to the contrary, whenever a report or payment of all or any portion of a State tax is required by law to be received by the Pennsylvania Department of Revenue or other agency of the Commonwealth on or before a day certain, the taxpayer shall be deemed to have complied with such law if the letter transmitting the report or payment of such tax which has been received by the department is postmarked by the United States Postal Service on or prior to the final day on which the payment is to be received.

For the purposes of this act, presentation of a receipt indicating that the report or payment was mailed by registered or certified mail on or before the due date shall be evidence of timely filing and payment.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 27th day of June, A. D. 1974.

MILTON J. SHAPP

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 127.

C. NE Laver Tucker

Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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