

No. 1981-59

## AN ACT

SB 135

Amending the act of June 23, 1931 (P.L.932, No.317), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," prohibiting fee sharing among city officers, employes and consultants or persons contracting for personal services with the city.

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

Section 1. Section 1901, act of June 23, 1931 (P.L.932, No.317), known as "The Third Class City Code," reenacted and amended June 28, 1951 (P.L.662, No.164), is amended by adding a subsection to read:

Section 1901. Power to Make Contracts; Regulations Concerning Contracts.—\* \* \*

*(1) No person, consultant, firm or corporation contracting with a city for purposes of rendering personal or professional services to the city shall share with any city officer or employe, and no city officer or employe shall accept, any portion of the compensation or fees paid by the city for the contracted services provided to the city except under the following terms or conditions:*

*(1) Full disclosure of all relevant information regarding the sharing of the compensation or fees shall be made to the council of the city.*

*(2) The council of the city must approve the sharing of any fee or compensation for personal or professional services prior to the performance of said services.*

*(3) No fee or compensation for personal or professional services may be shared except for work actually performed.*

*(4) No shared fee or compensation for personal or professional services may be paid at a rate in excess of that commensurate for similar personal or professional services.*

Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.

APPROVED—The 1st day of July, A. D. 1981.

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