

No. 2017-6A

AN ACT

SB 684

Making appropriations from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2017, to June 30, 2018.

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

Section 1. The following sums, or as much thereof as may be necessary, are specifically appropriated from the restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission to provide for the operation of the commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2017, to June 30, 2018, for the purposes and in the amounts shown:

	Federal	State
For the salaries, wages and all necessary expenses for the proper operation and administration of the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission, including the chairman and commissioners and the Bureau of Safety and Enforcement.		
State appropriation .....		73,499,000
The following Federal augmentation amounts, or as much thereof as may be necessary, are specifically appropriated to supplement the sum authorized to be billed to utilities for the operation of the commission:		
(1) "Natural Gas Pipeline Safety" - To enforce the regulations of the Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act.		
Federal appropriation .....	3,840,000	
(2) "Motor Carrier Safety."		
Federal appropriation .....	1,697,000	

Any Federal funds which the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission receives pursuant to these appropriations shall not be reimbursed to any utility.

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2017, or immediately, whichever is later.

Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth

Harrisburg, July 27, 2017

I do certify that the attached bill, Senate Bill 684, P.N.1030, was presented to the Governor on the 10th day of July, 2017, and was not returned within ten

days after it had been presented to him. Wherefore, on July 21, 2017, the attached bill has become law in like manner as if the Governor had signed it, in accordance with Art. IV § 15 of the Constitution of this Commonwealth, and has been assigned Act 6A of 2017.

PEDRO A. CORTÉS  
Secretary of the Commonwealth