

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Recent Actions During the 1996 Regular and Special Sessions of the General Assembly

CORRECTION Act 1996-54

<i>Act No.</i>	<i>Enactment Date</i>	<i>Bill No.</i>	<i>Printer's No.</i>	<i>Effective Date</i>	<i>Subject Matter</i>
1996-54	June 19	SB1047	PN1418	Immediately	Pennsylvania Securities Act of 1972—nonprofit organizations prohibited transactions and criminal penalties

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The following is a summary of recent actions of the General Assembly during the 1996 Regular and Special Sessions.

1996 ACTS—Acts 67 through 117 (numerical)

<i>Act No.</i>	<i>Enactment Date</i>	<i>Bill No.</i>	<i>Printer's Number</i>	<i>Effective Date</i>	<i>Subject Matter</i>
1996-67	June 29	HB2668	PN3934	Immediately	Job Enhancement Act—enactment
1996-68	July 1	SB1346	PN2110	Immediately	Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission—adding members of commission
1996-69	July 1	SB1348	PN1872	Immediately	Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission—meetings open to public and news media
1996-70	July 1	SB1345	PN2109	Immediately	Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission—requiring commission to adopt competitive purchasing, equal opportunity employment and competitive hiring practices
1996-71	July 2	SB564	PN1999	60 days	Real Estate Appraisers Certification Act—certification, applications, qualifications, disciplinary measures and scope of practice

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1996-72	July 2	SB577	PN2103	Immediately*	Insurance Department Act of 1921—order of distribution of claims from insurer's estate, brokers' licenses, temporary certificate or license and continuing education
1996-73	July 2	SB847	PN1745	60 days*	Fish and Boat Code (30 Pa.C.S.)—titling of motorboats and registration of boats
1996-74	July 2	SB1181	PN2183	60 days	Landlord and Tenant Act of 1951—regulating abandoned mobile home space recovery
1996-75	July 2	SB1313	PN2134	60 days	Crimes Code (18 Pa.C.S.)—aggravated assault on emergency medical health care workers
1996-76	July 2	SB1323	PN2007	60 days	Crimes Code (18 Pa.C.S.)—regulations on dissemination of criminal history record information
1996-77	July 2	SB1566	PN2150	Immediately	Mental Health Procedures Act—omnibus amendments
1996-78	July 2	HB2470	PN3250	60 days	Local Tax Collection Law—compensation of tax collectors in second class boroughs and townships
1996-79	July 2	HB2536	PN3912	60 days	Money Transmission Business Licensing Law—omnibus amendments
1996-80	July 2	HB2619	PN3537	Immediately	Consumer Discount Company Act—omnibus amendments
1996-81	July 2	HB2680	PN3674	Immediately	Private Licensed Schools Act—defining private licensed school
1996-82	July 2	HB2336	PN3132	Immediately	Transportation (74 Pa.C.S.)—designation of Exton Bypass as scenic byway
1996-83	July 2	HB1346	PN3087	60 days	Third Class County Assessment Board Law—changing date of appeal
1996-84	July 2	HB1571	PN3770	60 days	Real Estate Seller Disclosure Act—enactment
1996-85	July 2	HB1977	PN3382	60 days	Health Security Act—enactment
1996-86	July 2	HB2580	PN3857	60 days	Motivational Boot Camp Act—definitions
1996-87	July 2	HB216	PN3900	Immediately	Department of Health—organization and administrative powers and duties
1996-88	July 2	HB2002	PN3089	60 days	Third Class County Assessment Board Law—auxiliary appeal boards in counties of second class A and rules and regulations
1996-89	July 2	HB2041	PN3788	60 days	Third Class County Assessment Board Law—correction of errors and informal review in counties of second class A and notice requirements and appeal process
1996-90	July 2	HB2102	PN3269	60 days	Third Class County Assessment Board Law—assessment appeals and changes in assessment
1996-91	July 2	HB2223	PN2899	Immediately	Cities of first class—real property taxes for persons who meet established standards and qualifications for age and property
1996-92	July 2	HB2344	PN3031	60 days	Credit—confidentiality of credit records and credit policy of depository institutions
1996-93	July 2	HB2360	PN3913	Immediately*	Vehicle Code (75 Pa.C.S.)—omnibus amendments
1996-94	July 2	HB2446	PN3411	Immediately	Public Utility Code (66 Pa.C.S.)—omnibus amendments

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1996-95	July 2	SB1504	PN1923	Immediately	Fish and Boat Commission Capital Project Itemization Act of 1995-1996—enactment
1996-96	July 11	SB208	PN2219	Immediately*	Conveyances—Commonwealth property and roadways in Lackawanna, Susquehanna, Philadelphia and Cumberland counties and in cities of Harrisburg and Philadelphia
1996-97	July 11	SB674	PN2214	Immediately*	Borough Code—budget and tax ordinances and commissions of waterworks
1996-98	July 11	SB1254	PN2216	Immediately*	Crimes Code (18 Pa.C.S.)—omnibus amendments
1996-99	July 11	SB1344	PN2217	Immediately	Delaware River Joint Toll Bridge Commission—powers, limitation on employment and joint audits
1996-100	July 11	SB1432	PN2184	60 days	Agriculture Code (3 Pa.C.S.)—domestic animals
1996-101	July 11	SB1496	PN2221	Immediately	Capital Budget Act of 1996-1997—enactment
1996-102	July 11	SB1600	PN2208	Jan. 1, 1997	Cities of second class—restriction of taxing power, land use appeals and removal of archaic laws
1996-103	July 11	SB1607	PN2130	Immediately	Pennsylvania Cancer Control, Prevention and Research Act—extending expiration date of act
1996-104	July 11	SB1374	PN2218	Immediately*	Judiciary and Judicial Procedure (42 Pa.C.S.)—omnibus amendments
1996-105	July 11	SB1251	PN2215	Immediately*	Administrative Code of 1929—omnibus amendments
1996-106	July 11	HB100	PN3826	30 days	Pennsylvania Business Resource Center Act—enactment
1996-107	July 11	HB837	PN3930	Immediately*	Public School Code of 1949—omnibus amendments
1996-108	July 11	HB950	PN3779	60 days	Municipalities Financial Recovery Act—limiting right of municipality to petition court for increase in rate of taxation
1996-109	July 11	HB1130	PN3932	60 days	Third Class City Code—omnibus amendments
1996-110	July 11	HB1174	PN3872	60 days	Municipalities Authorities Act of 1945—investment of authority funds
1996-111	July 11	HB1334	PN3933	Immediately	Liquor Code—use of State Stores Fund
1996-112	July 11	HB1415	PN3853	180 days	Insurance companies—requiring reimbursement by insurers for services performed by hospital emergency facility
1996-113	July 11	HB1855	PN3931	60 days	Dental Law—powers of State Board of Dentistry
1996-114	July 11	HB1711	PN3910	Immediately	Game and Wildlife Code (34 Pa.C.S.)—junior hunter projects
1996-115	July 11	HB1712	PN3858	Immediately*	Vehicle Code (75 Pa.C.S.) and Transportation Code (74 Pa.C.S.)—omnibus amendments
1996-116	July 11	HB2666	PN3927	Immediately	Infrastructure Development Act—enactment
1996-117	July 12	HB1689	PN3873	Immediately	Pennsylvania Human Relations Act—omnibus amendments

* with exceptions

1996 APPROPRIATIONS—Act 1A through 46A (numerical)

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1996-1A	June 29	SB1583	PN2212	Immediately	General Appropriation Act of 1996—enactment
1996-2A	July 2	SB753	PN2142	Immediately	Office of Consumer Advocate—operation
1996-3A	July 2	SB1480	PN2143	Immediately	State Employees' Retirement Board—administrative expenses, etc.
1996-4A	July 2	SB1481	PN2144	Immediately	Public School Employees' Retirement Board—administrative expenses, etc.
1996-5A	July 2	SB1482	PN1891	Immediately	Department of Labor and Industry—workers' compensation and occupational disease administrative expenses, etc.
1996-6A	July 2	SB1483	PN2145	Immediately	Bureau of Professional and Occupational Affairs—operation
1996-7A	July 2	SB1484	PN1893	Immediately	Treasury Department—general obligation debt service from Fish Fund
1996-8A	July 2	SB1487	PN2147	Immediately	Office of Small Business Advocate—operation
1996-9A	July 2	HB2720	PN3722	Immediately	Beacon Lodge Camp—services to the blind
1996-10A	July 2	HB2721	PN3723	Immediately	Philadelphia Civic Center—museum maintenance and purchases
1996-11A	July 2	HB2722	PN3724	Immediately	Everhart Museum—operation
1996-12A	July 2	HB2723	PN3725	Immediately	Academy of Natural Sciences—maintenance
1996-13A	July 2	HB2724	PN3726	Immediately	Franklin Institute Science Museum—maintenance
1996-14A	July 2	HB2725	PN3727	Immediately	Mercer Museum—operation
1996-15A	July 2	HB2726	PN3728	Immediately	University of Pennsylvania—museum maintenance and purchases
1996-16A	July 2	HB2727	PN3729	Immediately	Museum of Scientific Discovery—operation
1996-17A	July 2	HB2728	PN3730	Immediately	Afro-American Historical and Cultural Museum—operation, maintenance and purchases
1996-18A	July 2	HB2729	PN3731	Immediately	Carnegie Museum of Natural History and Carnegie Science Center—operation, maintenance and purchases
1996-19A	July 2	HB2730	PN3732	Immediately	Rehabilitation Institute of Pittsburgh—operation
1996-20A	July 2	HB2731	PN3733	Immediately	St. Christopher's Hospital—operation, maintenance and treatment
1996-21A	July 2	HB2732	PN3734	Immediately	Wistar Institute-Research—operation, maintenance and AIDS research
1996-22A	July 2	HB2733	PN3735	Immediately	Fox Chase Institute for Cancer Research—operation and maintenance program
1996-23A	July 2	HB2734	PN3736	Immediately	St. Francis Hospital—cardiovascular studies
1996-24A	July 2	HB2735	PN3737	Immediately	University of Pennsylvania—cardiovascular studies
1996-25A	July 2	HB2736	PN3738	Immediately	Central Penn Oncology Group—operation
1996-26A	July 2	HB2737	PN3739	Immediately	Jefferson Medical College and Hospital—Tay-Sachs disease program
1996-27A	July 2	HB2738	PN3740	Immediately	Burn Foundation—treatment
1996-28A	July 2	HB2739	PN3741	Immediately	Lancaster Cleft Palate—treatment
1996-29A	July 2	HB2740	PN3742	Immediately	Pittsburgh Cleft Palate—treatment

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1996-30A	July 2	HB2741	PN3743	Immediately	Drexel University—instruction and student aid
1996-31A	July 2	HB2742	PN3828	Immediately	University of Pennsylvania—operation and instruction
1996-32A	July 2	HB2743	PN3745	Immediately	Pennsylvania College of Optometry—instruction
1996-33A	July 2	HB2744	PN3746	Immediately	Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine—instruction
1996-34A	July 2	HB2745	PN3747	Immediately	Thomas Jefferson University—instruction and maintenance
1996-35A	July 2	HB2746	PN3748	Immediately	Hahnemann University—instruction, maintenance and student aid
1996-36A	July 2	HB2747	PN3749	Immediately	Pennsylvania College of Podiatric Medicine—instruction
1996-37A	July 2	HB2748	PN3750	Immediately	Williamson Free School of Mechanical Trades—operation and maintenance
1996-38A	July 2	HB2749	PN3751	Immediately	Johnson Technical Institute—operation and maintenance
1996-39A	July 2	HB2750	PN3752	Immediately	University of the Arts—instruction and student aid
1996-40A	July 2	HB2751	PN3753	Immediately	Berean Training and Industrial School—operation, maintenance and debt service
1996-41A	July 2	HB2752	PN3831	Immediately	Pennsylvania State University—operation, instruction and research
1996-42A	July 2	HB2753	PN3906	Immediately	Temple University—operation and instruction, etc.
1996-43A	July 2	HB2754	PN3907	Immediately	Lincoln University—operation and instruction, etc.
1996-44A	July 2	HB2755	PN3908	Immediately	University of Pittsburgh—operation and instruction, etc.
1996-45A	July 2	HB2768	PN3786	Immediately	Arsenal Family and Children's Center—operation
1996-46A	July 10	SB1485	PN2210	Immediately	Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission—operation

1996 VETO—Veto 1 (numerical)

<i>Veto No.</i>	<i>Veto Date</i>	<i>Bill No.</i>	<i>Printer's No.</i>	<i>Subject Matter</i>
1996-1	July 11	HB2064	PN3914	Vehicle Code (75 Pa.C.S.) and Transportation Code (74 Pa.C.S.)—omnibus amendments

1996 JOINT RESOLUTIONS—JR 1 through 3 (numerical)

<i>Jr No.</i>	<i>Filing Date</i>	<i>Bill No.</i>	<i>Printer's No.</i>	<i>Prior Passage</i>	<i>Subject Matter</i>
1996-1	June 13	SB752	PN2065	none	Trial by jury—rights of Commonwealth
1996-2	June 18	HB1865	PN2287	none	Elections—absentee voting
1996-3	June 29	SB284	PN2205	none	Taxation—exclusion of portion of assessed value of homestead property

1996 SPECIAL SESSION ACTS—Acts 4 through 10 (numerical)

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1996-4	July 11	SB1	PN35	Immediately	Blizzard and flood emergency of 1996—omnibus amendments

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1996-5	July 11	SB4	PN36	Immediately	Emergency Management Services Code (35 Pa.C.S.)—authorizing Governor to enter into cooperative agreements for grants for hazard mitigation
1996-6	July 11	SB5	PN34	Immediately	Blizzard and flood emergency of 1996—abatement, refund and limited moratorium on increase of certain real estate taxes, assessment of properties retroactive to Jan. 1, 1996
1996-7	July 11	HB1	PN53	Immediately	Special Session Capital Budget Act of 1996 for Flood-Damaged Highways—enactment
1996-8	July 11	HB2	PN57	Immediately	Special Session Flood Control and Hazard Mitigation Itemization Act of 1996—enactment
1996-9	July 11	HB3	PN60	Immediately	Special Session Flood Relief Act—enactment
1996-10	July 11	HB5	PN52	Immediately	Flood Insurance Education and Information Act—enactment

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