
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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KOTIK, HARKINS, HARHAI, MAHONEY AND MURT, FEBRUARY 9, 2015

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON LABOR AND INDUSTRY, FEBRUARY 9, 2015

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of December 18, 1984 (P.L.1004, No.204),
2 entitled "An act extending benefits to police chiefs or heads
3 of police departments of political subdivisions of the
4 Commonwealth who have been removed from bargaining units by
5 the Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board," further providing
6 for salary of nonunion police officers.

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

9 Section 1. Section 1 of the act of December 18, 1984
10 (P.L.1004, No.204), entitled "An act extending benefits to
11 police chiefs or heads of police departments of political
12 subdivisions of the Commonwealth who have been removed from
13 bargaining units by the Pennsylvania Labor Relations Board," is
14 amended to read:

15 Section 1. Salary of nonunion police officers.

16 (a) General rule.--Except in cities of the first and second
17 class, the chief, superintendent or commissioner of police and
18 other ranking officers in a political subdivision of the
19 Commonwealth who [have been removed from] are not members of
20 bargaining units under the act of June 24, 1968 (P.L.237,

1 No.111), referred to as the Policemen and Firemen Collective
2 Bargaining Act, [by rulings of the Pennsylvania Labor Relations
3 Board] shall receive not less than the same dollar increase
4 including fringe benefits excluding overtime and festive holiday
5 pay as received by the highest ranking police officer
6 participating in the bargaining unit.

7 (b) Definition.--As used in this section, the term
8 "bargaining unit" means a collective bargaining unit as provided
9 under the Policemen and Firemen Collective Bargaining Act.

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