THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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SENATOR AUMENT, CONSUMER PROTECTION AND PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE, IN SENATE, AS AMENDED, JANUARY 25, 2022

AN ACT

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20	Amending the act of May 23, 1945 (P.L.913, No.367), entitled "An act relating to and regulating the practice of the profession of engineering, including civil engineering, mechanical engineering, electrical engineering, mining engineering and chemical engineering, the profession of land surveying and the profession of geology and constituent parts and combinations thereof as herein defined; providing for the licensing and registration of persons practicing said profession, and the certification of engineers-in-training and surveyors-in-training, and the suspension and revocation of said licenses, registrations and certifications for violation of this act; prescribing the powers and duties of the State Registration Board for Professional Engineers, Land Surveyors and Geologists, the Department of State and the courts; prescribing penalties; and repealing existing laws," further providing for procedure for licensing as professional < engineer. FURTHER PROVIDING FOR DEFINITIONS, FOR GENERAL < POWERS OF BOARD, FOR PROCEDURE FOR LICENSING AS PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, FOR CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCY REQUIREMENTS, FOR FEES AND FOR PENALTIES.
21	The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
22	hereby enacts as follows:
23	Section 1. Section 4.2(c)(1) of the act of May 23, 1945 <
24	(P.L.913, No.367), known as the Engineer, Land Surveyor and
25	Geologist Registration Law, is amended to read:

26 Section 4.2. Procedure for Licensing as Professional

1 Engineer.--* * *

2 (c) An applicant who is a certified engineer-in-training may-

3 apply for licensure and shall pass the examination in-

4 engineering principles and practice. To qualify for the-

5 principles and practice examination, an applicant shall, in-

6 addition to holding the engineer in training certificate, show

7 satisfactory proof of:

8 (1) four or more years of progressive experience in-

9 engineering work performed [after the issuance of the engineer-

10 in training certificate and] under the supervision of a

11 professional engineer or a similarly qualified engineer of a

12 grade and character to fit him to assume responsible charge of

13 the work involved in the practice of engineering; or

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15 SECTION 1. SECTION 2(A) AND (C) OF THE ACT OF MAY 23, 1945 <--</p>
16 (P.L.913, NO.367), KNOWN AS THE ENGINEER, LAND SURVEYOR AND
17 GEOLOGIST REGISTRATION LAW, ARE AMENDED AND THE SECTION IS
18 AMENDED BY ADDING A SUBSECTION TO READ:

19 SECTION 2. DEFINITIONS.--AS USED IN THIS ACT--

20 (A) (1) "PRACTICE OF ENGINEERING" SHALL MEAN THE 21 APPLICATION OF THE MATHEMATICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES FOR THE 22 DESIGN OR ANALYSIS OF PUBLIC OR PRIVATE BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES, MACHINES, EQUIPMENT, PROCESSES, WORKS OR ENGINEERING SYSTEMS, 23 AND THE CONSULTATION, INVESTIGATION, EVALUATION[, ENGINEERING] 24 25 OR SURVEYS, CONSTRUCTION MANAGEMENT, MODIFICATION AND 26 ALTERATION, PLANNING AND INSPECTION IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, THE 27 PERFORMANCE OF THE FOREGOING ACTS AND SERVICES BEING PROHIBITED 28 TO PERSONS WHO ARE NOT LICENSED UNDER THIS ACT AS PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS UNLESS EXEMPT UNDER OTHER PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT. 29 30 (2) THE TERM "PRACTICE OF ENGINEERING" SHALL ALSO MEAN AND

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INCLUDE RELATED ACTS AND SERVICES THAT MAY BE PERFORMED BY OTHER 1 2 QUALIFIED PERSONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO, MUNICIPAL 3 PLANNING, INCIDENTAL LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, TEACHING, CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND RESEARCH BUT LICENSURE UNDER THIS 4 ACT TO ENGAGE IN OR PERFORM ANY SUCH RELATED ACTS AND SERVICES 5 SHALL NOT BE REQUIRED. 6 7 (3) THE FOREGOING SHALL NOT BE DEEMED TO INCLUDE THE 8 PRACTICE OF ARCHITECTURE AS SUCH, FOR WHICH SEPARATE 9 REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED UNDER [THE PROVISIONS OF THE ACT OF 10 JULY 12, 1919 (P.L.933, NO.369), ENTITLED "AN ACT TO REGULATE THE PRACTICE OF ARCHITECTURE IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA 11 BY PROVIDING FOR THE EXAMINATION AND REGISTRATION OF ARCHITECTS 12 13 BY A STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS; DEFINING THE POWER AND DUTIES OF 14 SAID BOARD OF EXAMINERS; AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE 15 VIOLATION OF THIS ACT," EXCEPTING ONLY ARCHITECTURAL WORK INCIDENTAL TO THE "PRACTICE OF ENGINEERING."] THE ACT OF 16 17 DECEMBER 14, 1982 (P.L.1227, NO.281), KNOWN AS THE "ARCHITECTS 18 LICENSURE LAW." 19 (4) THE "PRACTICE OF ENGINEERING" SHALL NOT PRECLUDE THE 20 PRACTICE OF THE SCIENCES WHICH SHALL INCLUDE BUT NOT BE LIMITED 21 TO: SOIL SCIENCE, GEOLOGY, PHYSICS AND CHEMISTRY. 22 * * * 23 [(C) "ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING MEANS A CANDIDATE FOR LICENSURE 24 AS A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, WHO HAS BEEN GRANTED A CERTIFICATE AS AN ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING AFTER SUCCESSFULLY PASSING THE 25 26 PRESCRIBED WRITTEN EXAMINATION IN FUNDAMENTAL ENGINEERING 27 SUBJECTS, AND WHO SHALL BE ELIGIBLE UPON THE COMPLETION OF THE 28 REQUISITE YEARS OF EXPERIENCE IN ENGINEERING, UNDER THE 29 SUPERVISION OF A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, OR SIMILARLY QUALIFIED 30 ENGINEER, FOR THE FINAL EXAMINATION PRESCRIBED FOR LICENSURE AS

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1 A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER.]

2 (C.1) "ENGINEER INTERN" MEANS A CANDIDATE FOR LICENSURE AS A 3 PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, WHO HAS BEEN GRANTED A CERTIFICATE AS AN ENGINEER INTERN AFTER SUCCESSFULLY PASSING THE PRESCRIBED 4 WRITTEN EXAMINATION IN FUNDAMENTAL ENGINEERING SUBJECTS, AND WHO 5 IS ELIGIBLE UPON THE COMPLETION OF THE REQUISITE YEARS OF 6 7 EXPERIENCE IN ENGINEERING, UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A 8 PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, OR SIMILARLY QUALIFIED ENGINEER, FOR THE 9 FINAL EXAMINATION PRESCRIBED FOR LICENSURE AS A PROFESSIONAL 10 ENGINEER. * * * 11 SECTION 2. SECTIONS 4(G), 4.2(A), (B) AND (C), 4.5(C)(3), 12

13 9(A) AND 11(A) OF THE ACT ARE AMENDED TO READ:

14 SECTION 4. GENERAL POWERS OF BOARD.--THE BOARD SHALL HAVE 15 POWER--

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17 (G) SUSPENSION AND REVOCATION OF LICENSES; REGISTRATIONS AND 18 CERTIFICATES; REINSTATEMENTS. -- TO SUSPEND OR REVOKE THE LICENSE 19 AND REGISTRATION OF ANY PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, PROFESSIONAL LAND 20 SURVEYOR OR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGIST OR THE CERTIFICATE OF ANY [ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING] ENGINEER INTERN, GEOLOGIST-IN-TRAINING OR 21 22 SURVEYOR-IN-TRAINING, WHO IS FOUND GUILTY BY THE BOARD, BY A 23 MAJORITY VOTE OF ALL ITS MEMBERS, OF THE PRACTICE OF ANY FRAUD, 24 DECEIT OR MISREPRESENTATION IN OBTAINING HIS LICENSE, 25 CERTIFICATION OR REGISTRATION, OR OF GROSS NEGLIGENCE, 26 INCOMPETENCY OR MISCONDUCT IN THE PRACTICE OF ENGINEERING, IN 27 THE PRACTICE OF LAND SURVEYING OR IN THE PRACTICE OF GEOLOGY, OR 28 OF VIOLATION OF THE CODE OF ETHICS OF THE ENGINEERING 29 PROFESSION, AND TO REINSTATE SUSPENDED LICENSES, REGISTRATIONS 30 AND CERTIFICATES IN ANY CASES WHERE A MAJORITY OF ALL THE

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MEMBERS OF THE BOARD SHALL DETERMINE THE SAME TO BE JUST AND 1 PROPER. UNLESS ORDERED TO DO SO BY A COURT, THE BOARD SHALL NOT 2 REINSTATE THE LICENSE, CERTIFICATE OR REGISTRATION OF A PERSON 3 TO PRACTICE AS A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, PROFESSIONAL LAND 4 SURVEYOR, PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGIST OR AN [ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING] 5 ENGINEER INTERN, GEOLOGIST-IN-TRAINING OR A SURVEYOR-IN-TRAINING 6 WHICH HAS BEEN REVOKED, AND [SUCH] THE PERSON [SHALL BE] IS 7 8 REQUIRED TO APPLY FOR A LICENSE, CERTIFICATE OR REGISTRATION 9 AFTER A PERIOD OF FIVE YEARS IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 2 IF 10 [HE] THE PERSON DESIRES TO PRACTICE AT ANY TIME AFTER SUCH REVOCATION. THE BOARD SHALL REQUIRE A PERSON WHOSE LICENSE OR 11 REGISTRATION HAS BEEN SUSPENDED OR REVOKED TO RETURN THE LICENSE 12 13 OR REGISTRATION IN SUCH MANNER AS THE BOARD DIRECTS. FAILURE TO 14 DO SO SHALL BE A MISDEMEANOR OF THE THIRD DEGREE. MISCONDUCT IN 15 THE PRACTICE OF ENGINEERING, LAND SURVEYING OR GEOLOGY SHALL INCLUDE, BUT NOT BE LIMITED TO CONVICTION FOR A CRIMINAL OFFENSE 16 17 SUCH AS EXTORTION, BRIBERY OR FRAUD OR ENTRY OF A PLEA OF NOLO 18 CONTENDERE TO A CHARGE THEREOF FOR CONDUCT RELATING TO THE PRACTICE OF ENGINEERING, LAND SURVEYING OR GEOLOGY, OR HAS 19 20 VIOLATED ANY PROVISION OF THIS ACT OR ANY REGULATION PROMULGATED BY THE BOARD. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SUBSECTION, THE CODE OF 21 ETHICS IS AS FOLLOWS: 22

IT SHALL BE CONSIDERED UNPROFESSIONAL AND INCONSISTENT WITH HONORABLE AND DIGNIFIED BEARING FOR [ANY] <u>A PERSON WHO IS A</u> PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR OR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGIST:

(1) TO ACT FOR [HIS] <u>THE PERSON'S</u> CLIENT OR EMPLOYER IN
PROFESSIONAL MATTERS OTHERWISE THAN AS A FAITHFUL AGENT OR
TRUSTEE, OR TO ACCEPT ANY REMUNERATION OTHER THAN [HIS] <u>THE</u>
<u>PERSON'S</u> STATED RECOMPENSE FOR SERVICES RENDERED.

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(2) TO ATTEMPT TO INJURE FALSELY OR MALICIOUSLY, DIRECTLY OR
 INDIRECTLY, THE PROFESSIONAL REPUTATION, PROSPECTS OR BUSINESS
 OF ANYONE.

4 (3) TO ATTEMPT TO SUPPLANT ANOTHER ENGINEER, LAND SURVEYOR
5 OR GEOLOGIST AFTER DEFINITE STEPS HAVE BEEN TAKEN TOWARD [HIS]
6 <u>THE OTHER'S</u> EMPLOYMENT.

7 (4) TO COMPETE WITH ANOTHER ENGINEER, LAND SURVEYOR OR
8 GEOLOGIST FOR EMPLOYMENT BY THE USE OF UNETHICAL PRACTICES.
9 (5) TO REVIEW THE WORK OF ANOTHER ENGINEER, LAND SURVEYOR OR
10 GEOLOGIST FOR THE SAME CLIENT, EXCEPT WITH THE KNOWLEDGE OF
11 [SUCH] THAT ENGINEER, LAND SURVEYOR OR GEOLOGIST, OR UNLESS THE
12 CONNECTION OF [SUCH] THAT ENGINEER, LAND SURVEYOR OR GEOLOGIST
13 WITH THE WORK HAS TERMINATED.

14 (6) TO ATTEMPT TO OBTAIN OR RENDER TECHNICAL SERVICES OR
15 ASSISTANCE WITHOUT FAIR AND JUST COMPENSATION COMMENSURATE WITH
16 THE SERVICES RENDERED: PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THE DONATION OF [SUCH]
17 <u>THE</u> SERVICES TO A CIVIC, CHARITABLE, RELIGIOUS OR ELEEMOSYNARY
18 ORGANIZATION SHALL NOT BE DEEMED A VIOLATION.

19 (7) TO ADVERTISE IN SELF-LAUDATORY LANGUAGE, OR IN ANY OTHER20 MANNER, DEROGATORY TO THE DIGNITY OF THE PROFESSION.

(8) TO ATTEMPT TO PRACTICE IN ANY FIELD OF ENGINEERING, LANDSURVEYING OR GEOLOGY IN WHICH THE REGISTRANT IS NOT PROFICIENT.

(9) TO USE OR PERMIT THE USE OF [HIS] <u>THE PERSON'S</u>
PROFESSIONAL SEAL ON WORK OVER WHICH [HE] <u>THE PERSON</u> WAS NOT IN
RESPONSIBLE CHARGE.

26 (10) TO AID OR ABET ANY PERSON IN THE PRACTICE OF
27 ENGINEERING, LAND SURVEYING OR GEOLOGY NOT IN ACCORDANCE WITH
28 THE PROVISION OF THIS ACT OR PRIOR LAWS.

29 THE BOARD SHALL APPOINT, WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE GOVERNOR,30 SUCH HEARING EXAMINERS AS SHALL BE NECESSARY TO CONDUCT HEARINGS

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AS MAY BE REQUIRED UNDER THIS SUBSECTION. 1

2 THE BOARD SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO ADOPT AND PROMULGATE RULES 3 AND REGULATIONS SETTING FORTH THE FUNCTIONS, POWERS, STANDARDS AND DUTIES TO BE FOLLOWED BY THE HEARING EXAMINERS. 4

THE HEARING EXAMINERS SHALL HAVE THE POWER TO CONDUCT 5 HEARINGS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REGULATIONS OF THE BOARD, AND TO 6 ISSUE SUBPOENAS REQUIRING THE ATTENDANCE AND TESTIMONY OF 7 8 INDIVIDUALS OR THE PRODUCTION OF, PERTINENT BOOKS, RECORDS, 9 DOCUMENTS AND PAPERS BY PERSONS WHOM THEY BELIEVE TO HAVE 10 INFORMATION RELEVANT TO ANY MATTER PENDING BEFORE THE EXAMINER. [SUCH] THE EXAMINER SHALL ALSO HAVE THE POWER TO ADMINISTER 11 12 OATHS.

13 THE HEARING EXAMINER SHALL HEAR EVIDENCE SUBMITTED AND ARGUMENTS OF COUNSEL, IF ANY, WITH REASONABLE DISPATCH, AND 14 15 SHALL PROMPTLY RECORD HIS DECISION, SUPPORTED BY FINDINGS OF FACT, AND A COPY THEREOF SHALL IMMEDIATELY BE SENT TO THE BOARD 16 AND TO COUNSEL OF RECORD, OR THE PARTIES, IF NOT REPRESENTED. 17 18 IF APPLICATION FOR REVIEW IS MADE TO THE BOARD WITHIN TWENTY DAYS FROM THE DATE OF ANY DECISION MADE AS A RESULT OF A HEARING 19 20 HELD BY A HEARING EXAMINER, THE BOARD SHALL REVIEW THE EVIDENCE, 21 AND IF DEEMED ADVISABLE BY THE BOARD, HEAR ARGUMENT AND 22 ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE. AS SOON AS PRACTICABLE, THE BOARD SHALL 23 MAKE A DECISION AND SHALL FILE THE SAME WITH ITS FINDING OF THE 24 FACTS ON WHICH IT IS BASED AND SEND A COPY THEREOF TO EACH OF

25 THE PARTIES IN DISPUTE.

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SECTION 4.2. PROCEDURE FOR LICENSING AS PROFESSIONAL 27 28 ENGINEER.--(A) AN APPLICANT FOR LICENSURE AS A PROFESSIONAL 29 ENGINEER SHALL SATISFACTORILY COMPLETE THE ENGINEERING 30 FUNDAMENTALS EXAMINATION AND BECOME CERTIFIED AS AN [ENGINEER-20210HB1801PN2651

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IN-TRAINING] <u>ENGINEER INTERN</u> AND SUBSEQUENTLY SHOW EVIDENCE OF
 EXPERIENCE SATISFACTORY TO THE BOARD TO PREPARE HIM FOR THE
 ENGINEERING PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE EXAMINATION.

4 (B) (1) AN APPLICANT FOR THE [ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING]
5 ENGINEER INTERN CERTIFICATE SHALL SHOW SATISFACTORY EVIDENCE OF:
6 (I) GRADUATION FROM AN APPROVED ENGINEERING CURRICULUM OF

7 FOUR OR MORE YEARS; OR

8 (II) EIGHT OR MORE YEARS OF PROGRESSIVE EXPERIENCE IN
9 ENGINEERING WORK AND KNOWLEDGE, SKILL AND EDUCATION
10 APPROXIMATING THAT ATTAINED THROUGH GRADUATION FROM AN APPROVED
11 ENGINEERING CURRICULUM.

12 (2) AN ENGINEERING STUDENT WHO HAS COMPLETED TWO OR MORE 13 YEARS OF AN APPROVED PROGRAM IN ENGINEERING MAY, SUBJECT TO 14 BOARD APPROVAL, SIT FOR THE EXAMINATION; BUT [SUCH] <u>THE</u> STUDENT 15 SHALL NOT BE ELIGIBLE FOR CERTIFICATION UNTIL [HE] <u>THE STUDENT</u> 16 SHOWS PROOF OF GRADUATION.

(3) AN APPLICANT WHO SATISFACTORILY COMPLETES THE
EXAMINATION IN ENGINEERING FUNDAMENTALS SHALL BE CERTIFIED AS AN
[ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING] ENGINEER INTERN WITHOUT TIME LIMITATION
AND MAY REMAIN CERTIFIED UNTIL SUCH TIME AS [HE] THE APPLICANT
BECOMES LICENSED UNDER THIS ACT AS A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER.
(C) AN APPLICANT WHO IS A CERTIFIED [ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING]

23 <u>ENGINEER INTERN</u> MAY APPLY FOR LICENSURE AND SHALL PASS THE 24 EXAMINATION IN ENGINEERING PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE. TO QUALIFY 25 FOR THE PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE EXAMINATION, AN APPLICANT SHALL, 26 IN ADDITION TO HOLDING THE [ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING] ENGINEER_ 27 <u>INTERN</u> CERTIFICATE, SHOW SATISFACTORY PROOF OF:

(1) FOUR OR MORE YEARS OF PROGRESSIVE EXPERIENCE IN
ENGINEERING WORK PERFORMED [AFTER THE ISSUANCE OF THE ENGINEERIN-TRAINING CERTIFICATE AND] UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A

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PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER OR A SIMILARLY QUALIFIED ENGINEER OF A 1 GRADE AND CHARACTER TO [FIT HIM] QUALIFY THE APPLICANT TO ASSUME 2 3 RESPONSIBLE CHARGE OF THE WORK INVOLVED IN THE PRACTICE OF ENGINEERING; OR 4

(2) FOUR OR MORE YEARS OF PROGRESSIVE TEACHING EXPERIENCE IN 5 6 AN APPROVED CURRICULUM UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A PROFESSIONAL 7 ENGINEER OR A SIMILARLY OUALIFIED ENGINEER OF A GRADE OR 8 CHARACTER TO [FIT HIM] QUALIFY THE APPLICANT TO ASSUME 9 RESPONSIBLE CHARGE OF THE WORK INVOLVED IN THE PRACTICE OF 10 ENGINEERING.

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SECTION 4.5. CONTINUING PROFESSIONAL COMPETENCY 12 13 REOUIREMENTS.--* * *

(C) EACH LICENSEE SHALL BE REQUIRED TO OBTAIN TWENTY-FOUR 14 15 PDH UNITS DURING THE BIENNIAL RENEWAL PERIOD. IF A LICENSEE EXCEEDS THE REQUIREMENT IN ANY RENEWAL PERIOD, A MAXIMUM OF 16 17 TWELVE PDH UNITS MAY BE CARRIED FORWARD INTO THE SUBSEQUENT 18 RENEWAL PERIOD. PDH UNITS MAY BE EARNED AS FOLLOWS:

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(3) COMPLETION OF [CORRESPONDENCE, TELEVISED, VIDEOTAPED AND 20 OTHER SHORT COURSES OR TUTORIALS RELEVANT TO PROFESSIONAL 21

22 PRACTICE.] DISTANCE LEARNING COURSES, IF THE COURSES RELATE TO

23 PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE AND THE PDH UNITS AWARDED ARE VERIFIABLE

24 AND MEASURABLE BY THE ACTUAL HOURS OF INSTRUCTION.

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SECTION 9. FEES.--(A) THE FEE FOR AN APPLICANT FOR 26 27 LICENSURE AS A PROFESSIONAL ENGINEER, PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR 28 OR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGIST, INCLUDING EXAMINATION, AND FOR 29 EXAMINATION OR CERTIFICATION, OR BOTH, AS AN [ENGINEER-IN-30 TRAINING] ENGINEER INTERN OR A SURVEYOR-IN-TRAINING, SHALL BE AS 20210HB1801PN2651

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FIXED BY THE BOARD BY REGULATION AND SHALL BE SUBJECT TO REVIEW 1 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE ACT OF JUNE 25, 1982 (P.L.633, NO.181), 2 3 KNOWN AS THE "REGULATORY REVIEW ACT." IF THE REVENUES GENERATED BY FEES, FINES AND CIVIL PENALTIES IMPOSED IN ACCORDANCE WITH 4 THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT ARE NOT SUFFICIENT TO MATCH 5 EXPENDITURES OVER A TWO-YEAR PERIOD, THE BOARD SHALL INCREASE 6 THOSE FEES BY REGULATION, SUBJECT TO REVIEW IN ACCORDANCE WITH 7 8 THE "REGULATORY REVIEW ACT," SUCH THAT THE PROJECTED REVENUES WILL MEET OR EXCEED PROJECTED EXPENDITURES. 9

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SECTION 11. PENALTIES.--(A) [WHOEVER SHALL ENGAGE] A PERSON 11 WHO ENGAGES IN THE PRACTICE OF ENGINEERING, THE PRACTICE OF LAND 12 13 SURVEYING OR THE PRACTICE OF GEOLOGY WITHOUT BEING LICENSED AND REGISTERED AS REQUIRED BY THIS ACT, OR EXEMPTED THEREFROM, AS 14 PROVIDED IN THIS ACT, OR SHALL PRESENT OR ATTEMPT TO USE, AS 15 [HIS] THE PERSON'S OWN, THE LICENSE OR CERTIFICATE OF 16 17 REGISTRATION OF ANOTHER, OR SHALL GIVE ANY FALSE OR FORGED 18 EVIDENCE OF ANY KIND TO THE BOARD, OR TO ANY MEMBER THEREOF, IN 19 ORDER TO OBTAIN A LICENSE OR REGISTRATION AS A PROFESSIONAL 20 ENGINEER, PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR OR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGIST 21 OR A CERTIFICATE AS AN [ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING] ENGINEER INTERN OR 22 SURVEYOR-IN-TRAINING, OR SHALL USE ANY EXPIRED, SUSPENDED OR 23 REVOKED CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION, OR SHALL OTHERWISE VIOLATE 24 THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT, SHALL BE GUILTY OF A SUMMARY OFFENSE 25 AND UPON CONVICTION THEREOF FOR A FIRST OFFENSE, SHALL BE 26 SENTENCED TO PAY A FINE NOT EXCEEDING ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS, OR 27 SUFFER IMPRISONMENT, NOT EXCEEDING THREE MONTHS, OR BOTH AND FOR 28 A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE SHALL BE GUILTY OF A FELONY, AND 29 UPON CONVICTION THEREOF, SHALL BE SENTENCED TO PAY A FINE OF NOT 30 LESS THAN TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS BUT NOT MORE THAN FIVE THOUSAND

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DOLLARS OR TO IMPRISONMENT FOR NOT LESS THAN ONE YEAR BUT NOT
 MORE THAN TWO YEARS, OR BOTH.

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4 SECTION 3. A REFERENCE TO "ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING" IN A
5 PROVISION OF 49 PA. CODE CH. 37 SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE A
6 REFERENCE TO AN ENGINEER INTERN.

7 SECTION 4. A PERSON WHO HAS BEEN AWARDED A CERTIFICATE AS AN
8 ENGINEER-IN-TRAINING PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS SECTION
9 SHALL BE DEEMED TO HAVE BEEN AWARDED A CERTIFICATE AS AN
10 ENGINEER INTERN.

11 Section 2 5. This act shall take effect in 60 days. <--