THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1065 Session of 2024

INTRODUCED BY HUGHES, FEBRUARY 23, 2024

Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission,

including the chairman and

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REFERRED TO APPROPRIATIONS, FEBRUARY 23, 2024

AN ACT

Making appropriations from a restricted revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal augmentation funds to the 2 Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2024, to June 30, 2025. 4 5 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows: 7 Section 1. The following sums, or as much thereof as may be necessary, are specifically appropriated from the restricted 8 revenue account within the General Fund and from Federal 10 augmentation funds to the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission 11 to provide for the operation of the commission for the fiscal year July 1, 2024, to June 30, 2025, for the purposes and in the 12 13 amounts shown: 14 Federal State 15 For the salaries, wages and all 16 necessary expenses for the proper 17 operation and administration of the

- 1 commissioners and the Bureau of Safety
- 2 and Enforcement.
- 3 State appropriation.......... 88,386,000
- 4 The following Federal augmentation
- 5 amounts, or as much thereof as may be
- 6 necessary, are specifically
- 7 appropriated to supplement the sum
- 8 authorized to be billed to utilities
- 9 for the operation of the commission:
- 10 (1) "Natural Gas Pipeline Safety" -
- 11 To enforce the regulations of the
- 12 Natural Gas Pipeline Safety Act.
- 13 Federal appropriation...... 4,045,000
- 14 (2) "Motor Carrier Safety."
- Federal appropriation...... 2,016,000
- 16 Any Federal funds which the
- 17 Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission
- 18 receives pursuant to these
- 19 appropriations shall not be reimbursed
- 20 to any utility.
- 21 Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2024, or
- 22 immediately, whichever is later.