THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 112

Session of 2023

INTRODUCED BY LANGERHOLC, PENNYCUICK, HUTCHINSON AND COSTA, JANUARY 12, 2023

REFERRED TO LOCAL GOVERNMENT, JANUARY 12, 2023

AN ACT

Amending the act of August 9, 1955 (P.L.323, No.130), entitled "An act relating to counties of the first, second class A, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; 2 3 amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws 4 relating thereto; relating to imposition of excise taxes by 5 counties, including authorizing imposition of an excise tax 6 on the rental of motor vehicles by counties of the first class; and providing for regional renaissance initiatives," 7 8 in public health, further providing for provision for burial 9 10 of dependents and other persons. The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 11 12 hereby enacts as follows: 13 Section 1. Section 2166 of the act of August 9, 1955 14 (P.L.323, No.130), known as The County Code, is amended to read: 15 Section 2166. Provision for Burial of Dependents and Other 16 Persons. -- Except as otherwise provided by law, the county 17 commissioners of counties of the fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh 18 and eighth classes shall provide for the burial of any person 19 who dies in the county unless his body is claimed by a relative 20 by blood or marriage, or by a friend, or by his fraternal or veterans' organization, or by a charitable organization, or by 21

the Anatomical Board of the State of Pennsylvania, and is buried

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- 1 at the expense of such relative, friend or organization. No such
- 2 burial shall cost more than [three hundred dollars (\$300).]
- 3 eight hundred dollars (\$800) nor less than four hundred dollars
- 4 <u>(\$400).</u>
- 5 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.