

132nd General Assembly Legislation Enacted of Interest to County Auditors

➤ **HB 18 SPECIAL ELECTION REQUIREMENTS**

Eliminate the requirement of holding a special election to fill a vacancy in a party nomination for the office of representative to Congress under certain circumstances; authorize local elected officers that have levied a hotel lodging excise tax, or a designee of such officers, to simultaneously hold the position of officer or member of the board of trustees of a convention and visitors' bureau without constituting incompatible offices; and require that, upon request, county auditors, municipal fiscal officers, and their employees must share lodging tax return information with the directors of convention and visitors' bureaus operating in their counties.

Effective 10/29/18

➤ **HB 24 VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS-TAX EXEMPTION**

Modify the existing tax exemption for veterans' organizations' property, make appropriations and otherwise provide authorization and conditions for the operation of state programs, and declare an emergency.

Effective 3/30/2018

➤ **HB 34 OFFICIAL NOTICE DELIVERY**

Authorize certain state agencies, local governments, and other boards, commissions, and officers to deliver certain notices by ordinary mail and electronically instead of by certified mail.

Effective 11/2/2018

➤ **HB 69 TOWNSHIP REVENUE ISSUES**

Require reimbursement of certain township fire and emergency medical service levy revenue forgone because of the creation of a municipal tax increment financing district, authorize subdivisions to remove territory from existing joint economic development zones (JEDZs), authorize townships to enter into enterprise zone agreements with retail businesses with the approval of the affected school district, allow a county or transit authority to levy sales tax in increments of 0.25%, modify the procedures by which resolutions proposing the levy of property taxes are submitted to electors, and increase the appropriation for the Medicaid Local Sales Tax Transition Fund.

Effective 3/23/2018

➤ **HB 118 TAX COMPLAINT DISMISSAL**

Expressly prohibit the dismissal of a property tax complaint for failure to correctly identify the property owner.

Effective 2/5/2018

➤ **HB 291 EMPLOYEE DISHONESTY INSURANCE**

Allow certain political subdivisions to adopt a policy authorizing the use of an "employee dishonesty and faithful performance of duty policy" instead of individual surety bonds for officers, employees, and appointees who are otherwise required by law to give bond before entering upon the discharge of duties.

Effective 3/19/2019

➤ **HB 341 JUDGES-PUBLIC RECORDS EXEMPTION**

Include judges as individuals whose residential and familial information is exempt from disclosure under the Public Records Law, and whose addresses public offices, upon request, must redact from records available to the general public on the internet.

Effective 3/4/2019

➤ **HB 484 HEALTH DISTRICTS-CREDIT CARDS *INCLUDED IN SB 229***

Authorize city and general health districts to use credit cards in accordance with prescribed requirements.

Effective 3/22/2019

➤ **HB 500 TOWNSHIP LAW**

Make various changes to township law, make an appropriation for Pike County capital case litigation, and make an appropriation for Death Benefit Fund beneficiaries.

Effective 3/21/2019

➤ **SB 296 COMPENSATION of ELECTED OFFICIALS**

Increase the compensation of elected public officers through 2028; create the Public Office Compensation Advisory Commission.

Effective 12/27/2018