
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. 1142 Session of
2015

INTRODUCED BY YAW, TEPLITZ, YUDICHAK, RAFFERTY AND HUTCHINSON,
MARCH 7, 2016

REFERRED TO BANKING AND INSURANCE, MARCH 7, 2016

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of July 6, 1989 (P.L.169, No.32), entitled, as
2 amended, "An act providing for the regulation of storage
3 tanks and tank facilities; imposing additional powers and
4 duties on the Department of Environmental Protection and the
5 Environmental Quality Board; and making an appropriation,"
6 further providing for Underground Storage Tank
7 Indemnification Board.

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

10 Section 1. Section 703(a)(1) of the act of July 6, 1989
11 (P.L.169, No.32), known as the Storage Tank and Spill Prevention
12 Act, amended January 30, 1998 (P.L.46, No.13), is amended to
13 read:

14 Section 703. Underground Storage Tank Indemnification Board.

15 (a) Establishment of board, appointment and terms.--There is
16 hereby created the Underground Storage Tank Indemnification
17 Board which shall consist of ten members. The Insurance
18 Commissioner and the Secretary of the Department of
19 Environmental Protection shall be ex officio members. Eight
20 members shall be appointed by the Governor, as follows:

1 (1) Six members who shall be persons with particular
2 expertise in the management of underground storage tanks.
3 Three of these members shall be appointed for terms of four
4 years and three shall be appointed for a term of three years.
5 The Governor shall appoint the members, one each from a list
6 of nominees provided by each of the following:

7 (i) The Associated Petroleum Industries of
8 Pennsylvania.

9 (ii) The Pennsylvania Petroleum Association.

10 (iii) The Service Station Dealers and Automotive
11 Repair Association of Pennsylvania and Delaware and the
12 Petroleum Retailers and Auto Repair Association, Inc.

13 (iv) [The Middle Atlantic Truck Stop Operators] The
14 Pennsylvania Food Merchants Association.

15 (v) The Pennsylvania Farm Bureau, Pennsylvania State
16 Grange and Pennsylvania Farmers Union.

17 (vi) The Tank Installers of Pennsylvania.

18 * * *

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