

medical and hospitalization coverage to the medical, major medical and hospitalization plan in effect for annuitants at the time of his retirement and at the time of filing an application for an allowance under subsection (1) of this section shall indicate such election on such forms under such terms as shall be prescribed by the retirement board.

A former member of a State group [medical and hospitalization plan who is an annuitant on July 15, 1963, may elect to re-enroll in said plan] medical, major medical and hospitalization plan who retired on or after May 1, 1965, who converted his medical and hospitalization coverage to the State annuitant plan, but who was not given the opportunity to convert his major medical coverage at the time of his retirement, may elect to enroll for major medical coverage under the State annuitant plan and shall, within [sixty (60)] thirty (30) days of receipt return the forms provided for [re-enrollment] enrollment.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 24th day of September, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 278

AN ACT

HB 1145

Amending the act of June 25, 1913 (P. L. 555), entitled "An act providing for the regulation of dams, or other structures or obstructions, as defined herein, in, along, across, or projecting into all streams and bodies of water wholly or partly within, or forming part of the boundary of, this Commonwealth; vesting certain powers and duties in the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania, for this purpose; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof," authorizing the repair of certain bridges in townships of the second class without the consent of the Water and Power Resources Board.

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

Section 1. Section 2, act of June 25, 1913 (P. L. 555), entitled "An act providing for the regulation of dams, or other structures or obstructions, as defined herein, in, along, across, or projecting into all streams and bodies of water wholly or partly within, or forming part of the boundary of, this Commonwealth; vesting certain powers and

duties in the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania, for this purpose; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof," amended May 6, 1937 (P. L. 559), is amended to read:

Section 2. [From] Except as provided herein, from and after the passage of this act, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, partnership, association, corporation, county, city, borough, town, or township to construct any dam or other water obstruction; or to make or construct, or permit to be made or constructed, any change ¹ therein or addition thereto; or to make, or permit to be made, any change in or addition to any existing water obstruction; or in any manner to change or diminish the course, current, or cross section of any stream or body of water, wholly or partly within, or forming a part of the boundary of, this Commonwealth, except the tidal waters of the Delaware River and of its navigable tributaries, without the consent or permit of the Water and Power Resources Board, in writing, previously obtained, upon written application to said board therefor. The director, Bureau of Municipal Services of the Pennsylvania Department of Highways may authorize the repair of any township bridge having a span of twenty feet or less in a township of the second class without the consent or permit of the Water and Power Resources Board.

APPROVED—The 24th day of September, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 279

AN ACT

HB 1504

Amending the act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), entitled "An act consolidating and revising the Vehicle Code, the Tractor Code, the Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Act and other acts relating to the ownership, possession and use of vehicles and tractors," clarifying the extent to which certain vehicles carrying passengers for hire may bear or display illuminated signs.

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

Section 1. Section 804, act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), known as "The Vehicle Code," is amended to read:

¹ "herein" in original.