

No. 186

AN ACT

SB 1473

Providing for preservation of existing forms of government and classifications pending home rule or optional plan proceedings.

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

Section 1. Whenever a municipality has instituted proceedings for adoption of a home rule charter or optional plan of government in accordance with the provisions of Article II of the "Home Rule Charter and Optional Plans Law," upon filing of a petition or a copy of the ordinance adopted by the municipality with the county board of elections of the county wherein the municipality is located, such municipality shall retain the form of government and classification in effect prior to January 1, 1971 until a final determination of the will of the electorate is made.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 12th day of July, A. D. 1972.

MILTON J. SHAPP

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 186.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "C. McLaughlin Tucker". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "C" and a prominent "T" at the end.

*Secretary of the Commonwealth.*