

No. 321

AN ACT

HB 2441

Authorizing incorporated towns to prohibit and remove nuisances and dangerous structures on public or private grounds, or to require the removal of such nuisances and dangerous structures by the owner or occupier of such grounds.

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

Section 1. All incorporated towns are hereby empowered to prohibit and remove any nuisance, including but not limited to, accumulations of garbage and rubbish and the storage of abandoned or junked automobiles and to prohibit and remove any dangerous structure on public or private grounds, or to require the removal of any such nuisance or dangerous structure by the owner or occupier of such grounds, in default of which the town may cause the same to be done, and collect the cost thereof, together with a penalty of fifteen per cent of such cost, in the manner provided by law for the collection of municipal claims, or by action of assumpsit, or may seek relief by bill in equity.

Section 2. In the exercise of such powers incorporated towns may enact any ordinance or make any regulation, restriction or prohibition, and may provide for the enforcement thereof and may prescribe penalties for the violation thereof or for the failure to conform thereto.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 6th day of December, A. D. 1972.

MILTON J. SHAPP

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 321.



*Secretary of the Commonwealth*