

3. *Fiduciaries Exempted from Liability for Loss.*—In case the said moneys shall be invested as set forth in paragraph one of *clause (a)* of this [clause] *section*, or conformably to the directions of the court, under paragraph two of *clause (a)* of this [clause] *section*, the said fiduciary shall be exempted from all liability for loss on the same, in like manner as if such investments had been made in pursuance of directions in the will creating the trust, it being hereby declared that the investments mentioned in this section are legal investments of moneys by fiduciaries: *Provided, however, That if any such investment shall cease to be a legal investment, it shall be the duty of such fiduciary to exercise due care and prudence in the ascertainment of such fact, and in the disposition or retention of any such investment thereafter.*

Section 3. This act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment.

APPROVED—The 2d day of July, A. D. 1935.

GEORGE H. EARLE

No. 207

AN ACT

To amend sections 1 and 2 as amended, sections 70 and 71, to repeal section 69 of, and to add sections 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, 1.5, 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 70.1, 70.2, 70.3, and 73 to, the act, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, six hundred eighty), entitled "An act providing for the examination, licensure, and registration of persons, firms, or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage, and prescribing certain rules, regulations, and requirements for the construction of plumbing, house drainage, and cesspools in cities of the first class, and imposing fines, penalties, and forfeitures for violation thereof," further regulating the business and work of plumbing and house drainage in such cities, and the examination, licensure, and registration of those engaged in such business or work, creating the "Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health" therein, and giving them certain powers and duties relative thereto.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section 1 of the act, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and eleven (Pamphlet Laws, six hundred eighty), entitled "An act providing for the examination, licensure, and registration of persons, firms, or corporations engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing or house drainage, and prescribing certain rules, regulations, and requirements for the construction of plumbing, house drainage, and cesspools in cities of the first class, and imposing fines, penalties, and forfeitures for violation thereof," as amended by section

Section 1, act of June 7, 1911 (P. L. 680), as amended by section 1, act of May 7, 1931 (P. L. 101), further amended.

one of the act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred one), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That [on and after the first day of January (1912), nineteen hundred and twelve, it shall not be lawful for any person to carry on or work at the business of plumbing or house drainage in cities of the first class, having a system of sewerage and water-supply, of this Commonwealth, until a certificate or license to engage in or work at said business shall have been granted said persons by the Director of the Department of Public Health or the Bureau or Board of Health of such cities; nor until they have registered as such in the office of the Board or Bureau of Health of said cities: Provided, however, That nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the employment or working of apprentices, under the direction of duly registered and licensed master or employing plumbers: And provided further, That master or employing plumbers, duly registered and licensed, and having a bona fide place of business in said cities of the first class at the time of the passage of this act, and journeymen plumbers who have served not less than four years apprenticeship, shall not be required to undergo any examination, and they shall be entitled to register; provided said persons, firms, or corporations register prior to January first, one thousand nine hundred and twelve, and annually thereafter between the first and thirty-first days of December of each year, as per section two of this act: And provided further, That before such certificate or license to engage in the work of said business shall be granted to any master plumber, firm, or corporation, such master plumber, firm, or corporation shall file a bond annually in the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00), in such form and with such surety as is approved by the city solicitor, for use of the parties interested, conditioned to indemnify the city and property owners against loss by reason of the said master plumber, firm, or corporation failing to comply with the acts of Assembly and the rules and regulations of the Department of Public Health in the performance of work done by such master plumber, firm, or corporation. Said bond shall contain a provision that no suit thereon shall be instituted or maintained unless and until the Department of Public Health issues a certificate, certifying that said master plumber, firm, or corporation has failed to comply with such acts of Assembly and/or such rules and regulations of the Department of Public Health. In the event of such bond being cancelled or becoming ineffective for any reason whatsoever, the license granted to such master plumber, firm, or corporation may be revoked] *on and after the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-*

six, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons to carry on the business or work at the trade of plumbing, defined as drainage, water piping, or the construction, alteration, and repairing any drainage, cesspools, trap, waste vent, or water piping, and fixtures attached thereto, directly or indirectly, connected to the city service water supply, or any connection or connections in relation thereto, except gas or electric water heaters in cities of the first class, having a system of sewerage and water supply, of this Commonwealth, until a master plumber's license and certificate of registration to engage in or work at said business shall have been granted said persons by the Department of Health of such cities: Provided, That nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the employment of apprentices, except as hereinafter provided, journeymen and licensed plumbers under the direction of duly certified and licensed master plumbers, or under the direction of registered journeyman plumbers: And provided further, That master plumbers, duly certified and licensed and having a bona fide place of business in said cities of the first class at the time of the passage of this act, and registered journeyman plumbers, shall not be required to undergo an examination, and they shall be entitled to apply for registration annually thereafter.

Section 2. Said act is hereby amended by adding thereto sections 1.1, 1.2, 1.3, 1.4, and 1.5 to read as follows:

Sections 1.1,
1.2, 1.3, 1.4,
and 1.5 added
to said act.

Section 1.1. All and every person or persons, desiring to engage in the business or trade of plumbing as a master plumber in cities of the first class, shall apply in person, and file an application, in writing, containing the recommendation of two registered master plumbers, certifying to the fact that such applicant has the necessary knowledge and experience and bears a good reputation, and the applicant shall have been a duly registered apprentice plumber for no less than four years, and a registered journeyman plumber for at least one year, prior to the filing of such application for license as master plumber, which application shall be made to the Department of Health, and after proper examination given by the Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health of said cities, if such person or persons so applying shall be found competent and the fee has been paid as hereinafter provided, the same shall be certified to the Director of Public Health of said cities, who shall, only to those so certified by the Board of Plumbing Supervision, issue a license and certificate of registration to such persons, certifying that they are registered master plumbers. Such license shall so long exist as such master plumbers shall comply with all the rules and regulations of the Department of Health and obey the provisions of this act, and shall entitle them to annually

apply for a certificate permitting them to engage in, or work at, the trade of plumbing.

One desiring to secure the status of an apprentice shall cause his name to be recorded on the register or rolls of the Department of Health, at a cost to be fixed by the Director of the Department of Health, and, if approved, shall receive a card of registration. The employer of the apprentice shall certify on the said register or rolls that he is the certified licensed master plumber employing the apprentice. If the apprentice changes employers, each employer shall certify his employment of the apprentice. The apprentice shall be sixteen years of age or over: Provided, That every certified master plumber may employ one apprentice, and shall be entitled to employ not more than one additional apprentice for every four journeymen plumbers employed.

No one but a qualified plumber, as specified and provided for herein, may do plumbing work, however, a helper or laborer may work under the direction of such a qualified licensed plumber, performing only ordinary unskilled labor, such as: Excavating, drilling, cleaning, and moving.

Section 1.2. No person, firm, or corporation, not directly engaged in the trade or business of plumbing, shall engage in the said business, trade or work by himself, itself, employe, or by any other means attempt to engage in the said plumbing work, or business of plumbing. No member of a firm of three or more persons or a corporation can engage in or continue in the plumbing trade, unless one member is a certified licensed master plumber and a second member of the said firm or corporation possesses a license as a master plumber.

Should a certified master plumber or a licensed master plumber member of the firm or corporation die, become incapacitated, or sever his connection with the business, the business can be continued during the process of administration for a period of not exceeding one year; providing the necessary steps are taken satisfactory to the Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health to admit another master plumber, qualified as above provided for, as a member of the said firm or corporation: Provided, That a certified licensed master plumber, approved by the Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health, during this interim of administration, supervises all work and assumes full responsibility therefor: And provided further, That municipal authorities shall be permitted to employ a licensed plumber for the repairing of plumbing in municipal buildings.

Section 1.3. In the month of November, the Department of Health shall send to the shop of each licensed master plumber, possessing a certificate of that year, an application for a certificate for the succeeding year, and

those desiring to continue in the trade of plumbing may, either deliver in person, or mail into the Department of Health the said application, properly executed and signed, together with the fee prescribed hereinafter, not later than the thirty-first day of December, and the Department of Health shall then mail the certificate to the licensed master plumber, certifying him as a licensed registered master plumber. The cost of securing such certificate each year shall be three dollars (\$3.00), and no other cost to be imposed by the city.

Upon the failure of a licensed master plumber to make proper application for his certificate, as herein provided, by the thirty-first day of December, he shall pay a penalty of two dollars (\$2.00), and those licensed master plumbers, who fail to secure a certificate for two years, shall take an examination as required of applicants by this act.

Section 1.4. Those desiring to become journeymen plumbers shall apply to the Department of Health, and be given an examination by the Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health, for the privilege of which examination, they shall pay five dollars (\$5.00). The names of those persons found competent, shall be certified to the director of health of said cities, who shall thereupon issue a certificate of registration to the applicant. Registered journeymen plumbers, who have been registered for four years, shall be entitled to take the examination and qualify for a license as a master plumber. The journeyman plumber shall register each year in the month of January with the Department of Health, and receive a certificate of registration at the cost of fifty cents (50c).

Those applying for a license as a master plumber shall pay, for the privilege of examination, the sum of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00), and those, who shall fail to pass an examination, shall be permitted to retake the examination after the lapse of three months, for which he shall pay five dollars (\$5.00). Should the applicant again fail, he may retake the examination at intervals of one year at the cost of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00).

If the applicant for registration as a journeyman plumber fails, he may retake the examination, after three months, at the cost of one dollar (\$1.00), and if he fails again, he may retake the examination, at intervals of three months, at the cost of five dollars (\$5.00). All fees for examinations and registration, as herein provided for, shall be paid into the city treasury.

A register or roll of all master plumbers and journeymen and apprentices, who shall secure their certification each year, shall be kept in the said department, which register or roll shall be open to the inspection of all persons interested therein.

Section 1.5. Every certified licensed master plumber shall have a bona fide place of business in said cities, and shall display on the front of his or their place of business, the word "Registered" and the name or names of the person, firm, or corporation in letters not less than three inches high.

No person, other than a certified licensed master plumber, shall be allowed to display the sign of plumbing or plumbing repair or house drainage or water piping, or any advertisement pertaining thereto, and the same shall apply to a firm or corporation.

Every registered master plumber, firm, or corporation shall give immediate notice of any change in his, their, or its place of business, and upon his, their, or its retirement from business shall surrender his, their, or its certificate to the Department of Health.

Section 2 of said act, as amended by section 2, act of May 7, 1931 (P. L. 101), further amended.

Section 3. Section two of the said act, as amended by section two of said amending act, approved the seventh day of May, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one (Pamphlet Laws, one hundred one), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Section 2. [All and every person or persons, engaged or engaging in the business or work of plumbing and house drainage in cities, shall apply in writing to the said Director of the Department of Public Health, Board or Bureau of Health, for such certificate or license; and if, after proper examination made by the board or bureau of health of said cities, such person or persons so applying shall be found competent, the same shall be certified to the Director of Public Health, Board or Bureau of Health, who shall thereupon, and upon the giving of a bond as hereinabove provided for, issue a certificate or license to such persons, which shall for the period of one calendar year, or fractional part thereof, next ensuing the date of such examination, entitle him or them to engage in or work at the business of plumbing and house drainage.

A register of all such applicants and the license or certificates issued shall be kept in said department, which said register shall be open to the inspection of all persons interested therein.

The Director of the Department of Public Health is hereby authorized to appoint a board of examiners, to consist of the Director of the Department of Public Health, one plumbing inspector, and two competent plumbers in no wise connected with the city government, who shall examine all applicants for license under the provisions of this act. The said board shall make all reasonable rules, regulations, and examinations, which shall be approved by the said Director of the Department of Public Health. An examination of any one member of a firm or corporation, or of the superintendent or foreman thereof, shall be deemed sufficient.

Said person or persons, firm, or corporation, engaged or engaging in the business of plumbing or house drainage, shall pay for each examination the sum of twenty-five dollars, and each journeymen or person engaged in the work shall pay the sum of fifty cents, which sum shall be paid into the city treasury, for the use of said cities. The proper officers of said cities are hereby authorized to pay the plumbers acting on said board the sum of ten dollars per day for each day or session thus actually employed.

Every registered master plumber shall have a bona fide place of business in said cities, and shall display on the front of his or their place of business a sign "Registered Plumber," bearing the name or names of the person, firm, or corporation, in letters not less than three inches high.

No person other than a registered master plumber shall be allowed to carry on or engage in the business, nor shall any person or persons expose the sign of plumbing or house drainage, or any advertisement pertaining thereto, unless he or they have first given such bond, secured a license or certificate, and been registered in the office of the Board or Bureau of Health of such cities; nor shall any person or persons other than a registered master plumber, or person in his or their employ or under his or their supervision; be allowed to alter, repair, or make any connection with any drain-, soil-, waste-, or vent-pipe, or any pipe connected therewith.

Every registered master plumber, firm, or corporation shall give immediate notice of any change in his, their, or its place of business; and upon his, their, or its retirement from business shall surrender his, their, or its certificate of registry to the Board or Bureau of Health. Every person, firm, corporation, or representative thereof, in registering, shall give the full name or names of the person, firm, or officers' names of the corporation, for which he or they shall register.

At the expiration of each calendar year said certificate or license shall be null and void. A licensed master or journeyman plumber desiring to continue in or work at the business of plumbing and house drainage for the ensuing year shall, between the first and thirty-first days of December of each year, surrender the said certificate or license for the current year to the Department or Board or Bureau of Health, and reregister his, their, or its name or names, and business or home address, upon such form or forms as may, from time to time, be furnished by said Department or Board or Bureau of Health.

A reexamination will not be necessary for reregistration unless the licensed master or journeyman plumber should have failed to make application for reregistration at the specified time. The sum of twenty-five dol-

lars shall be paid by master plumbers, firms, or corporations, and the sum of twenty-five cents by journeymen plumbers, for reregistration, which sums shall be paid into the city treasury, for the use of said cities. A register of all such applicants and license or certificates issued shall be kept in said Department, Board or Bureau of Health, which said register shall be open to the inspection of all persons interested therein. Any person, firm, or corporation holding a license or certificate, granted by any city of this Commonwealth, to engage in or work at the business of plumbing and house drainage, desiring to do plumbing and drainage work in any other city than the one in which said license or certificate was granted, shall, without examination, be registered before entering upon such work: Provided, however, That such registration shall be restricted and limited to such plumbing and drainage work as he, they, or it shall have contracted for at the time of registry. On the completion of such contract or contracts the registration of such person, firm, or corporation shall be null and void, and no further permit shall be issued to such person, firm, or corporation until he, they, or it shall have first registered his or its name or their names and addresses, as hereinbefore provided.] *The Director of the Department of Health shall appoint a board, to be known as the Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health. It shall consist of the Director of the Department of Health, one representative of the House Drainage Division of the Division of Housing and Sanitation, four certified licensed master plumbers, and one licensed journeyman plumber. A master plumber, who may qualify as an appointee, must conduct a bona fide shop and be actively engaged in the trade of plumbing, and those qualifying must not hold a position with the city or in any other manner be connected with the city, or be an officer of a political party. Three members of the board shall be appointed for a term of three years, and two for a term of two years.*

Sections 2.1,
2.2, 2.3, 2.4,
and 2.5, added
to said act.

Section 4. Said act is hereby amended, by adding thereto sections 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, to read as follows:

Section 2.1. This board shall examine all applicants for licenses as master plumbers, as provided for under the provisions of this act, and, upon finding the applicant competent, shall certify his name to the Director of Health as qualified to be licensed and registered.

Section 2.2. The said board shall have the power to hear complaints, made by licensed plumbers, of irregularities committed by licensed and licensed certified master plumbers, and irregularities committed by registered journeymen plumbers and apprentices, and the said board of the Department of Health shall have the power to suspend or revoke the certificate or the license of the master plumber, and also suspending or revoking the

certificate of registered journeyman plumber, upon cause shown. The aggrieved respondent shall have the privilege of appeal from the action of the Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health to the court of common pleas, as in all other appeals made and provided for under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania from executive bodies.

The said board shall make all rules and regulations for the conducting of its business. The board shall further have the power to hear complaints of licensed certified master plumbers and of registered journeymen plumbers against employes of the Department of Health connected with the plumbing division.

In furtherance thereof, the Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health may recommend to the Director of the Department of Health the punishment or dismissal of said employe of the house drainage division of the division of housing and sanitation.

The proper officers of the said cities shall pay the plumbers, acting on said board, the sum of ten dollars (\$10.00) for each day or session thus actually employed in carrying out the duties provided for by the provisions of this act. The Board of Plumbing Supervision shall be convened for the purposes of carrying out the provisions of this act as frequently as they deem necessary. Such meetings shall be held in a fixed centrally located headquarters provided by the Department of Health.

Section 2.3. That person holding the position of supervising plumbing inspector, and that person holding the position of assistant supervisor of plumbing, and those persons holding the positions of plumbing inspectors, must successfully have passed the examination of licensed master plumber as given by the Board of Plumbing Supervision: Provided, however, That those men holding those positions, upon the passage of this act, shall not be affected thereby, so long as they shall continue in their employment.

Section 2.4. The Department of Health shall issue to each master plumber, who reregisters as a master plumber for the year one thousand nine hundred and thirty-six, and to every master plumber, who is granted a license thereafter, a license and a permanent license number, stating that the applicant has successfully passed the examination for a master plumber and is entitled to apply for reregistration annually thereafter; provided he has established a place of business. After this place of business has been approved by the Department of Health, he shall be granted a certificate of registration, and the Department of Health shall furnish one metal plate bearing the words "Registered Master Plumber," Philadelphia, and his permanent license number. If additional metal plates are required, they shall, upon written application, be furnished by the depart-

ment at a cost to be set by the Department of Health: And provided further, That each and every vehicle used by master plumbers and equipped for trade of plumbing, or used for the regular transportation of tools and equipment used for plumbing, must have attached thereto, on its exterior, in a plainly visible position, the herein described metal plate.

Section 2.5. Any person, firm, or corporation holding a license or certificate, granted by any city of this Commonwealth, to engage in or work at the trade of plumbing, house drainage, and water piping, desiring to do plumbing, house drainage, or water piping in a city of the first class shall, without examination, be registered before entering upon said work: Provided, however, That such person or persons shall, prior to such registration, post a surety bond in the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500), in such form and with such surety as is approved by the city solicitor, for use of the parties interested, conditioned to indemnify the city and property owners against loss by reason of the said master plumber, firm, or corporation failing to comply with the acts of Assembly and the rules and regulations of the Department of Health in the performance of work done by such master plumber, firm, or corporation, and pay the sum of fifteen dollars, which sum shall be paid into the city treasury: And provided further, That such registration shall be restricted and limited to such plumbing, repair, drainage work, or water piping as he, they, or it shall have contracted for at the time of registry. On the completion of such contract or contracts, the registration of such person, firm, or corporation shall be null and void, and no further permit shall be issued to such person, firm, or corporation until he, they, or it shall have first registered his, their, or its name or names and addresses, as hereinbefore provided.

Section 5. Section sixty-nine of said act is hereby repealed.

Section 6. Section seventy of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 70. [Any person or persons who shall fail to comply with any of the provisions of this act, regarding the procuring of a license or certificate to engage in or work at the business of plumbing or house drainage, shall be liable to a fine of not less than ten dollars, nor exceeding fifty dollars, for each and every day he or they shall engage in or work at said business without first having obtained said certificate or license; and any person or persons who shall violate any of the rules, regulations, or requirements set forth in this act, regarding the construction, reconstruction or testing of plumbing, house drainage, or cesspools, shall be liable for every such offense to a fine of not less than ten dollars, nor more than fifty dollars, which fines shall be

Section 69 of said act, repealed.

Section 70, amended.

recoverable before any alderman or police magistrate in said cities, by summary proceedings, and shall be sued for in the name of such cities, and when collected shall be paid into the treasury thereof.

All fines and penalties imposed by this act shall be recoverable by summary proceedings, before any police magistrate or justice of the peace in said cities; and all suits or actions at law instituted for the recovery thereof shall be in the name and for the use of the city within or against which offense is committed; and upon recovery thereof, all such fines and penalties shall be paid to the city treasurer thereof. In default of the payment of any fine or penalty imposed by any police magistrate or justice of the peace, under the provisions of this act, the person or persons so offending may be committed to the jail, workhouse, or other penal institution of the county in which said city is situated, for a period not exceeding thirty days.] *Any person or persons, who shall fail to comply with any of the provisions of this act, regarding the procuring of a license or certificate to engage in or work at the business of plumbing or house drainage, cesspools, water piping, and fixtures attached thereto, directly or indirectly connected to the city service water supply, additions, alterations, and repairs to plumbing, house drainage, water piping, cesspools, wastes, traps or vents, shall, upon summary conviction before a magistrate, or upon conviction in a court of record, for the first offense committed by such person or persons pay the cost of prosecution and enter a bond of two years' duration of an approved surety company, approved by the court of common pleas of the county, in the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500), to the city in which said offense shall have been committed, conditioned that he will not violate any of the provisions of said acts of Assembly thereafter, if the violator shall fail to procure a bond, he shall be committed to the county jail for thirty days, and, upon any subsequent violation of any provision of this act, the magistrate must hold the person or persons for the next term of court, and, upon conviction, the said bond shall be forfeited to said city: Provided, That such person or persons shall be liable to a fine of fifty dollars for each and every day he or they shall engage in or work at said business, without having first obtained the certificate and license, as herein set forth, and at the discretion of the court shall be imprisoned for a period not exceeding twelve months.*

Section 7. Said act is hereby amended, by adding thereto sections 70.1, 70.2, 70.3, to read as follows:

Section 70.1. Licensed plumbers, who shall violate any of the rules, regulations, or requirements made by the Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health, in accordance with the provisions of said act

70.1, 70.2, and
70.3 added to
said act.

as amended, regarding the construction, reconstruction, additions, alteration, repairing, or testing of plumbing, house drainage, water piping, and fixtures attached thereto, directly or indirectly connected to the city service water supply, cesspools and wastes traps or vents, shall be liable for every such offense to a fine of not less than five dollars (\$5.00), nor more than fifty dollars (\$50.00). All fines and penalties, imposed by this act, shall be recoverable by summary proceedings, before any police magistrate or justice of the peace or court of record in said cities; and all suits or actions at law may be instituted by any individual for the recovery thereof; and shall be in the name and for the use of the city within or against which offense is committed; and, upon recovery thereof, all such fines and penalties shall be paid to the city treasurer thereof.

Section 70.2. At the instance of the Director of Health, the city solicitor shall institute all legal proceedings for violations of the provisions of this act.

Section 70.3. All permits secured for the doing of any plumbing, house drainage, cesspools, water piping, and fixtures attached thereto, directly or indirectly connected to the city service water supply, cesspools, wastes, traps or vents, shall be conspicuously posted upon the front of the premises where the work is being done. Any police official or inspector of the Department of Health of the said cities shall immediately order such work discontinued until a permit is produced: Provided, That if said work be nevertheless continued without placing said permit in a conspicuous place, said person or persons shall be guilty of a violation, and punished as set forth herein.

Section 71
amended.

Section 8. Section 71 of said act is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 71. The Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department [or Board or Bureau] of Health shall have power to make such rules, regulations, and changes in the foregoing specifications relative to the construction of the plumbing or house drainage as said [department] board [or bureau] may, from time to time, determine to be necessary or advisable for the better protection of the safety or health of the occupants of any house, or the community.

Section 73
added to
said act.

Section 9. Said act is hereby amended, by adding thereto section 73, to read as follows:

Section 73. Wherever it does appear in the act, to which this is an amendment, the phrase "Board or Bureau of Health," the same shall be taken to mean the Board of Plumbing Supervision of the Department of Health.

Inconsistent
acts repealed.

Section 10. All acts, and parts of acts, inconsistent with the provisions of this amending act, or supplied thereby, are hereby repealed.

All rules and regulations, ordinances of council of the said cities of the first class, inconsistent, contradictory, or contravening the provisions and purposes of this amending act are hereby declared null and void.

APPROVED—The 2d day of July, A. D. 1935.

GEORGE H. EARLE

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No. 208

AN ACT

To amend section six of the act, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred three), entitled "An act relating to the form, execution, revocation, and interpretation of wills; to nuncupative wills; to the appointment of testamentary guardians; to spendthrift trusts; to forfeiture of devise or legacy in case of murder of testator; to elections to take under or against wills, and to the recording and registering of such elections and of decrees relative thereto, and to the fees therefor."

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That section six of the act, approved the seventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen (Pamphlet Laws, four hundred three), entitled "An act relating to the form, execution, revocation, and interpretation of wills; to nuncupative wills; to the appointment of testamentary guardians; to spendthrift trusts; to forfeiture of devise or legacy in case of murder of testator; to elections to take under or against wills, and to the recording and registering of such elections and of decrees relative thereto, and to the fees therefor," is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 6, act of June 7, 1917 (P. L. 403), amended.

Section 6. No estate, real or personal, shall be bequeathed or devised to any body politic, or to any person in trust for religious or charitable uses, except the same be done by will [attested by two credible, and, at the time, disinterested witnesses] at least thirty days before the decease of the testator; and all dispositions of property contrary hereto shall be void and go to the residuary legatee or devisee, heirs or next of kin, according to law. [A disinterested witness, within the meaning of this section, is a witness not interested in such religious or charitable use,—this section not being intended to apply to a witness interested in some other devise or bequest in the same instrument.]

Section 2. This act shall become effective immediately upon its final enactment. When effective.

APPROVED—The 2d day of July, A. D. 1935.

GEORGE H. EARLE