

three months next preceding the municipal election of November, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven, in at least two newspapers in every county in which such newspapers shall be published, the proposed amendment to article fourteen of the Constitution providing for the abolition of the County of Philadelphia as a municipal corporation, separate and distinct from the City of Philadelphia, in the form proposed by joint resolutions adopted by the General Assembly in its general sessions of 1935 and 1937, respectively.

Constitutional amendment.

Section 2. The Secretary of the Commonwealth is hereby authorized and directed to certify the said question and proposed amendment to the various county election boards to be printed upon the ballots, or to be placed on the voting machines, so that the said question and proposed amendment shall be voted upon at the municipal election of November, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-seven.

Advertising and certification.

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

When effective.

APPROVED—The 6th day of May, A. D. 1937.

GEORGE H. EARLE

No. 140

AN ACT

Authorizing county commissioners in counties of the seventh and eighth classes to transfer surplus county moneys to the poor district, and providing for the expenditure of the moneys so transferred for poor district purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That whenever the current funds of the poor district of any county of the seventh or eighth class shall be exhausted, it shall be lawful for the county commissioners of any such county, at any time during the last nine months of the fiscal year, to transfer, from time to time, to the account of the poor district, any county moneys which, in the opinion of the county commissioners, will not be needed during the current fiscal year for general county purposes, and the county money, so transferred, shall be available for expenditure by the poor district in the same manner and for the same purposes as if raised by taxation for poor purposes, including the payment of any temporary indebtedness of the poor district.

Counties of seventh and eighth classes.

Section 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

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

When effective.

APPROVED—The 7th day of May, A. D. 1937.

GEORGE H. EARLE