

No. 122

AN ACT

Amending the act of June twelve, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws 692), entitled "An act fixing the salary of county commissioners in counties of the first class," increasing annual salaries of city commissioners of Philadelphia.

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

Title, act of June 12, 1923, P. L. 692, amended.

Section 1. The title, act of June twelve, one thousand nine hundred twenty-three (Pamphlet Laws 692), entitled "An act fixing the salary of county commissioners in counties of the first class," is amended to read:

AN ACT

Fixing the salary of city commissioners of Philadelphia, formerly known as county commissioners in counties of the first class.

Section 1 of act, amended July 5, 1947, P. L. 1352, further amended.

Section 2. Section one of the act, amended July five, one thousand nine hundred forty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 1352), is amended to read:

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the annual salary of the city commissioners of Philadelphia, formerly known as county commissioners in counties of the first class, shall be [eight thousand eight hundred (\$8800)] fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars.

Act effective first Monday of January, 1956.

Section 3. This act shall take effect on the first Monday of January, 1956.

APPROVED—The 9th day of August, A. D. 1955.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 123

AN ACT

Fixing the salary of the district attorney of Philadelphia.

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

District attorney's salary.

Section 1. The annual salary of the district attorney of Philadelphia shall be eighteen thousand five hundred dollars (\$18,500).

Repeal.

Section 2. The following acts are repealed in so far as they relate to the annual salary to be paid to the district attorney of Philadelphia.

The act of March fourteen, one thousand nine hundred five (Pamphlet Laws 37), entitled "An act to fix the salaries of district attorneys, and providing for the appointment of assistant district attorneys, in the several counties of this Commonwealth having over eight hundred thousand inhabitants; prescribing the powers and duties, and fixing the salaries of the said assistant district attorneys."

The act of June twenty-one, one thousand nine hundred forty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 849), entitled "An act increasing the salaries of certain elected officers whose salaries are payable out of the treasury of cities of the first class."

Section 3. This act shall take effect January 2, 1956. Act effective
January 2,
1956.

APPROVED—The 9th day of August, A. D. 1955.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 124

AN ACT

Amending the act of March seven, one thousand nine hundred one (Pamphlet Laws 20), entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class," removing limitation upon compensation of police magistrates.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows: Cities of second
class.

Section 1. Section one of Article XVI, act of March seven, one thousand nine hundred one (Pamphlet Laws 20), entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class," amended April thirteen, one thousand nine hundred twenty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 200), is amended to read: Section 1, Article XVI, act of March 7, 1901, P. L. 20, amended April 13, 1927, P. L. 200, further amended.

ARTICLE XVI

Police Magistrates

Section 1. The police power for taking information, making arrests, and preservation of the peace, heretofore vested in the mayor and five police magistrates, shall hereafter vest in the mayor and not less than five nor more than eight police magistrates, as shall be designated by ordinance, all of whom shall not be of the same political party; to be appointed by the mayor, subject to the approval of the select council in such districts of the city as shall by ordinance be designated, whose term of office shall be during good behavior and until a successor shall be appointed and approved. Said magistrates shall receive an annual salary, [not exceeding six thousand dollars (\$6000)] to be fixed by councils, and shall serve for the term of the mayor appointing them, but subject to removal by him. This act shall not be construed to repeal the act of June sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, entitled "An act relating to and defining the power and duties of police magistrates in cities of the second class," in so Police magistrates.
Appointment.
Terms.
Salaries.
Act of June 16, 1891.