

No. 443

AN ACT

Amending the act of June twenty-four, one thousand nine hundred thirty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 872), entitled "An act to consolidate, amend and revise the penal laws of the Commonwealth," making it unlawful for any person to carry on or about his person a firearm, slungshot, handy-billy, dirk-knife, razor or any other deadly weapon or any knife, razor or cutting instrument, the blade of which can be exposed in an automatic way by switch, push-button, spring mechanism, or otherwise.

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

Section 1. Section four hundred sixteen, act of June twenty-four, one thousand nine hundred thirty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 872), known as "The Penal Code" is amended to read: Section 416, act of June 24, 1939, P. L. 872, amended.

Section 416. Carrying Deadly Weapons,—[Whoever carries any firearm, slungshot, handy-billy, dirk-knife, razor or any other deadly weapon, concealed upon his person] *Whoever carries any firearm, slungshot, handy-billy, dirk-knife, razor or any other deadly weapon, concealed upon his person, or any knife, razor or cutting instrument, the blade of which can be exposed in an automatic way by switch, push-button, spring mechanism, or otherwise,* with the intent therewith unlawfully and maliciously to do injury to any other person, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon the conviction thereof, shall be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars (\$500), or undergo [an] imprisonment [by separate or solitary confinement] not exceeding one (1) year, or both.

The jury trying the case may infer such intent from the fact the defendant carried such weapon. Inference of intent.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately. Act effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 4th day of April, A. D. 1956.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 444

AN ACT

To amend the act, approved the thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws 531, Act No. 131), entitled "An act permitting and regulating wrestling and boxing contests and exhibitions; requiring licenses and permits; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the State Athletic Commission; providing for the granting, suspension, and revocation of licenses and permits issued by the Commission; preserving the rights of existing licensees and permittees; prescribing penalties, fines, forfeitures and misdemeanors; requiring

bonds and insurance; creating a Medical Advisory Board; providing for rules and regulations; and making appropriations," * regulating the use of a fictitious or assumed name by any participant in any amateur boxing contest or exhibition.

Pennsylvania
Athletic Code.

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

Act of August 31,
1955, P. L. 531,
amended by
adding a new
section 203.1.

Section 1. The act, approved the thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred fifty-five (Pamphlet Laws 531, Act No. 131), entitled "An act permitting and regulating wrestling and boxing contests and exhibitions; requiring licenses and permits; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the State Athletic Commission; providing for the granting, suspension, and revocation of licenses and permits issued by the Commission; preserving the rights of existing licensees and permittees; prescribing penalties, fines, forfeitures and misdemeanors; requiring bonds and insurance; creating a Medical Advisory Board; providing for rules and regulations; and making appropriations," is hereby amended by adding, immediately following section two hundred three, a new section to read as follows:

Section 203.1. Fictitious Names.—No person shall participate in any amateur boxing contest or exhibition under a fictitious or assumed name, unless such fictitious or assumed name has first been registered with the Commission.

APPROVED—The 4th day of April, A. D. 1956.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 445

AN ACT

Authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies, with the approval of the Governor, to acquire five tracts of land in the Borough of West Chester, Chester County, for use of West Chester State Teachers' College; and making an appropriation.

Real property.

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

Department of
Property and
Supplies, with
approval of the
Governor, authorized to purchase
certain land, for
use of West
Chester State
Teachers' College, in Borough
of West Chester,
County of Chester.

Section 1. The Department of Property and Supplies, with the approval of the Governor, is authorized to purchase in the name of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, for use of West Chester State Teachers' College, any or all of the following described five tracts of land in the Borough of West Chester, County of Chester, and Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows:

Description.

Tract No. 1. Beginning on the east side of New Street 348 feet 6 inches southwardly from the south-

* "by" in original.