

No. 233

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 20, 1883 (P. L. 136), entitled "An act to regulate the computation of time under statutes, rules, orders and decrees of court, and under charters and by-laws of corporations, public and private," changing the computation of time in certain respects.

Computation of time.

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

Section 1, act of June 20, 1883, P. L. 136, amended.

Section 1. Section 1, act of June 20, 1883 (P. L. 136), entitled "An act to regulate the computation of time under statutes, rules, orders and decrees of court, and under charters and by-laws of corporations, public and private," is amended to read:

In computing time under statutes, &c., the first day to be excluded and the last day included.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That where by any existing law or rule of court, or by any law or rule of court that may hereafter be enacted and made, the performance or doing of any act, duty, matter, payment or thing shall be ordered and directed, and where any court shall, by special or other order, direct the performance or doing of any act, matter, payment, sentence or decree, and the period of time or duration for the performance or doing thereof shall be prescribed and fixed, such time in all cases shall be so computed as to exclude the first, and include the last days of any such prescribed or fixed period, or duration of time: Provided, That whenever the last day of any such period shall fall on *Saturday* or *Sunday*, or on any day made a legal holiday by the laws of this Commonwealth, or of the United States, such day shall be omitted from the computation: And provided, That this act shall not apply to the payment of negotiable paper.

Application.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall apply to any matter or proceeding which has not been finally concluded when this act takes effect.

Act effective immediately.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 11th day of August, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 234

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 4, 1927 (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," authorizing the annexation of certain territory in a township which territory is contiguous to and owned by the borough.

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

The Borough Code.

Section 1. Article IV., act of May 4, 1927 (P. L. 519), known as "The Borough Code," reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P. L. 1621), is amended by adding, after section 427, a new subdivision to read:

Article IV., act of May 4, 1927, P. L. 519, reenacted and amended July 10, 1947, P. L. 1621, further amended by adding a new subdivision (c.1), section 428.

(c.1) *Annexation of Adjacent Territory Owned by a Borough*

Section 428. Annexation by Ordinance; Procedure.—
 (a) *Any borough which, on the effective date of this act, owns territory in a township, which territory is contiguous to the borough, may annex such territory by ordinance, such ordinance to set forth a description *of the territory to be annexed and the courses and distances of the boundaries of the territory. A copy of such ordinance shall be certified to the Department of Internal Affairs.*

(b) *Upon such annexation by ordinance, a plan of the territory annexed shall be filed by the borough council in the office of the county commissioners and with the clerk of the court of quarter sessions and, thereupon, the annexation shall become effective. The annexation proceedings authorized by this section are in addition to, and not in substitution of, proceedings otherwise provided by law for annexation of territory, and may be followed without reference to or compliance with any other such provisions.*

APPROVED—The 11th day of August, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 235

AN ACT

Amending the compact contained in the act of June 5, 1937 (P. L. 1664), entitled "An act to ratify and adopt a compact or agreement negotiated by commissioners designated by the Governor of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and commissioners designated by the Governor of the State of Ohio, relative to the development, use, and control of the Pymatuning Lake and the State owned land surrounding said lake for fishing, hunting, recreational, and park purposes," designating the lake area on which motor boats may be operated and providing penalties.

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

Compact between Pennsylvania and Ohio concerning Pymatuning Lake.

* "to" in original.