

The Veterinary Law.

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

Section 6, act of April 27, 1945, P. L. 321, amended.

Section 1. Section 6, act of April 27, 1945 (P. L. 321), known as "The Veterinary Law," is amended to read:

Section 6. Fees.—The fee for an applicant for examination and licensure to practice veterinary medicine in this Commonwealth shall be fixed by the Department of Public Instruction in accordance with existing law. It shall be the duty of all persons now qualified and engaged in the practice of veterinary medicine, or who shall hereafter be licensed by the board, to register [annually] *biennially* with said board and pay for each such [annual] *biennial* registration, [such fee as may be fixed by the Department of Public Instruction] *a fee of ten dollars (\$10.00)*.

Effective date.

Section 2. This act shall take effect in thirty days.

APPROVED—The 15th day of December, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 664

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 3, 1911 (P. L. 639), entitled, as amended, "An act relating to the right to practice medicine and surgery in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; and providing a Bureau of Medical Education and Licensure as a bureau of the Department of Public Instruction, and means and methods whereby the right to practice medicine and surgery and any of its branches may be obtained, and exemptions therefrom; and providing for an appropriation to carry out the provisions of said act, and providing for revocation and suspension of licenses by said bureau; and providing penalties for violation thereof, and repealing all acts or parts of acts inconsistent therewith," changing from annual to biennial registration and increasing the registration fee.

Medical Practice Act.

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

Subsection (c), section 7, act of June 3, 1911, P. L. 639, amended August 6, 1941, P. L. 903, further amended.

Section 1. Subsection (c) of section 7, act of June 3, 1911 (P. L. 639), known as the "Medical Practice Act," amended August 6, 1941 (P. L. 903), is amended to read:

Section 7. License Certificates; Exemptions; Non-resident Practitioners; Graduate Students; Annual Registration; Automatic Suspension in Case of Mental Incompetency; Unlawful Practice.—

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(c) And it shall be the duty of all persons now qualified and engaged in the practice of medicine and surgery or any branch or branches thereof provided for in this act, or who shall hereafter be licensed by the Department of Public Instruction for the board to engage in such practice in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania to be registered with the said board, as practitioners, on or before the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, and thereafter to register in like manner [annually] *biennially* on or before the first day of January of each succeeding [year] *biennium*. The form and method of such registration shall be provided for by the said board in such manner as will enable the board to carry into effect the purposes of this act.

Each person so registering with the board shall pay, for each [annual] *biennial* registration and for the certificate hereinafter provided for, a fee [of one \*dollar or such other sum as may be fixed by the Department of Public Instruction under authority of law] *which shall be ten dollars (\$10.00) for all persons engaged in the practice of medicine and surgery, except those engaged in the practice of drugless therapy or physical therapy in which case such fee shall be five dollars (\$5.00)*; which fee shall accompany the application for such registration. The money thus received shall be paid into the State Treasury for the use of the Commonwealth.

Upon receiving a proper application for such registration accompanied by the fee above provided for, the Department of Public Instruction acting for said board shall issue its certificate of registration to the applicant. Said certificate together with its renewals shall be good and sufficient evidence of registration under the provisions of this act. And the Department of Public Instruction shall be required to publish biennially a list of the persons so registered.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect in thirty days.

Effective date.

APPROVED—The 15th day of December, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

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No. 665

AN ACT

Amending the act of August 10, 1951 (P. L. 1182), entitled "An act relating to and defining chiropractic and the right to practice chiropractic; requiring licensure; conferring powers and im-

\* "dollars" in original.