

Section 442. Deputies and Solicitors May Attend Annual Meetings.—The deputy controller, the deputy sheriff, the deputy register of wills, *the deputy clerk of orphans' court*, the deputy treasurer, the deputy prothonotary, the deputy clerk of the courts of quarter sessions, the first assistant district attorney, the deputy recorder of deeds and the chief deputy coroner, with the approval of his principal, and the solicitor for each officer, may attend the annual meetings of his respective associations either together with the controller, sheriff, register of wills, treasurer, prothonotary, clerk of the courts of quarter sessions, district attorney, recorder of deeds or coroner as the case may be or in his place.

Section 444. Other Meeting Expenses Paid by Counties.— * * *

(b) In the case of county commissioners, county solicitor and county clerk, county controllers, sheriffs, registers of wills, *clerks of orphans' courts*, county treasurers, recorders of deeds, prothonotaries, clerks of courts of quarter sessions, district attorneys and coroners, the portion of the annual expenses charged to each county shall not exceed seventy-five dollars (\$75), in the case of the directors of veterans' affairs the portion charged to each county shall not exceed fifty dollars (\$50), and in the case of the probation officers an annual membership subscription not exceeding six dollars (\$6) per member shall be paid by the county, and shall be in lieu of the expenses hereinbefore in this section provided for other county officers.

APPROVED—The 28th day of April, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 77

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P. L. 103), entitled "An act concerning townships of the second class; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," increasing the amount which supervisors may expend on abandoned cemeteries.

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

Section 1. Clause XXVIII. of section 702, act of May 1, 1933 (P. L. 103), known as "The Second Class Township Code," reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P. L. 1481) and amended July 5, 1957 (P. L. 529), is amended to read:

Section 702. Supervisors to Exercise Powers.—

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The Second Class Township Code.

Clause XXVIII. section 702, act of May 1, 1933. P. L. 103, reenacted and amended July 10, 1947, P. L. 1481 and amended July 5, 1957, P. L. 529, further amended.

XXVIII. Abandoned Cemeteries.—When any cemetery or burial ground, incorporated or unincorporated, is abandoned, or is being neglected although occasionally used for burial purposes, either of the following actions may be taken :

(1) The township supervisors may give notice to the owner thereof, directing him to remove the weeds, refuse and debris therefrom within thirty days. If the weeds, refuse and debris are not removed within thirty days after such notice, the supervisors shall cause the same to be done by employes of the township or persons hired for the purpose at the expense of the township. In no case shall the township supervisors expend more than [one] *two* hundred dollars in any one year on any one cemetery. All costs and expenses of such removal shall be a debt owed to the township by the owner of the cemetery or burial ground, and may be collected therefrom as like debts are collected, or (2) the court of quarter sessions of the county, upon petition of twenty-five residents of the township wherein such cemetery is located, may direct the supervisors to care for such cemetery at a cost of not more than [one] *two* hundred dollars in any one year. The supervisors shall expend moneys from the general township fund for such purpose. Such cemetery shall remain open to the public under the regulation and control of the supervisors.

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APPROVED—The 28th day of April, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 78

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 1, 1959 (P. L. 392), entitled "An act relating to the retirement of State employes; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," further defining compensation and final average salary in the case of certain members of the General Assembly.

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

State Employes' Retirement Code of 1959.

Clauses (15) and (19), section 102, act of June 1, 1959, P. L. 392, and clause (19), amended August 4, 1959, P. L. 621, further amended.

Section 1. Clauses (15) and (19) of section 102, act of June 1, 1959 (P. L. 392), known as the "State Employes' Retirement Code of 1959," clause (19), amended August 4, 1959 (P. L. 621), are amended to read:

Section 102. Definitions.—The following words and phrases as used in this act, unless a different meaning is plainly required by the context, shall have the following meanings:

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