

No. 145

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," further regulating compensation to aged employes.

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

The Borough Code.

Section 1. Section 1104.1, act of May 4, 1927 (P. L. 519), known as "The Borough Code," reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P. L. 1621), is amended to read:

Section 1104.1, act of May 4, 1927, P. L. 519, reenacted and amended July 10, 1947, P. L. 1621, further amended.

Section 1104.1. Compensation to Aged Employes.— By ordinance a borough may provide for compensation to appointees and employes of not less than ten years of satisfactory service, and who are not less than sixty years of age, a proportion of the compensation last paid to them but not in excess of fifty per centum (50%) thereof, *including benefits received under the Social Security Act, if any*, as fixed in said ordinance or amendment thereto. The expenditures herein authorized shall be paid out of the general tax levy for the current expenditures of the year, and not by any special tax therefor. Nothing herein shall preclude any appointee or employe of the borough from joining in any pension system or municipal retirement system that the borough may adopt. The true intent and purpose hereof is to permit boroughs, without exceeding the present general tax limitation, to pay to servants in their employ who are too old to advantageously join any pensioning or retirement system, a reasonable annuity in lieu of joining a pensioning or retirement system [and who are not and cannot now be socially protected by any Federal security system now applicable to persons not employed by municipalities].

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Act effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 7th day of June, A. D. 1961.

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No. 146

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 3, 1923 (P. L. 134), entitled "An act making the proceedings of the conventions of the Departments of Pennsylvania of the Grand Army of the Republic and the United Spanish War Veterans a part of the public records of the State; and providing for their publication and distribution," correcting the name of the Italian American World War Veterans of the United States Incorporated to conform with its charter.