

No. 386

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 28, 1915 (P. L. 587), entitled, as amended, "An act to protect the public health by regulating and licensing the manufacture, preparation, handling, storage, sale, transportation, and possession of meat, meat-food products and poultry; and prescribing the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture incidental thereto," excepting from licensing requirements those persons dealing in or handling certain canned meat which does not require refrigeration.

Public health.

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

Subsection (a),
section 10.1,
act of May 28,
1915, P. L. 587,
added May 11,
1945, P. L. 454,
amended.

Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 10.1, act of May 28, 1915 (P. L. 587), entitled, as amended, "An act to protect the public health by regulating and licensing the manufacture, preparation, handling, storage, sale, transportation, and possession of meat, meat-food products and poultry; and prescribing the powers and duties of the Department of Agriculture incidental thereto," added May 11, 1945 (P. L. 454), is amended to read:

Annual license.

Section 10.1. (a) It shall be the duty of every person except retail dealers, restaurants or eating places operating an establishment as defined in section three of this act in this Commonwealth, *and except any person dealing in or handling meat in cans containing less than two pounds each and which do not require refrigeration*, to apply to the department for a license to do so before the first day of January, one thousand nine hundred forty-six, and annually thereafter before the first day of January, of each succeeding year, and pay to the department at the time said application for registration and license is filed an annual fee of ten dollars (\$10.00) for each establishment operated.

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Act effective immediately.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 26th day of July, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 387

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P. L. 102), entitled "A supplement to the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred sixty-two), entitled 'An act providing for the creation and administration of a State Fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto; declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be mis-

demeanors; and providing penalties for the violation thereof, providing for the examination and audit of the State Workmen's Insurance Fund by the Insurance Department, and appropriating the moneys in the fund for the payment of the cost of such audit and examination," clarifying the responsibilities of the Insurance Commissioner for inspection and examination of the State Workmen's Insurance Fund, and changing the period for such inspection and examination.

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

Workmen's
Insurance Fund.

Section 1. The title and sections 1, 2 and 3, act of May 1, 1933 (P. L. 102), entitled "A supplement to the act approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred sixty-two), entitled 'An act providing for the creation and administration of a State fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto; declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors; and providing penalties for the violation thereof,' providing for the examination and audit of the State Workmen's Insurance Fund by the Insurance Department, and appropriating the moneys in the fund for the payment of the cost of such audit and examination," are amended to read:

Title and sections
1, 2 and 3, act of
May 1, 1933,
P. L. 102,
amended.

A SUPPLEMENT

To the act, approved the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred and fifteen (Pamphlet Laws, seven hundred sixty-two), entitled "An act providing for the creation and administration of a State Fund for the insurance of compensation for injuries to employes of subscribers thereto; declaring false oaths by the subscribers to be misdemeanors; and providing penalties for the violation thereof," providing for the *inspection and examination* [and audit] of the State Workmen's Insurance Fund by the Insurance [Department] *Commissioner*, and appropriating the moneys in the fund for the payment of the cost of such [audit] *inspection and examination*.

New title.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., [That the Insurance Department, at least once each year, shall make a complete examination and audit of the affairs of the State Workmen's Insurance Fund, including all receipts and expenditures, cash on hand, and securities, investments, or property held representing cash or cash disbursements] *That the Insurance Commissioner shall, every three years or oftener if deemed to be necessary, personally or by his deputy, actuary or examiners, visit the State Workmen's Insurance Fund and make a complete inspection and examination of the affairs of the State Workmen's Insur-*

Insurance
Commissioner
directed to audit.

ance Fund to ascertain its financial condition and its ability to fulfill its obligations, whether the State Workmen's Insurance Board in managing the fund has complied with the provisions of law relating to the fund, and any other facts relating to its business methods and management, and the equity of the board's plans and dealings with its policyholders.

Access to books,
etc.

Section 2. For the purpose of any *inspection and examination* [and audit] authorized by this act, the Insurance Commissioner, his deputy or his examiners, shall have free access to all the books, records and papers pertaining to the State Workmen's Insurance Fund, and all persons charged with the management of the fund or connected therewith as employes are hereby directed and required to give to the Insurance Commissioner, his deputy or officers, the means, facilities and opportunity for such examination and audit.

Expenses of audit.

Section 3. The expenses incurred by the Insurance [Department] *Commissioner* in making any *inspection and examination* [and audit] under the provisions of this act shall be ascertained by the [department] *Commissioner*, and shall be certified to the State Workmen's Insurance Board, whereupon the board shall draw its warrant for the payment thereof to the [department] *Insurance Department* out of the State Workmen's Insurance Fund. Any amount so received by the Insurance Department shall be paid by it into the General Fund, through the Department of Revenue. The moneys in the State Workmen's Insurance Fund are hereby appropriated for payment of expenses of [audits] *inspections* and examinations made under this act.

Appropriation.

APPROVED—The 26th day of July, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

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No. 388

AN ACT

Amending the act of August 5, 1932 (P. L. 45), entitled "An act empowering cities of the first and second classes to levy, assess and collect, or to provide for the levying, assessment and collection of, certain additional taxes for general revenue purposes; authorizing the establishment of bureaus, and the appointment and compensation of officers and employes to assess and collect such taxes; and permitting penalties to be imposed and enforced," requiring the State Treasurer and other State officials to deduct the tax imposed by any first class city upon salaries, wages and other compensation paid to officers and employes of the Commonwealth domiciled or performing services within that city and to make a return and remit the tax so deducted to the revenue commissioner of such city.