

Section 5. Any corporation holding a license when this act takes effect shall be entitled to receive without charge a continuing license certificate in exchange for its present license. **Present licensees.**

If any provision of this act, or the application of such provision to any person or circumstances, shall be held invalid, the remainder of the act and the application of such provision to any person or circumstances, other than those as to which it is held invalid, shall not be affected thereby. **Severability.**

APPROVED—The 30th day of July, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 184

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 2, 1945 (P. L. 382), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation as bodies corporate and politic of 'Authorities' for municipalities, counties and townships; prescribing the rights, powers and duties of such Authorities heretofore or hereafter incorporated; authorizing such Authorities to acquire, construct, improve, maintain and operate projects, and to borrow money and issue bonds therefor; providing for the payment of such bonds and prescribing the rights of the holders thereof; conferring the right of eminent domain on such Authorities; authorizing such Authorities to enter into contracts with and to accept grants from the Federal Government or any agency thereof; and conferring exclusive jurisdiction on certain courts over rates," clarifying the purposes for which Authorities may be created in respect to industrial development projects.

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

Section 1. Subsection A of section 4, act of May 2, 1945 (P. L. 382), known as the "Municipality Authorities Act of 1945," amended August 7, 1961 (P. L. 936), is amended to read:

Section 4. Purposes and Powers; General.—A. Every Authority incorporated under this act shall be a body corporate and politic, and shall be for the purpose of acquiring, holding, constructing, improving, maintaining and operating, owning, leasing, either in the capacity of lessor or lessee, projects of the following kind and character, buildings to be devoted wholly or partially for public uses, including public school buildings, and for revenue-producing purposes; transportation, marketing, shopping, terminals, bridges, tunnels, flood control projects, highways, parkways, traffic distribution centers, parking spaces, airports, and all facilities necessary or incident thereto, parks, recreation

**Municipality
Authorities Act
of 1945.**

**Subsection A,
section 4, act of
May 2, 1945,
P. L. 382,
amended August
7, 1961, P. L.
936, further
amended.**

grounds and facilities, sewers, sewer systems or parts thereof, sewage treatment works, including works for treating and disposing of industrial waste, facilities and equipment for the collection, removal or disposal of ashes, garbage, rubbish and other refuse materials by incineration, land fill or other methods, steam heating plants and distribution systems, incinerator plants, waterworks, water supply works, water distribution systems, swimming pools, playgrounds, lakes, low head dams, hospitals, motor buses for public use, when such motor buses are to be used within any municipality, subways and industrial development projects, *including but not limited to projects to retain or develop existing industries and the development of new industries*: Provided, That an Authority *created by a school district or school districts shall have the power only to acquire, hold, construct, improve, maintain, operate and lease public school buildings and other school projects acquired, constructed or improved for public school purposes. The purpose and intent of this act being to benefit the people of the Commonwealth by, among other things, increasing their commerce, health, safety and prosperity, and not to unnecessarily burden or interfere with existing business by the establishment of competitive enterprises, none of the powers granted by this act shall be exercised in the construction, improvement, maintenance, extension or operation of any project or projects which in whole or in part shall duplicate or compete with existing enterprises serving substantially the same purposes. This limitation shall not apply to the exercise of the powers granted hereunder for facilities and equipment for the collection, removal or disposal of ashes, garbage, rubbish and other refuse materials by incineration, land fill or other methods, if each municipality organizing or intending to use the facilities of an Authority having such powers shall declare by resolution or ordinance that it is desirable for the health and safety of the people of such municipality that it use the facilities of the Authority, and if any contract between such municipality and any other person, firm or corporation for the collection, removal or disposal of ashes, garbage, rubbish and other refuse material has by its terms expired or is terminable at the option of the municipality or will expire within six months from the date such ordinance becomes effective. This limitation shall not apply to the exercise of the powers granted hereunder for industrial development projects if the Authority does not develop industrial projects which will compete with existing industries. The municipality or municipalities organizing such an Authority may, in the resolution or ordinance signifying their intention so to do,

* "enacted" in original.

or from time to time by subsequent resolution or ordinance, specify the project or projects to be undertaken by the said Authority, and no other projects shall be undertaken by the said Authority than those so specified. If the municipal authorities organizing an Authority fail to specify the *project or projects to be undertaken, then the Authority shall be deemed to have all the powers granted by this act.

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APPROVED—The 30th day of July, A. D. 1963.

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No. 185

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 25, 1945 (P. L. 1050), entitled "An act relating to the collection of taxes levied by counties, county institution districts, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships, certain school districts and vocational school districts; conferring powers and imposing duties on tax collectors, courts and various officers of said political subdivisions; and prescribing penalties," providing for the collection of delinquent taxes from Commonwealth employes.

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

Local Tax
Collection Law.

Section 1. The act of May 25, 1945 (P. L. 1050), known as the "Local Tax Collection Law," is amended by adding, after section 20, a new section to read:

Act of May 25,
1945, P. L. 1050,
amended by
adding a new
section 20.1.

Section 20.1. Collection of Per Capita and Occupation Taxes from the Commonwealth.—Upon presentation of a written notice and demand to the State Treasurer or any other fiscal officer of the State, or its boards, authorities, agencies or commissions, it shall be the duty of the Treasurer or officer to deduct from the wages then owing, or that shall within sixty days thereafter become due to any employe, a sum sufficient to pay the respective amount of the per capita or occupation taxes and costs shown on the written notice. The same shall be paid to the tax collector of the taxing district in which said delinquent tax was levied within sixty days after such notice shall have been given.

APPROVED—The 30th day of July, A. D. 1963.

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* "prospect" in original.