

No. 95

AN ACT

SB 275

Amending the act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323), entitled "An act relating to counties of the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," authorizing appropriations by county commissioners for payment of solicitors appointed by certain county officers.

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

Section 1. The heading of Article XVI, act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323), known as "The County Code," is amended to read:

ARTICLE XVI

FEEES OF SALARIED COUNTY OFFICERS; SALARY BOARDS;
PAYMENT OF SOLICITORS APPOINTED BY COUNTY OFFICERS

Section 2. Article XVI of the act is amended by adding, at the end thereof, a new subdivision to read:

(c) Payment of Solicitors Appointed by County Officers

Section 1630. Compensation of Solicitors Appointed by County Officers.—The county commissioners may appropriate money for the payment of any solicitor appointed pursuant to this act by a county treasurer, sheriff, prothonotary, register of wills, recorder of deeds, clerk of courts of quarter sessions and over and terminer, or a clerk of orphans' court.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 18th day of August, A. D. 1967.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER

No. 96

AN ACT

SB 524

Amending the act of June 24, 1931 (P. L. 1206), entitled "An act concerning townships of the first class; amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," authorizing townships to expend funds and to enter certain contracts of insurance, and to deduct from any employe's pay, salary or compensation such part of the premium or charge as is payable by the employe.

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

Section 1. Section 1502, act of June 24, 1931 (P. L. 1206), known as "The First Class Township Code," reenacted and amended May 27, 1949 (P. L. 1955), is amended, by adding at the end thereof, a new clause to read:

Section 1502. The corporate power of a township of the first class shall be vested in the board of township commissioners. The board shall have power—

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LXIII. Insurance. To expend out of the general township fund such amount as may be necessary to secure workmen's compensation insurance for its employes, including volunteer firemen of companies duly recognized by the township by motion or resolution killed or injured while going to, returning from or attending fires, or while performing any other duties authorized by the township; to make contracts of insurance with any fire insurance company, duly authorized by law to transact business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, on any building or property owned by such township, to make contracts with any insurance company, so authorized, insuring any public liability of the township, and to make contracts of insurance with any insurance company, or nonprofit hospitalization corporation, or nonprofit medical service corporation, authorized to transact business within the Commonwealth, insuring its employes, or any class or classes thereof, or their dependents, under a policy or policies of group insurance covering life, health, hospitalization, medical and surgical service, or accident insurance, and may contract with any such company, granting annuities or pensions, for the pensioning of such employes, or any class or classes thereof, and for such purposes, may agree to pay part or all of the premiums or charges for carrying such contracts, premiums, or charges, or portions thereof. The commissioners are hereby authorized, enabled and permitted to deduct from the employe's pay, salary or compensation such part of the premium or charge, as is payable by the employe, and as may be so

authorized by the employe in writing.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 18th day of August, A. D. 1967.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER

No. 97

AN ACT

SB 533

Amending the act of August 5, 1941 (P. L. 803), entitled, as amended, "An act providing for the creation, maintenance and operation of a county employes' retirement system in counties of the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth class; imposing certain charges on counties, and prescribing penalties," authorizing the appointment of a bank and trust company or trust company as the deposit administrator.

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

Section 1. Section 20, act of August 5, 1941 (P. L. 803), entitled, as amended, "An act providing for the creation, maintenance and operation of a county employes' retirement system in counties of the fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth class; imposing certain charges on counties, and prescribing penalties," reenacted and amended May 2, 1949 (P. L. 881), and added June 6, 1963 (P. L. 76), is amended to read:

Section 20. Designation of Deposit Administrator.—Notwithstanding any provisions in this act to the contrary, the board of any county, which has not heretofore established a county pension plan under present law, [may] shall be permitted to contract with any insurance company to be designated as a deposit administrator, which has qualified, and is authorized by the Insurance Department of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to transact business in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Prior to the awarding of any contract, the board shall secure three separate proposals which shall be made a matter of record with the board. The board shall also indicate on their records the reason for awarding the contract to the particular company. Notwithstanding any provisions in this act to the contrary, the board of any county shall be permitted to contract with any bank and trust company or trust company approved by the Department of Banking of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to be designated as a deposit administrator. The deposit administrator may be given the