

of this act, and if there are more than four members of the board their terms shall be staggered in a similar manner but in no instance shall exceed five years. Thereafter, whenever a vacancy has occurred or is about to occur by reason of the expiration of the term of any member, the county commissioners shall appoint a member for a term of five years to succeed the member whose term has expired or is about to expire. Members shall hold office until their successors have been appointed, and may succeed themselves. A member shall receive such compensation for his services as the county commissioners shall determine and shall be entitled to the necessary expenses, including traveling expenses incurred in the performance of his duties. Within ninety days after the creation of the authority, the board shall meet and organize by electing from their number a chairman, a vice chairman and such other officers as the board may determine. The board may employ a secretary, an executive director, its own counsel and legal staff and such technical experts and other agents and employes, permanent or temporary, as it may require, and may determine the qualifications and fix the compensation of such persons. Four members of the board shall constitute a quorum for its meetings. Members of the board shall not be liable personally on the bonds or other obligations of the authority, and the rights of creditors shall be solely against such authority. The board may delegate to one or more of its agents or employes such of its powers as it shall deem necessary to carry out the purposes of this act, subject always to the supervision and control of the board. The board shall have full authority to manage and operate the business of the authority and to prescribe, amend and repeal by-laws, rules and regulations governing the manner in which the business of the authority may be conducted and the powers granted to it may be exercised and embodied. Copies of such by-laws, rules and regulations shall be filed with the county commissioners of the county incorporating the authority. Members may be removed at the will of the appointing power.

If a vacancy occurs by reason of the death, resignation or removal of a member, the board of county commissioners shall appoint a successor to fill his unexpired term.

APPROVED—The 3rd day of May, A. D. 1968.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER

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No. 61

AN ACT

SB 636

Providing for grants to be made by the Commonwealth for the construction, rehabilitation, alteration, expansion, or improvement of certain site development facilities;

imposing duties and powers on the Secretary of Commerce and the Department of Commerce; and making an appropriation.

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

Section 1. Short Title.—This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Site Development Act."

Section 2. Definitions.—As used in this act:

(1) "Municipality" means any city, borough, town or township of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

(2) "Municipality authority" means an authority created by a municipality, pursuant to the act of May 2, 1945 (P. L. 382), known as the "Municipality Authorities Act of 1945."

(3) "Industrial development agency" means a nonprofit corporation or a foundation or association organized and existing under the laws of this Commonwealth, regardless of the particular name, to whose members or shareholders no profit shall enure and which shall have as a purpose the promotion, encouragement, construction, development and expansion of new or existing industrial development projects.

(4) "State agency" means any agency or department of the executive branch of government of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

(5) "Department" means the Department of Commerce of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

(6) "Secretary" means the Secretary of Commerce of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

(7) "Project costs" include the cost of design and engineering, together with such other expenses as may be necessary or incident to the construction of the site development project and the placing of the same in operation.

Section 3. Grants for Site Development Projects.—The secretary is hereby authorized, upon application of any eligible municipality, municipal authority, industrial development agency, or State agency, to make grants to said municipality, municipal authority, industrial development agency, or State agency for the construction, rehabilitation, alteration, expansion, or improvement of the following site development projects:

(1) Water facilities, including, but not limited to, pumping stations and distribution facilities;

(2) Sewage collection lines;

(3) Channel realignment;

(4) Access roads.

Section 4. Grant Limitations.—The amount of any project grant made under the authority of section 3 of this act shall not exceed fifty percent of project costs; and, in no case shall the amount of any project grant be in excess of ten percent of the appropriation under this act.

Section 5. Departmental Regulations.—The secretary is hereby authorized to promulgate necessary rules and regulations, and prescribe conditions and procedures to effectuate the grant program authorized herein in order to assure compliance with the stated policy and objectives of this act. In the administration of this program no grant shall be made in connection with any project unless it is determined that the project:

- (1) Will aid directly in the industrial development or travel development of the community;
- (2) Is directly related to an industrial or travel development site;
- (3) Is not inconsistent with an existing development plan for the municipality;
- (4) Could not otherwise be financed;
- (5) Will strengthen the income-producing capability of the municipality, and
- (6) Is necessary to orderly community development.

Section 6. Appropriation.—The sum of five hundred thousand dollars (\$500,000), or as much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to the Department of Commerce for the purposes set forth in this act for the fiscal year July 1, 1967 to June 30, 1968.

Section 7. Effective Date.—This act shall take effect July 1, 1967.

APPROVED—The 6th day of May, A D. 1968.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER

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No. 62

AN ACT

SB 1243

Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," clarifying tenure status and service of professional employes in the public school system.

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

Section 1. Clause (2) of subsection (c) of section 930, act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," added September 2, 1961 (P. L. 1159), is amended to read:

Section 930. Professional and Temporary Professional Employes.

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(c) Temporary Professional Employes of a County Board. \* \* \*

(2) A temporary professional employe of a county board whose work has been certified by the county superintendent of schools to