

No. 124

AN ACT

SB 426

Amending the act of May 1, 1929 (P. L. 1046), entitled ¹ as amended, "An act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund," further providing for the appropriation to the Department of Highways for the payment of certain property damages.

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

Section 1. Clause (o) of section 5, act of May 1, 1929 (P. L. 1046), entitled ¹ as amended "An act appropriating the moneys in the Motor License Fund," reenacted and amended June 29, 1937 (P. L. 2412), is amended to read:

Section 5. The remainder of the money, from time to time in the Motor License Fund, is hereby appropriated to the Department of Highways for the following purposes:

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(o) For the payment of damages to property heretofore or hereafter caused or occasioned in connection with the work of the department in the construction, improvement, maintenance and repair, or in the preparation of materials for such purposes, of roads, highways, or bridges, under the jurisdiction of the department and for which the Commonwealth is responsible for maintenance, and attributed to negligence or carelessness on the part of the employes of the department, not exceeding, however, the sum of twenty-five thousand (\$25,000) dollars during any fiscal [biennium] year. All claims for damages to property payable hereunder shall be submitted to the Secretary of Highways in writing, verified by affidavit, and the secretary shall investigate the same and determine the amount to be paid, if any, subject to the approval of the Attorney General.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 25th day of June, A. D. 1968.

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¹ "as amended" not in original.