

No. 62
AN ACT

SB 284

Amending the act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), entitled "An act consolidating and revising the Vehicle Code, the Tractor Code, the Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Act and other acts relating to the ownership, possession and use of vehicles and tractors," extending the time for filing accident reports.

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

Section 1. The first paragraph of subsection (a) of section 1217, act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), known as "The Vehicle Code," is amended to read:

Section 1217. Duty to Report Accidents.—

(a) The operator of any motor vehicle, involved in an accident resulting in bodily injury or death to any person or damage to the property of any one person in excess of one hundred dollars (\$100.00), shall, within [twenty-four (24) hours] five (5) days, forward a report of such accident to the department upon forms furnished by the department. If the operator is physically incapable, as a result of the accident, of making a report, it shall be the duty of any other participant in the accident, who is not incapacitated as the result of the accident, to forward such report.

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Penalty.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section, shall, upon summary conviction before a magistrate, be sentenced to pay a fine of ten dollars (\$10.00) and costs of prosecution, and, in default of the payment thereof, shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days.

APPROVED—The 2d day of June, A. D. 1965.

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No. 63
AN ACT

SB 330

Amending the act of June 3, 1937 (P. L. 1333), entitled "An act concerning elections, including general, municipal, special and primary elections, the nomination of candidates, primary and election expenses and election contests; creating and defining membership of county boards of elections; imposing duties upon the Secretary of

the Commonwealth, courts, county boards of elections, county commissioners; imposing penalties for violation of the act, and codifying, revising and consolidating the laws relating thereto; and repealing certain acts and parts of acts relating to elections," providing for the setting aside of certain nominations made at the primary or by nomination papers.

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

Section 1. The act of June 3, 1937 (P. L. 1333), known as the "Pennsylvania Election Code," is amended by adding after section 922, a new section to read:

Section 922.1. Setting Aside Nominations of Candidates.—With respect to any office that was in existence on the thirteenth Tuesday before the primary and for which nominations were made at the primary or by nomination papers, whenever it shall appear that said office has been abolished in accordance with any act of assembly or legal proceeding, the county board of elections shall set aside all nominations made for any such office and shall remove such office block affected, if any, from the ballots or ballot labels for the ensuing November election.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 2d day of June, A. D. 1965.

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No. 64

AN ACT

HB 722

Authorizing the Department of Highways to conduct a study and survey to determine the advisability of establishing, constructing and maintaining a State highway in Lackawanna County for the purpose of encouraging industrial development therein.

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

Section 1. The Department of Highways is hereby empowered, and its duty shall be, to conduct a study and survey in order to determine the advisability of establishing, constructing and maintaining a State highway between Dunmore Industrial Park through the Boroughs of Throop, Olyphant, Jessup, Archbald, Jermyn, Mayfield and Carbondale City and township in Lackawanna County, beginning and ending at such