

(i) Permits to Certain Disabled [Veterans with
Service Connected Disabilities] Persons

Section 418.1. The Pennsylvania Game Commission is hereby authorized to issue to a disabled [veteran who served in the active military or naval forces of the United States and] person who is suffering from paraplegia and has permanent paralysis of both legs and lower parts of the body, or who is suffering from hemiplegia and has permanent paralysis of one leg and one arm or either side of the body, resulting from traumatic injury to the spinal cord or brain, or who has suffered amputation of both feet or one hand and one foot [sustained through enemy action or accident while in such active military or naval service,] and who ¹ qualifies for a hunting license under the provisions of article III of this act, a special permit permitting said ² person to hunt while using an automobile or vehicle. The commission shall prescribe rules and regulations requiring applicants for this permission to submit reasons [in connection with their service connected disabilities,] for granting of this request, and shall require said persons, if permission is granted, to carry said permits upon their person while hunting.

APPROVED—The 22d day of July, A. D. 1965.

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No. 130

AN ACT

HB 834

Amending the act of March 7, 1901 (P. L. 20), entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class," further regulating contracts.

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

Section 1. Section 1 of article XV, act of March 7, 1901 (P. L. 20), entitled "An act for the government of cities of the second class," is repealed.

Section 2. Article XV of the act is amended by adding at the beginning thereof, a new section to read:

Section 1.1. Every contract relating to city affairs shall be authorized by general or specific ordinance of council and shall be let in the

¹ "qualify" in original.

² "persons" in original.

manner prescribed by council. All contracts shall be awarded to the lowest responsible bidder except in the following cases:

I. Purchases at public sale or pursuant to tariffs on file with the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission;

II. Contracts for personal or professional services;

III. Contracts with political subdivisions, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania or the United States Government or with any agencies or authorities of such governmental bodies; or

IV. Purchases of personal property where, by reason of patents or copyrights, the required type of item is available from only one seller.

For competitive bidding on contracts involving an amount exceeding three hundred dollars, invitations for bids shall be issued pursuant to reasonable notice, which shall be by advertisement in the case of contracts involving an amount exceeding one thousand dollars, and all bids shall be filed with the city controller and opened publicly at a time and place to be designated in the notice, and the figures shall be announced to persons present. For competitive bidding on contracts involving an amount of three hundred dollars or less, the Director of the Department of Supplies may obtain oral bids or letter bids or may proceed by a comparison of specific prices as set forth in the sellers' literature.

APPROVED—The 22d day of July, A. D. 1965.

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No. 131

AN ACT

HB 1016

Amending the act of August 10, 1951 (P. L. 1163), entitled, as amended, "An act relating to the orphans' court; conferring exclusive jurisdiction on such courts over the administration and distribution of decedents' estates, trust estates, minors' estates, absentees' estates and incompetents' estates and the determination of title to real estate in certain cases; providing for the organization of orphans' courts, the procedure therein, the powers and duties of the judges thereof, and appeals therefrom," confirming and validating the jurisdiction of the orphans' court in certain cases.