

duties in the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania, for this purpose; and providing penalties for the violation of the provisions hereof," amended May 6, 1937 (P. L. 559), is amended to read:

Section 2. [From] Except as provided herein, from and after the passage of this act, it shall be unlawful for any person or persons, partnership, association, corporation, county, city, borough, town, or township to construct any dam or other water obstruction; or to make or construct, or permit to be made or constructed, any change ¹ therein or addition thereto; or to make, or permit to be made, any change in or addition to any existing water obstruction; or in any manner to change or diminish the course, current, or cross section of any stream or body of water, wholly or partly within, or forming a part of the boundary of, this Commonwealth, except the tidal waters of the Delaware River and of its navigable tributaries, without the consent or permit of the Water and Power Resources Board, in writing, previously obtained, upon written application to said board therefor. The director, Bureau of Municipal Services of the Pennsylvania Department of Highways may authorize the repair of any township bridge having a span of twenty feet or less in a township of the second class without the consent or permit of the Water and Power Resources Board.

APPROVED—The 24th day of September, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

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No. 279

AN ACT

HB 1504

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," clarifying the extent to which certain vehicles carrying passengers for hire may bear or display illuminated signs.

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

Section 1. Section 804, act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), known as "The Vehicle Code," is amended to read:

¹ "herein" in original.

Section 804. Illuminated Signs Prohibited.—No vehicle shall bear or display any illuminated signs, letters, numerals or figures of any kind whatsoever, except that a vehicle carrying passengers for hire, or a school bus, may bear such sign, stating its use and destination: Provided, however, That a taxicab certificated by the Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission may carry on the rear or the top of the vehicle illuminated signs so placed as not to interfere with the vision of the driver through the rear window of the vehicle and extending not more than fourteen (14) inches above the roof of the vehicle and having a width no greater than eight (8) inches less than the width of the vehicle. The type of such illuminated signs must first be submitted to and approved by the Department of Revenue.

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.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 24th day of September, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 280

AN ACT

HB 1578

Amending the act of December 15, 1959 (P. L. 1779), entitled, as amended, "An act relating to fish, frogs, tadpoles and turtles; and amending, revising, consolidating and changing the law relating to fish in the inland waters and the boundary lakes and boundary rivers of the Commonwealth," changing the license year.

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

Section 1. Section 222, act of December 15, 1959 (P. L. 1779), known as "The Fish Law of 1959," amended July 13, 1961 (P. L. 602), is amended to read:

Section 222. Applications for Licenses; License Year.—All licenses shall be issued on forms prepared and supplied by the Department of Revenue, the cost thereof to be paid from the Fish License Fund