

No. 159

AN ACT

HB 142

Amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.103, No.69), entitled "An act concerning townships of the second class; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," providing for appropriations for building hospitals.

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

Section 1. Section 702, act of May 1, 1933 (P.L.103, No.69), known as "The Second Class Township Code," reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P.L.1481, No.567), and amended May 24, 1951 (P.L.370, No.85), is amended by adding a clause to read:

Section 702. Supervisors to Exercise Powers.—The corporate powers of townships of the second class shall be exercised by the township supervisors. Where no specific authority is given for the expenditures incident to the exercise of any power hereinafter conferred, or where no specific fund is designated from which such expenditures shall be made, appropriations for such expenditures shall be made only from the general township fund. In addition to the duties imposed upon them by section 516 hereof, they shall have power—

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LXIX. Building Hospitals.—To appropriate not exceeding one dollar (\$1) per township resident per year toward the maintenance and/or support of any medical center or hospital building and further appropriate from such funds toward the purchase and/or erection of medical or hospital facilities. Where the total cost of such purchase or erection exceeds one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000), it will necessitate approval by the appropriate health planning agency. The number of residents shall be determined from the latest decennial Federal Census.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 19th day of December, A. D. 1975.

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