

nually make a sanitary survey of the building and grounds. Such medical examination shall be made in the presence of the parent or guardian of the pupil, when so requested by parent or guardian. All such medical examiners shall be physicians legally qualified to practice medicine [in] *and surgery within the scope of the act, approved the third day of June, one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws 639) and its amendments, or osteopathy or osteopathic surgery within the scope of the act, approved the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred nine (Pamphlet Laws 46) and its amendments, within this Commonwealth.* Where additional examination of the eyes is recommended by the medical examiners and desired by the school boards, such additional examinations may be made by ophthalmologists or optometrists as shall be determined by the medical examiner. The physicians, ophthalmologists and optometrists making such examinations shall be paid such amounts as the *boards of school directors may determine. Health officers of municipalities may be appointed as medical examiners in school districts.

Act effective immediately.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment.

APPROVED—The 6th day of April, A. D. 1951.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 17

AN ACT

To amend clauses (80), (81) and (87) of section 101 of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 1019), entitled "An act relating to statutory laws; prescribing an enacting clause for statutes; fixing the effective date and time of statutes hereafter enacted; providing for notice of application for local and special legislation, for the correction of errors in statutes, and for the printing and publication of statutes; prescribing rules for the interpretation of statutes; defining certain words and phrases when used in statutes; and prescribing rules for the construction and operation of amendments, re-enactments and repeals of statutes," by changing the definition of "osteopath," "osteopathic surgeon" and "physician."

"Statutory Construction Act."

Clauses (80), (81) and (87) of section 101, Act of May 28, 1937, P. L. 1019, amended.

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

Section 1. Clauses (80), (81) and (87) of section 101 of the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of May, one thousand nine hundred thirty-seven (Pamphlet Laws 1019), entitled "An act relating to statutory laws; pre-

* "board" in original.

scribing an enacting clause for statutes; fixing the effective date and time of statutes hereafter enacted; providing for notice of application for local and special legislation, for the correction of errors in statutes, and for the printing and publication of statutes; prescribing rules for the interpretation of statutes; defining certain words and phrases when used in statutes; and prescribing rules for the construction and operation of amendments, re-enactments and repeals of statutes," are hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 101. Definitions.—The following words and phrases, when used in any law hereafter enacted, unless the context clearly indicates otherwise, shall have the meanings ascribed to them in this section:

* * * * *

(80) "Osteopath," [an individual] *a physician* licensed under the laws of this Commonwealth to practice osteopathy.

(81) "Osteopathic surgeon," [an individual] *a physician* licensed under the laws of this Commonwealth to practice osteopathy and osteopathic surgery.

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(87) "Physician," an individual licensed under the laws of this Commonwealth to engage in the practice of medicine and surgery in any or in all of its branches *within the scope of the act, approved the third day of June, one thousand nine hundred eleven (Pamphlet Laws 639) and its amendments, or in the practice of osteopathy or osteopathic surgery within the scope of the act, approved the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred nine (Pamphlet Laws 46) and its amendments.*

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment. Act effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 6th day of April, A. D. 1951.

JOHN S. FINE