

leave of absence is sought, unless the board of school directors shall in its discretion allow a shorter time. Such leave of absence shall be for a half or full school year, or for two half school years during a period of two years, at the option of such person. Thereafter, one leave of absence shall be allowed after each seven years of service.

A sabbatical leave granted to a regular employe shall also operate as a leave of absence without pay from all other school activities.

Section 1169. Salary While on Leave.—The person on leave of absence shall receive [the difference between] *one-half of his or her regular salary [and the salary paid to any substitute employe temporarily engaged because of such leave]* : Provided, That the employe who is absent on sabbatical leave shall not receive more than [one thousand six hundred dollars (\$1600)] *two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2500)*, if the employe's absence on sabbatical leave is for a full school year, and not more than [eight hundred dollars (\$800)] *one thousand two hundred fifty dollars (\$1250)*, if the employe's absence on sabbatical leave is for a half school year, as defined in this act. [The salary paid to such substitute shall be the salary for substitute service, according to the salary schedule established by the local board.]

APPROVED—The 27th day of December, A. D. 1951.

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No. 474

AN ACT

To further amend section 1001 of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one (Pamphlet Laws 932), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," by permitting employes of school districts to serve as councilmen.

"The Third Class City Code."

Section 1001, act of June 23, 1931, P. L. 932, as reenacted, revised and amended by act of June 23, 1951 (Act No. 164), further amended.

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

Section 1. Section 1001 of the act, approved the twenty-third day of June, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one (Pamphlet Laws 932), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," as reenacted, revised and amended by the act, approved the twenty-eighth day of June, one thousand nine hundred fifty-one (Act No. 164), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Section 1001. Qualifications of Councilmen.—The councilmen shall be at least twenty-five years of age, and shall be elected by the electors at large. They shall have been residents of the city wherein they shall be elected throughout one year next before their election, and shall reside therein throughout their terms of service. No officer of the United States or of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (except notaries public or officers of the militia), nor any county officer, nor any officer [or employe] of any school district embraced in the territory of said city, nor any officer or employe of said city, or of any department thereof, nor any member or employe of a municipality authority of which the city is a member, shall serve as a councilman during his continuance or employment, except as hereinafter provided.

APPROVED—The 27th day of December, A. D. 1951.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 475

AN ACT

Providing for the marking of liquefied petroleum gas containers and prohibiting the refilling or use of such containers without authorization by the owner thereof; authorizing the Department of Labor and Industry, after public hearing, to prescribe uniform regulations for safety in the design, construction, location, installation and operation of equipment for storing, handling, transporting by tank truck or tank trailer and utilizing liquefied petroleum gases for fuel purposes and for the odorization of said gases used therewith; prohibiting the adoption by municipalities or other political subdivisions of ordinances or regulations in conflict with this act; providing for prosecutions for violations of this act by summary proceedings, and prescribing the penalty therefor.

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

Liquid fuels.

Section 1. Definitions.—As used in this act “Liquefied Petroleum Gas” shall mean and include any material which is composed predominately of any of the following hydrocarbons or mixtures of the same: propane, propylene, butanes (normal butane or isobutane), and butylenes.

Definitions.

“Department” shall mean the Department of Labor and Industry of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

“Establishment” shall mean any room, building or place within this Commonwealth where persons are employed or permitted to work for compensation of any kind, to whomever payable, and any place of public assembly or business to which the public has access, and