

No. 226

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 27, 1893 (P. L. 171), entitled, as amended, "An act providing for the acquisition of land and the erection, equipment, management, and operation of the Scotland School for Veterans' Children; the maintenance of children admitted thereto, and regulating the admissions to and discharges from the said Scotland School for Veterans' Children," making the superintendent the trustee of the funds of the children of the school, and providing for the filing of a bond by such trustee.

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

Scotland School
for Veterans'
Children.

Section 1. The act of May 27, 1893 (P. L. 171), entitled, as amended, "An act providing for the acquisition of land and the erection, equipment, management, and operation of the Scotland School for Veterans' Children; the maintenance of children admitted thereto, and regulating the admissions to and discharges from the said Scotland School for Veterans' Children," is amended by adding, after section 12, a new section to read:

Act of May 27,
1893, P. L. 171,
as amended, fur-
ther amended by
adding a new
section 12.1.

Section 12.1. The superintendent of the school shall act as a trustee, without application to any court, of the estate of each child of the school, for whom a guardian has not been appointed, and shall have the following duties and powers in connection therewith:

Superintendent
to act as
trustee.

(1) *He shall execute and file a separate corporate surety bond which shall be in the name of the Commonwealth in the amount of twenty thousand dollars conditioned for the proper application of funds held by him as such trustee. The said bond shall be subject to the approval of the attorney general. The cost of said bond shall be borne by the Commonwealth.*

Surety bond
required.

(2) *He shall apply for, receive and hold for any child, funds or other property to which the child is entitled. Money or other property so held for the child shall be distributed to the child, or on behalf of the child, as the superintendent of the school determines to be in the best interests of the child.*

Receiving, hold-
ing and distrib-
uting estate of
child.

(3) *He may not hold an amount in excess of five thousand dollars at any one time for any one child but shall, on behalf of a child with an estate in excess of five thousand dollars, request the attorney general to make application to the local orphans' court for the appointment of a guardian for such child, and the superintendent shall turn over to such guardian all funds or property held on behalf of such child.*

Restriction to
less than \$5000,
and mandatory
duty in excess
of that sum.

Records.

(4) *He shall keep accurate accounts of all receipts and *disbursements and deliver said accounts and balance of funds to any guardian appointed by the court.*

Accounting.

(5) *He shall deliver to such child, or his legal guardian, a complete accounting of all receipts and disbursements when the child leaves the school, or upon his death to his heirs or personal representatives. The trustee relationship of the superintendent to the child shall continue until the child reaches age twenty-one.*

Act effective immediately.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 28th day of June, A. D. 1957.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 227

AN ACT

Amending the act of March 31, 1949 (P. L. 372), entitled "An act to promote the welfare of the people of the Commonwealth; creating The General State Authority as a body corporate and politic with power to construct, improve, equip, furnish, and operate projects, and to lease the same, and to fix fees, rentals, and charges for the use thereof; authorizing and regulating the issuance of bonds for said Authority, and providing for the payment of such bonds, and the rights of the holders thereof; and to enter into agreements with the Government of the United States or any Federal agency; and authorizing the Department of Property and Supplies to grant, assign, convey, or lease to the Authority lands of the Commonwealth and interest therein, and to acquire lands therefor; granting the right of eminent domain; empowering The General State Authority to sell and convey projects and property to the Commonwealth; and providing that no debt of the Commonwealth shall be incurred in the exercise of any of the powers granted by this act," empowering the Authority to construct additions and improvements to medical colleges receiving State aid; authorizing contracts to lease and leases by Department of Public Instruction from the Authority of any additions or improvements to medical colleges receiving State aid and the furnishing and equipment thereof when used or occupied, and authorizing sub-leases of such projects.

The General State Authority Act.

Paragraph 1, section 4 and section 9.2, act of March 31, 1949, P. L. 372, amended May 18, 1956, P. L. 1634, further amended.

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

Section 1. The first paragraph of section 4 and section 9.2, act of March 31, 1949 (P. L. 372), known as "The General State Authority Act of one thousand nine hundred forty-nine," amended May 18, 1956 (P. L. 1634), is amended to read:

Section 4. Purposes and Powers; General.—The Authority is created for the purpose of constructing, improving, equipping, furnishing, maintaining, acquiring,

* "disbursement" in original.