

No. 368

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 4, 1927 (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," changing the provisions relating to bond required in awarding contracts.

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

The Borough Code.

Section 1. Subsection (c) of section 1316, act of May 4, 1927 (P. L. 519), known as "The Borough Code," reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P. L. 1621) and amended July 19, 1951 (P. L. 1026), is amended to read:

Subsection (c), section 1316, act of May 4, 1927, P. L. 519, reenacted and amended July 10, 1947, P. L. 1621 and amended July 19, 1951, P. L. 1026, further amended.

Section 1316. Regulation of Contracts.—

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(c) The successful bidder when advertising is required herein, shall be required to furnish a bond with suitable, reasonable requirements, guaranteeing the work to be done, with sufficient surety in the amount of fifty per centum of the amount of the liability under the contract, within twenty days after the contract has been awarded, unless council shall prescribe a shorter period of not less than ten days; and upon failure to furnish such bond, within such time, the previous award shall be void. *The above mandatory provisions of this subsection shall not apply to contracts for the purchase of motor vehicles or other pieces of equipment but shall apply only to contracts which involve the furnishing of labor and materials.* Deliveries, accomplishment and guarantees may be required in all cases of expenditures, including the exceptions herein.

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APPROVED—The 21st day of September, A. D. 1959.

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No. 369

AN ACT

Amending the act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323), entitled "An act relating to counties of the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," changing the provisions relating to bond required in award contracts.

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

The County Code.