

Subsection (g),
section 1802, act
of August 9,
1955, P. L. 323,
amended.

Section 1. Subsection (g) of section 1802, act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323), known as "The County Code," is amended to read:

Section 1802. Contract Procedures; Terms and Bonds; Advertising for Bids.—

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(g) The successful bidder, when advertising is required herein, shall be required to furnish a bond guaranteeing performance of the contract, with sufficient surety in the amount of fifty per centum of the amount of the contract within thirty days after the contract has been awarded, unless the commissioners shall prescribe a shorter period. Upon failure to furnish such bond within the time fixed, the previous awards 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, performances 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.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 370

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 23, 1931 (P. L. 932), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," providing that certain titles to real estate conveyed by cities shall be good and valid and free and clear of any defects unless proceedings to *attack such sales are brought within a prescribed period.

The Third Class
City Code.

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

Act of June 23,
1931, P. L. 932,
reenacted and
amended June
28, 1951, P. L.
662, amended by
adding a new
section 2402.1.

Section 1. The act of June 23, 1931 (P. L. 932), known as "The Third Class City Code," reenacted and amended June 28, 1951 (P. L. 662), is amended by adding, after section 2402, a new section to read:

*Section 2402.1. Sale of Real Estate.—The title to real estate sold by any city after June 28, 1947, if the sale was authorized by an ordinance or resolution of the city council of said city, and not **attacked in any proceeding instituted within six years of the effective date of this*

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*amendment and the title to real estate sold after the effective date of this amendment, if the sale was authorized by an ordinance or resolution of the city council of said city and is not *attached in any proceeding instituted within six years after date of such sale, is hereby declared to be good and valid and free and clear of any defects and any such person who is grantee thereunder, and his heirs, successors and assigns, shall hold and may convey such real estate and all conveyances made after June 28, 1947, are hereby ratified and confirmed. Nothing in this section shall be construed to apply to property which the city acquired other than by purchase.*

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

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 371

AN ACT

Providing for combining trusts for the benefit of employes of the same employer upon approval by the court having jurisdiction of any one of such trusts.

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

Section 1. Whenever two or more trusts heretofore have been or hereafter shall be created primarily for the benefit of the employes of the same employer or their families or appointees under any stock, bonus, pension, disability, death benefit, profit-sharing or other employe benefit plan or plans and the court of common pleas having jurisdiction over any one of such trusts, upon the application of the employer who established such trusts, any trustee thereof or any other party in interest, shall find that such trusts can be more effectively administered if they are combined, the court, in its discretion, after such notice to parties in interest as the court shall direct, may order that they be combined into one trust, which may be one of such existing trusts, in the manner and to the extent that the court shall approve, but not so as to violate any express provision to the contrary in any conveyance creating any of the trusts so combined.

Court of common pleas given discretion to combine trusts for benefit of employes of same employer.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Act effective immediately.

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

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