

*sentative of the United States then assigned to the foreign country, may be filed with the clerk of the orphans' court in the county of residence of the adopting parents. The decree and such other documents as may be filed therewith shall be kept in the files of the court as a permanent record thereof, and shall be kept from inspection except on order granted upon cause shown. Upon the filing of a foreign decree of adoption, the clerk of the orphans' courts, as the procedure established may require, shall enter upon the docket an entry showing the foreign court, the term and number or such other identification used by the foreign court and date of decree. After the decree has been filed, the court shall make a report thereof to the Department of Public Welfare on a form supplied by the department, which the department shall keep in confidential files. Information identifying the natural parents shall not be required.*

APPROVED—The 13th day of July, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 293

AN ACT

Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," authorizing second class school districts to make additions and revisions to tax duplicates.

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

Section 1. Section 677.1, act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," added January 14, 1951 (P. L. 1944), is amended to read:

Section 677.1. Additions and Revisions to Duplicates.—Whenever in *second*, third and fourth class school districts there is any construction of a building or buildings after September first of any year and such building is not included in the tax duplicate of the school district, the authority responsible for assessments in the city, borough, township or county shall, upon the request of the board of school directors, direct the assessor in the district to inspect and reassess, subject to the right of appeal and adjustment provided by the act of Assembly under which assessments are made, all taxable property in the district to which major improvements have been made after September first, and to give notice of such reassessments within ten days to the authority responsible

Public School Code of 1949.

Section 677.1, act of March 10, 1949, P. L. 30, added January 14, 1951, P. L. 1944, amended.

for assessments, the school district and the property owner. Such property shall then be added to the duplicate, and shall be taxable for school purposes at the reassessed valuation for that proportionate part of the fiscal year of the school district remaining after the property was improved. Any improvement made during the month shall be computed as having been made on the first of the month. A certified copy of the additions or revisions to the duplicate shall be furnished by the board of school directors to the tax collector for the district, and within ten days thereafter the tax collector shall notify the owner of the property of the taxes due the school district.

APPROVED—The 13th day of July, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 294

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 1, 1933 (P. L. 103), entitled "An act concerning townships of the second class; and amending, revising, consolidating, and changing the law relating thereto," providing for the election of two additional supervisors in certain townships.

The Second Class  
Township Code.

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

Section 402, act  
of May 1, 1933,  
P. L. 103, re-  
enacted and  
amended July 10,  
1947, P. L. 1481  
and July 2, 1953,  
P. L. 354,  
further amended.

Section 1. Section 402, act of May 1, 1933 (P. L. 103), known as "The Second Class Township Code," reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P. L. 1481), amended July 2, 1953 (P. L. 354), is amended to read:

Section 402. Officers to Be Elected.—(A) The electors of each township shall elect (a) *except as otherwise provided*, three supervisors, (b) one assessor, (c) three auditors, and (d) one tax collector. No person shall at the same time hold more than one elective township office: Provided, That the office of justice of the peace shall not be considered an elective township office for the purposes of this section.

(B) *The court of quarter sessions upon petition may provide for the election of two additional supervisors in any township having a population of ten thousand or more. The petition shall be presented by the board of supervisors pursuant to a resolution of such board or by at least five per centum of the registered electors of the township.*

(C) *At the first municipal election following the decree of the court providing for the election of two additional*