

No. 36

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," authorizing county commissioners to make additional appropriations to agricultural or horticultural societies regardless of where the same are located.

The County Code.

Section 1937, act of August 9, 1955, P. L. 323, amended.

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

Section 1. Section 1937, act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323), known as "The County Code," is amended to read:

Section 1937. Agricultural or Horticultural Societies.—The county commissioners are hereby authorized to make appropriations annually out of the current revenues of the county to any incorporated agricultural or horticultural society or association located within the county. The total amount of any such appropriation in any one county shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500) in any one year. Where more than one such society or association is located in the county, the amount appropriated may be distributed and divided among said societies and associations in such proportions and such amount as the board of commissioners, in its discretion, may determine.

The county commissioners are hereby authorized to make additional appropriations annually out of the current revenues of the county to any incorporated agricultural or horticultural society or association regardless of where the same is located within the Commonwealth. Such appropriations may be made in the amount of three hundred dollars (\$300) or more, but the total amount of such additional appropriations shall not exceed fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500) in any one year.

APPROVED—The 15th day of May, A. D. 1963.

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No. 37

AN ACT

Amending the act of December 22, 1959 (P. L. 1978), entitled, as amended, "An act providing for and regulating harness racing with pari-mutuel wagering on the results thereof; creating the State Harness Racing Commission as an independent administrative commission and defining its powers and duties; providing for the establishment and operation of harness racing plants subject to local option; imposing taxes on revenues of such plants; disposing of all moneys received by the commission and all moneys collected from the taxes; authorizing penalties; and making appropriations," establishing the State Har-