

No. 148

AN ACT

Amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177), entitled "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers thereof, including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reorganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments, *boards, and commissions; defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers, and of the several administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards, and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments, boards and commissions shall be determined," providing that enlisted members of the Pennsylvania State Police shall not be dismissed from service or reduced in rank except by action of a court martial board held upon the recommendation of the Commissioner and the Governor.

The Administrative Code of 1929.

Section 205, act of April 9, 1929, P. L. 177, amended August 18, 1961, P. L. 995, further amended.

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

Section 1. Section 205, act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177), known as "The Administrative Code of 1929," amended August 18, 1961 (P. L. 995), is amended to read:

Section 205. Pennsylvania State Police.—(a) The Pennsylvania State Police shall consist of a Commissioner, a Deputy Commissioner, the State police force, and the State Highway Patrol, as now authorized by law, which are hereby consolidated into one force, to be known as the State Police Force, and such chiefs, statisticians, clerks, experts and other assistants, as the commissioner, with the approval of the Governor, shall deem necessary for the work of the force.

(b) The State Police Force shall consist of such number of officers and men, and shall be organized in such manner, as the Commissioner of Pennsylvania State Police, with the approval of the Governor, shall from time to time determine: Provided, however, That during the fiscal year 1961-1962, the number of officers and men shall not exceed in the aggregate at any time two thousand persons and during the fiscal year 1962-1963 and thereafter, the number of officers and men shall not exceed in the aggregate at any time two thousand one hundred persons: And provided further, That State policemen, both officers and men, assigned to duty with

* "board" in original.

the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission, shall not be counted in determining the total number of officers and men in the State Police Force.

(c) The members of the State Police Force and the chiefs, statisticians, clerks, experts, and other assistants, engaged in the work of the Pennsylvania State Police shall be appointed by the commissioner, and shall receive such compensation as shall be fixed by the commissioner, with the approval of the Governor, which compensation shall, however, conform to the standards established by the Executive Board.

(d) Any member of the Pennsylvania State Police, except the Commissioner and Deputy Commissioner, regardless of rank, who has attained or who shall attain the age of sixty years, shall resign from membership in the said police force: Provided, however, That the provision of this paragraph shall not apply to members of the State Police Force who upon attaining the age of sixty years shall have less than twenty years of service. Upon completion of twenty years of service, the provision of this paragraph shall become applicable to such persons.

(e) *No enlisted member of the Pennsylvania State Police shall be dismissed from service or reduced in rank except by action of a court martial board held upon the recommendation of the Commissioner of the Pennsylvania State Police and the Governor.*

APPROVED—The 25th day of July, A. D. 1963.

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No. 149

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," excluding from certain advertising requirements for bid and sale certain borough real or personal property to be sold to nonprofit corporations engaged in community industrial development.

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

The Borough Code.

Section 1. The last paragraph of clause IV. of section 1201, act of May 4, 1927 (P. L. 519), known as "The Borough Code," reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P. L. 1621) and amended June 1, 1959 (P. L. 348), is amended to read:

Last paragraph, clause IV., section 1201, act of May 4 1927, P. L. 519, reenacted and amended July 10, 1947, P. L. 1621 and amended June 1, 1959, P. L. 348, further amended.

Section 1201. General Powers.—A berough may:

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