

(5) days after the primary or election. If the challenge is dismissed by any lawful order then the deposit shall be forfeited. All deposit money received by the local election board shall be turned over to the county board simultaneously with the return of the challenged ballots. The county board shall deposit all deposit money in the general fund of the county.

Notice of the requirements of subsection (b) of section 1306 shall be printed on the envelope for the absentee ballot.

Section 9. The act is amended by adding after section 1330, a new section to read:

Section 1331. Violation of Provisions Relating to Absentee Voting.—Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act relating to absentee voting shall, unless otherwise provided, be subject to the penalties provided for in section 1850 of this act.

Section 10. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 11th day of December, A. D. 1968.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER.

No. 376

AN ACT

SB 1086

Prohibiting the interception and interference of certain police and fire radio broadcasts; regulating the manufacture, conversion, sale, possession and use of certain equipment adaptable for such purpose and prescribing penalties.

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

Section 1. Police and Fire Radio Broadcasts.—(a) Police or fire radio broadcasts as used herein shall mean broadcasts on frequencies from one hundred fifty-four to one hundred fifty-six megacycles and four hundred fifty-three to four hundred fifty-nine megacycles only.

(b) No unauthorized person shall interfere with or broadcast on any police or fire radio broadcast. No person shall intercept any such broadcast for the purpose of aiding himself or others in the perpetra-

tion of any unlawful act or manufacture, own, possess, sell or transfer any radio apparatus of any nature or type intended for use in the perpetration of any unlawful act.

(c) This act shall not apply to any law enforcement agency, fire department, public utility or any public news media.

(d) Any person violating any of the provisions of this act is guilty of a misdemeanor, and, shall upon conviction thereof, be sentenced to pay a fine of not more than three hundred dollars (\$300), and to undergo imprisonment for not more than ninety days.

Section 2. <sup>1</sup> Effective Date.—This act shall take effect in five days.

APPROVED—The 12th day of December, A. D. 1968.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER.

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No. 377

AN ACT

SB 1773

Amending the act of December 31, 1965 (P. L. 1257), entitled "An act empowering cities of the second class, cities of the second class A, cities of the third class, boroughs, towns, townships of the first class, townships of the second class, school districts of the second class, school districts of the third class and school districts of the fourth class including independent school districts, to levy, assess, collect or to provide for the levying, assessment and collection of certain taxes subject to maximum limitations for general revenue purposes; authorizing the establishment of bureaus and the appointment and compensation of officers, agencies and employes to assess and collect such taxes; providing for joint collection of certain taxes, prescribing certain definitions and other provisions for taxes levied and assessed upon earned income, providing for annual audits and for collection of delinquent taxes, and permitting and requiring penalties to be imposed and enforced, including penalties for disclosure of confidential information, providing an appeal from the ordinance or resolution levying such taxes to the court of quarter sessions and to the Supreme Court and Superior Court," requiring employers to withhold occupational privilege taxes in certain cases and imposing certain duties on the Department of Community Affairs.

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

Section 1. Section 9, act of December 31, 1965 (P. L. 1257), known as "The Local Tax Enabling Act," amended August 11, 1967 (P. L. 228), is amended to read:

Section 9. Register for Earned Income and Occupational Privilege Taxes.—It shall be the duty of the Department of Community Affairs to have available an official continuing register supplemented annually of all earned income and occupational privilege taxes levied under

<sup>1</sup> "Effective Date.—" not in original.