

No. 45

AN ACT

HB 485

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," permitting the commissioners to prescribe the form of the county seal.

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

Section 1. Section 202, act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323), known as "The County Code," is amended to read:

Section 202. General Powers.—Each county shall have capacity as a body corporate to:

- (1) Have succession perpetually by its corporate name.
- (2) Sue and be sued and complain and defend in all proper courts by the name of the county of.....
- (3) Purchase, acquire by gift or otherwise, hold, lease, let and convey such real and personal property as shall be deemed to be for the best interests of the county.
- (4) Make contracts for carrying into execution the laws relating to counties and for all lawful purposes.
- (5) Have and use a seal which shall be in the custody of the commissioners thereof. The official acts of the commissioners shall be authenticated therewith. **[There shall be engraved upon such seal the same device as is engraved upon the great seal of the State, together with the name of the county.]** *The commissioners may prescribe the form of such seal.*
- (6) To make appropriations for any purpose authorized by this or any other act of the General Assembly.

APPROVED—The 30th day of June, A. D. 1969.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 45.



Secretary of the Commonwealth.