

No. 471

AN ACT

Fixing the salary of members of the body acting as a board of revision of taxes in counties containing a population of one million two hundred and fifty thousand or over.

Counties containing population of 1,250,000 or over.

Salary of member of board of revision of taxes.

Repeal.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That hereafter the salary of each member of the body acting as a board of revision of taxes in counties containing a population of one million two hundred and fifty thousand or over shall be ten thousand dollars per annum, to be received as compensation for their services on such board.

Section 2. All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with or supplied by the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed.

APPROVED—The 13th day of May, A. D. 1927.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 472

AN ACT

Fixing the compensation of the county commissioners in counties of the second class.

Counties of second class.

Salaries of county commissioners.

Repeal.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the annual salaries of the county commissioners in counties of the second class shall be as follows: The salary of the chairman shall be fifteen thousand (\$15,000) dollars, and the salary of the other county commissioners shall be twelve thousand (\$12,000) dollars each. Such salaries shall be payable by the county from the county treasury in the manner provided by law.

Section 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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JOHN S. FISHER

No. 473

AN ACT

Relating to the clerk of the court of oyer and terminer, and quarter sessions of the peace, and municipal court, of any county of this Commonwealth, having a population of one million five hundred thousand or over; providing for the salaries and compensation of the clerk of the court of oyer and terminer, and quarter sessions of the peace, and municipal court, deputies, clerks, and employes thereof.

Counties having population of 1,500,000 or over.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That from and after the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven, the salaries or compensations of the clerk of the

court of oyer and terminer, and quarter sessions of the peace, and of the municipal court, deputy clerk, clerks, and employes, of the court of oyer and terminer, and quarter sessions of the peace and of the municipal court, of any county of this Commonwealth, having a population of one million five hundred thousand or over, shall be as follows:

Clerks and employes of courts.

Clerk of the court of oyer and terminer, and quarter sessions of the peace, and of the municipal court, at the rate of ten thousand dollars per annum; one deputy clerk, six thousand dollars per annum; eleven court clerks, five thousand dollars each per annum; eleven assistant court clerks, three thousand dollars each per annum; one chief account clerk, thirty-five hundred dollars per annum; one assistant chief account clerk, twenty-five hundred dollars per annum; one cashier and clerk, twenty-two hundred dollars per annum; one assistant cashier and clerk, nineteen hundred dollars per annum; one naturalization clerk, twenty-eight hundred dollars per annum; one assistant naturalization clerk, twenty-two hundred dollars per annum; one chief record, appearance, and appeal clerk, twenty-two hundred dollars per annum; one record clerk, two thousand dollars per annum; one assistant record clerk, eighteen hundred dollars per annum; two assistant record clerks, seventeen hundred dollars each per annum; one execution clerk, eighteen hundred dollars per annum; one assistant execution clerk, seventeen hundred dollars per annum; one road clerk, eighteen hundred dollars per annum; one assistant road clerk, seventeen hundred dollars per annum; two fee clerks, two thousand dollars each per annum; four clerks, two thousand dollars each per annum; one stenographer, eighteen hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer, seventeen hundred dollars per annum; two subpoena clerks, eighteen hundred dollars each per annum; two subpoena clerks, seventeen hundred dollars each per annum; one search clerk, seventeen hundred dollars per annum; one warrant clerk, two thousand dollars per annum; one custodian of records, seventeen hundred dollars per annum; one assistant custodian of records, sixteen hundred dollars per annum; one custodian and clerk, eighteen hundred dollars per annum; one assistant custodian and clerk, eighteen hundred dollars per annum; one clerk to court officers, eighteen hundred dollars per annum; seventeen miscellaneous clerks, eighteen hundred dollars each per annum; five miscellaneous clerks, seventeen hundred dollars each per annum; two messengers, fourteen hundred dollars each per annum; one janitor, twelve hundred dollars per annum; one stenographer and typewriter, twenty-five hundred dollars per annum; five clerks, eighteen hundred dollars each per annum; and such other clerks and employes, as may be required by the courts of said county.

Salaries.

Such salaries and compensation to be paid semi- Payment.

monthly by the treasurer of such county according to existing laws.

Repeal.

Section 2. All laws or parts of laws inconsistent herewith be and same are hereby repealed.

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While on its face this bill purports to authorize a substantial increase in the number and compensation of the employes in the office of the clerk of the court of quarter sessions, the fact is that it authorizes but a very slight increase. Since the passage of the act of Assembly which now authorizes the employment and compensation of assistants in the office of the clerk of the court of quarter sessions, the council of the city of Philadelphia has, by ordinance, added to the list of employes authorized by act of Assembly, has fixed the compensation of such added employes, and has authorized the payment of bonuses to employes whose salaries are fixed by statute. In effect, therefore, the present bill in large part merely legalizes what is now being done. To the extent to which the bill does provide for an increase in the number and compensation of his employes, the clerk of the court of quarter sessions has agreed not to take advantage of the authority thus conferred until January first of next year. This will prevent any interference with this year's budget arrangements of the city of Philadelphia.

JOHN S. FISHER

No. 474

AN ACT

Relating to transactions between a person acting on his own behalf and the same person acting jointly with others, and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

Uniform interparty agreement act.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That a conveyance, release or sale may be made to, or by, two or more persons acting jointly, and one or more, but less than all of these persons, acting either by himself or themselves or with other persons, and a contract may be made between such parties.

Where rights vest in same person acting in different capacities.

Section 2. No contract shall be discharged because, after its formation, the obligation and the right thereunder become vested in the same person, acting in different capacities as to the right and the obligation.

Fraudulent transactions.

Section 3. Nothing herein shall validate a transaction within its provisions which is actually or constructively fraudulent.

Act not retroactive.

Section 4. Act Not Retroactive.—This act shall not apply to conveyances, releases, sales or contracts made prior to its effective date.

Interpretation.

Section 5. Uniformity of Interpretation.—This act shall be so interpreted and construed as to effectuate its general purpose to make uniform the law of those states which enact it.

Title.

Section 6. Short Title.—This act may be cited as the Uniform Interparty Agreement Act.

Repeal.

Section 7. Inconsistent Laws Repealed.—All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

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