

Right of other qualified associations to intervene as party petitioners.

Section 3. After the filing of such petition, any other association, meeting the requirements set forth in section two, may intervene as a party petitioner, with the same effect as if it had been the original petitioner, and the court, after hearing, may award custody of any historical document or documents to any such associations for such term and upon such conditions as the court shall prescribe.

Duties of register of wills.

Section 4. Upon the granting of a petition transferring custody of any historical documents, the register of wills shall substitute in his files a certified photostatic copy of such document, which shall be of the same force and effect as the original document.

Right of register of wills to petition for return of any such documents.

Section 5. The register of wills may at any time, without cause, petition the orphans' court for the return of any historical document, the custody of which had been previously transferred to any association.

Right of orphans' court to order return of such documents to register of wills.

Section 6. The orphans' court of any county, after having taken jurisdiction of the transfer of any historical document, may, without cause, and upon its own motion, order the association having such temporary custody to return such document to the register of wills of the county wherein it had been originally filed.

Act effective January 15, 1952.

*Section 7. This act shall become effective on January 15, 1952.

APPROVED—The 29th day of September, A. D. 1951.

JOHN S. FINE

No. 433

AN ACT

Authorizing the Commonwealth to negotiate temporary emergency loans to defray current and other expenses of the State government during any fiscal biennium evidenced by tax anticipation notes, secured by and payable from current revenues of any current biennium levied, assessed, collectible and accruing during such fiscal biennium; defining the powers and duties of the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in relation thereto; providing for the payment of interest on and the repayment of such loans; and making an appropriation.

Emergency loans.

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

Commonwealth authorized to negotiate emergency loans to defray current and other expenses of the State government during any fiscal biennium.

Section 1. Whenever the General Assembly has provided revenues for the general purposes of any fiscal biennium and the Governor, Auditor General and the State Treasurer determine such revenues will not be available in large part for the current and other expenses of the State government, as a result of which the collectible revenues may not be sufficient to defray the

* "Section 7" omitted in original.

current and other expenses of the State government, the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer, on behalf of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, are hereby authorized and directed during any biennium to borrow, from time to time, on the credit of the current revenues of any current biennium, such sum or sums of money, not exceeding in the aggregate one third of the moneys appropriated for any current biennium by the General Assembly, for the general purposes of any fiscal biennium.

Section 2. (a) Such loans shall be evidenced by notes of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. All of said notes shall mature not later than May 31 of the second year of any current biennium. Such notes are hereby declared to be tax anticipation notes. Such notes or renewals thereof shall be issued from time to time for such total amounts, in such sums, and subject to such terms and conditions, rates of interest, not in excess of four and one-half (4½) per cent per annum, and time of payment of interest, as the Governor, Auditor General and the State Treasurer shall determine and direct.

When such loans evidenced by tax anticipation notes are so issued, they shall be offered for sale by the Governor, the Auditor General and State Treasurer to the highest and best bidder, after due public advertisement and open competitive bidding, on such terms and conditions as the Governor, Auditor General and State Treasurer shall direct. The manner and character of such advertisement and the times of advertising shall be prescribed by the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer.

No commission shall be allowed or paid for the sale of any notes issued under the authority of this act.

(b) All notes issued under the authority of this act shall bear either the signatures of the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer, or the facsimile signatures of the Governor, the Auditor General and the State Treasurer, in which latter event such notes shall be countersigned by two officers of the Philadelphia National Bank (Loan and Transfer Agent of the Commonwealth). All such notes shall bear a facsimile of the great seal of the Commonwealth.

(c) All notes issued under the authority of this act shall have the qualities and incidents of negotiable instruments under the Negotiable Instruments Law of the Commonwealth.

(d) The current revenues of any fiscal biennium period shall be pledged for the payment of the principal and interest of such notes during such fiscal biennium and shall be payable in lawful money of the United

Such loans to be evidenced by tax anticipation notes.

Terms and conditions.

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Exemption from taxation.

States. All notes issued under the provisions of this act shall be exempt from taxation for State and local purposes.

Disposition of proceeds from negotiation of such loans.

Section 3. The proceeds derived from the negotiation of loans under the provisions of this act shall be paid into the General Fund of the State Treasury, and shall be used for the payment of appropriations made from such fund to defray the current and other expenses of the State government for the current fiscal biennium.

Security for loans.

Section 4. Any loans negotiated under the provisions of this act shall be secured by the current revenues levied and assessed for revenue purposes of every kind or character accruing to the General Fund of the State Treasury during the current fiscal biennium and shall be paid out of such revenues, and so much of such revenues as shall be necessary for the payment of the principal and interest of such loans are hereby specifically appropriated. The Department of Revenue shall allocate such revenues to said payments.

Constitutionality and severability.

Section 5. The provisions of this act are severable and if any of its provisions are held unconstitutional, the decision so holding shall not be construed to impair any other provision of this act. It is hereby declared that the legislative intent would have been to adopt this act had such unconstitutional provision not been included herein.

Act effective immediately.

Section 6. This act shall become effective immediately upon its final enactment.

APPROVED—The 29th day of September, A. D. 1951.

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No. 434

AN ACT

To further amend the act, approved the nineteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred nine (Pamphlet Laws 46), entitled "An act to regulate the practice of osteopathy in the State of Pennsylvania; to provide for the establishment of a State Board of Osteopathic Examiners; to define the powers and duties of said Board of Osteopathic Examiners; to provide for the examining and licensing of osteopaths in this State; and to provide penalties for the violation of this act," by providing for the licensing, without examination, of persons licensed by the provinces of the Dominion of Canada, in certain cases.

Osteopathy.

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

Section 7, act of March 19, 1909, P. L. 46, amended.

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