No. 620

AN ACT

To further amend section four of the act, approved the twentyninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred forty-five (Pamphlet Laws 1132), entitled "An act providing for the health and safety of persons employed in and about coal mines in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; the protection and preservation of property connected therewith; the appointment of first aid and mine rescue instructors by the Secretary of Mines, with the approval of the Governor; fixing their salaries and qualications; providing for the purchase of trucks and necessary equipment to carry on the work; and making an appropriation therefor," by further increasing the salary of the first aid and mine rescue instructors.

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

Section 1. Section four of the act, approved the twenty-ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred forty-five (Pamphlet Laws 1132), entitled "An act providing for the health and safety of persons employed in and about coal mines in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania; the protection and preservation of property connected therewith: the appointment of first aid and mine rescue instructors by the Secretary of Mines, with the approval of the Governor; fixing their salaries and qualifications; providing for the purchase of trucks and necessary equipment to carry on the work; and making an appropriation therefor," as amended by the act, approved the ninth day of May, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 918), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Section 4. The first aid and mine rescue instructors shall receive a salary of [four thousand three hundred ninety-two dollars (\$4392)] four thousand nine hundred eighty-nine (\$4989) per annum, together with the necessary expenses incidental to the performance of his duties under the law. Except, however, one member of the crew manning each truck shall be termed chief of crew and shall receive a salary of [four thousand eight hundred eighty dollars (\$4880)] five thousand five hundred forty-three dollars (\$5493) per annum, together with the necessary expenses incidental to the performance of his duties under the law, and shall be responsible for the orderly conduct of the work to be performed.

Section 2. The provisions of this act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment.

APPROVED-The 19th day of January, A. D. 1952.

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Coal mines.

Section 4, act of May 29, 1945, P. L. 1132, as amended by act of May 9, 1949, P. L. 918, further amended.

Salary of first aid and mine rescue instructors.

Salary of chief of crew.

Act effective immediately.