

No. 235

AN ACT

To further amend clause (a) of section five hundred ten of the act of May one, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 905), entitled "An act for the protection of the public safety; regulating the use of highways, and the operation of vehicles, tractors, street cars, trackless trolley omnibuses, bicycles, pedestrians, and the riding of animals upon the highways of this Commonwealth; providing for the titling, including liens, encumbrances, and legal claims; registration of certain vehicles and licensing the operators thereof, upon payment of prescribed fees; prescribing and limiting the powers of local authorities to deal with the subject matter of this act; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue, the Department of Highways, peace officers, mayors, burgesses, magistrates, aldermen, justices of the peace, the courts and the clerks thereof, owners of vehicles, and garage keepers; providing that records are admissible as evidence; imposing upon owners, counties, cities, boroughs, incorporated towns, townships, within the Commonwealth, liability for damages caused by the negligent operation of their motor vehicles; imposing penalties; imposing certain costs upon counties; providing for the disposition of fines, forfeitures, fees, and miscellaneous receipts; making an appropriation and providing for refunds," by making an editorial correction and changing the time for beginning use of registration plates for certain vehicles.

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

Section 1. Clause (a) of section five hundred ten of the act of May one, one thousand nine hundred twenty-nine (Pamphlet Laws 905), known as the Vehicle Code, as last amended by the act of January eighteen, one thousand nine hundred fifty-two (Pamphlet Laws 2163 Session of 1951), is hereby amended to read as follows:

Section 510. The Expiration of Registration Plates.—

(a) All registration plates shall be issued for a registration year commencing on April first of one year and expiring March thirty-first of the year following: Provided, That all registration plates for commercial motor vehicles, motor buses, motor omnibuses, truck tractors, trailers and semi-trailers, for the registration year one thousand nine hundred fifty-three shall expire May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred fifty-four. Commencing with the registration year one thousand nine hundred fifty-four and thereafter registration *plates for commercial motor vehicles, motor buses, motor omnibuses, truck tractors, trailers and semi-trailers, shall be issued for a registration year commencing on June first of one year and expiring May thirty-first of the year following. Registration plates shall also expire when

The Vehicle Code.

Clause (a), section 510, act of May 1, 1929, P. L. 905, last amended January 18, 1952, P. L. 2163, further amended.

* "plate" in original.

suspended for cause by the secretary. The registration plate or plates for [the succeeding] *a registration year* may, at the option of the owner, be used on and after the fifteenth day of the month immediately preceding the beginning of [the current] *such registration year*: *Provided, That such plate or plates may be so used on and after the first day of the month immediately preceding the beginning of the registration year, if the vehicle is a trailer or semi-trailer which was also registered for the immediately preceding registration year.*

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APPROVED—The 9th day of December, A. D. 1955.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 236

AN ACT

To further amend subsection (f) of section 211.1 of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws 789), entitled, as amended, "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companies, associations, or exchanges; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws," by continuing the provisions of that section in effect for a further period.

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

Section 1. Subsection (f) of section 211.1 of the act, approved the seventeenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred twenty-one (Pamphlet Laws 789), entitled, as amended, "An act relating to insurance; establishing an insurance department; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating to the licensing, qualification, regulation, examination, suspension, and dissolution of insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and inter-insurance exchanges, and certain societies and orders, the examination and regulation of fire insurance rating bureaus, and the licensing and regulation of insurance agents and brokers; the service of legal process upon foreign insurance companies, associations, or exchanges; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws," as last amended by the act, approved the

The Insurance Department Act of 1921.

Subsection (f), section 211.1, act, of May 17, 1921, P. L. 789, amended July 2, 1953, P. L. 330, further amended.