

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.

second day of July, one thousand nine hundred fifty-three (Pamphlet Laws 330), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

Section 211.1. Assessments to Defray Expenses of Committee on Valuation of Securities of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners.—

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(f) This section shall become effective the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine, and shall continue in effect until and including the thirty-first day of May, one thousand nine hundred [fifty-five] *fifty-seven*. Effective date.

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

GEORGE M. LEADER

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No. 237

AN ACT

Amending the act of July seven, one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws 194), entitled "An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of justices of peace, and regulating the fees of constables making sales under this act," enlarging the jurisdiction of aldermen, magistrates and justices of the peace.

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

Section 1. Section one, act of July seven, one thousand eight hundred seventy-nine (Pamphlet Laws 194), entitled "An act to enlarge the jurisdiction of justices of peace, and regulating the fees of constables making sales under this act," is amended to read: Section 1, act of July 7, 1879, P. L. 194, amended.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the aldermen, magistrates and justices of the peace, in this commonwealth, shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the courts of common pleas of all actions arising from contract, either express or implied, and of all actions arising from contract either express or implied and of all actions of trespass [and of trover and conversion], wherein the sum demanded does not exceed [three hundred] *five hundred* (\$500) dollars, except in cases of real contract where the title to lands or tenements may come in question [, or action upon promise of marriage]. Jurisdiction enlarged.

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

GEORGE M. LEADER