mitted as a patient into and as such be necessarily wholly and continuously confined within a duly licensed and incorporated hospital, provided it has:

(a) In the case of stock companies, additional capital of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), and has accumulated additional surplus in the sum of at least twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00), or

(b) In the case of mutual companies, accumulated additional surplus in the sum of at least twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000.00).

Such additional capital and additional surplus as required by clauses (a) and (b) of this paragraph shall be deemed to be capital and surplus additional to that required by any of the previous paragraphs of this section or by the act under which such company was incorporated or reincorporated.

APPROVED-The 3rd day of February, A. D. 1956.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 314

AN ACT

Repealing the act of June seven, one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws 337), entitled "An act relating to the jurisdiction, powers, and procedure of the several orphans' courts in proceedings for the partition and valuation of real estate, and for the sale of real estate for the purpose of distribution; and the fees, costs, and expenses therein," with exceptions.

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

Section 1. The act of June seven, one thousand nine hundred seventeen (Pamphlet Laws 337), known as the "Orphans' Court Partition Act of 1917," and its amendments, are repealed as to the partition and valuation and sale of real estate of persons who died after December 31, 1949.

Section 2. This act shall take effect January one, one thousand nine hundred fifty-six.

APPROVED-The 3rd day of February, A. D. 1956.

GEORGE M. LEADER

"Orphans' Court Partition Act of 1917."

Act of June 7, 1917, P. L. 337, and its amendments, repealed as to partition, valuation and sale of real estate of persons who died after December 31, 1949.

Act effective January 1, 1956.