

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 1, 1929 (P. L. 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," further regulating the issuance of registration plates to news photographers.

The Vehicle
Code.

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

Subsection (f),
section 501, act
of May 1, 1929,
P. L. 905, added
February 10,
1956, P. L. 1010,
further amended.

Section 1. Subsection (f) of section 501, act of May 1, 1929 (P. L. 905), known as "The Vehicle Code," added February 10, 1956 (P. L. 1010), is amended to read:

Section 501. Registration Plates to be Furnished by Department.—

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(f) Upon application of any owner residing in Pennsylvania, who is regularly employed or engaged as a bona fide newspaper, newsreel or on film television news photographer or cameraman, the department shall issue for any motor vehicle owned by such person and regularly used by him in the pursuit of his regular employment in covering current news events, two registration plates of the type prescribed by this section on which shall be inscribed the letters "PP" as the first two characters, in addition to the registration number and other markings or identification otherwise prescribed by law. The department shall not issue more than one set of such plates to any applicant during any registration year.

The applicant shall comply with all laws pertaining to registration and licensing of motor vehicles, and the application for registration prescribed by this section shall be accompanied by proof of regular employment as a bona fide newspaper, newsreel or on film television news photographer or cameraman, and the sum of five

(\$5) dollars, in addition to the fees otherwise prescribed by law for annual registration of motor vehicles.

For the 1957 motor vehicle registration year, and subsequent years, the department shall issue registration plates beginning with the "PP" characters only to persons who meet the requirements of this subsection *and who have made application therefor under oath setting forth such information as the department may reasonably require.*

APPROVED—The 12th day of April, A. D. 1957.

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No. 34

AN ACT

Authorizing and empowering the Delaware River Port Authority, a body corporate and politic, functioning under the legislation enacted by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey, and the express consent of the Congress of the United States, to appoint policemen; make rules and regulations for the prevention of disorder, the preservation of safety, and the conservation of traffic on such bridges and in such tunnels and approaches thereto as the commission does or may hereafter operate; to prevent the evasion of the payment of tolls; and providing a penalty for the violation of any such rules or regulations or for the evasion or the attempt to evade the payment of tolls.

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

The Delaware River Port Authority.

Section 1. The Delaware River Port Authority, a body corporate and politic, functioning under the legislation enacted by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey, and the express consent of the Congress of the United States, shall have the power, and authority conferred upon it to appoint the number of policemen as is found necessary to keep in safety and preserve order upon the bridges and tunnels and approaches thereto as the commission does or may hereafter operate; to administer to such policemen an oath or affirmation faithfully to perform the duties of their respective positions or offices; and to provide for the payment of such policemen from the tolls and other revenue of the commission. The policemen so appointed shall have the power and authority to make arrests for crimes, misdemeanors, and offenses of any character committed upon the bridges or within the tunnels and approaches thereto, for disorder or breach of the peace,

Power and authority to appoint policemen.

Power and authority to arrest.