Whenever the moneys credited to the Historical Preservation Fund during any fiscal biennium [exceeds] exceed the average biennial allocation for the above purposes for the two preceding fiscal bienniums, the excess shall be transferred to the General Fund.

Approved—The 27th day of May, A. D. 1957.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 102

AN ACT

Amending the act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323), entitled "An act relating to counties of the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," authorizing State associations of coroners and the payment by the counties of certain costs and expenses pertaining to their annual meetings.

The County Code.

Sections 440, 442 and subsec-

tion (b), section 444, act of August 9, 1955, P. L. 323, amended.

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

Section 1. Sections 440 and 442 and subsection (b) of section 444, act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323), known as "The County Code," are amended to read:

State *Associations Authorized.— County officers of each county may organize for themselves a State association as follows:

- (1) The county commissioners, together with the county solicitor and the chief clerk to the county commissioners
 - (2) The county controllers.
 - (3) The sheriffs.
 - (4) The district attorneys.
 - (5) The probation officers.
 - (6) The registers of wills.
- (7) The prothonotaries and clerks of courts of quarter sessions.
 - (8) The county treasurers.
 - (9) The recorders of deeds.
 - (10) The directors of veterans' affairs.
 - (11) The Coroners.

Section 442. Deputies and Solicitors May Attend Annual Meetings.—The deputy controller, the deputy sheriff, the deputy register of wills, the deputy treasurer, the deputy prothonotary, the deputy clerk of the courts of quarter sessions, the first assistant district attorney

^{* &}quot;Association" in original.

[and], the deputy recorder of deeds and the chief deputy coroner, with the approval of his principal, and the solicitor for each officer, may attend the annual meetings of his respective associations either together with the controller, sheriff, register of wills, treasurer, prothonotary, clerk of the courts of quarter sessions, district attorney [or], recorder of deeds or coroner as the case may be or in his place.

Section 444. Other Meeting Expenses Paid by Counties.—* * *

(b) In the case of county commissioners, county solicitor and county clerk, county controllers, sheriffs, registers of wills, county treasurers, recorders of deeds, prothonotaries, clerks of courts of quarter sessions [and], district attorneys and coroners, the portion of the annual expenses charged to each county shall not exceed seventy-five dollars (\$75), in the case of the directors of veterans' affairs the portion charged to each county shall not exceed fifty dollars (\$50), and in the case of the probation officers an annual membership subscription not exceeding six dollars (\$6) per member shall be paid by the county, and shall be in lieu of the expenses hereinbefore in this section provided for other county officers.

APPROVED—The 27th day of May, A. D. 1957.

GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 103

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 1, 1945 (P. L. 1340), entitled "An act relating to the financial responsibility of operators and owners of motor vehicles; and to make uniform the law with reference thereto; requiring owners and operators in certain cases to furnish proof of financial responsibility; providing for the suspension of operator's licenses and motor vehicle registration certificates in certain cases; regulating insurance policies which may be accepted as proof of financial responsibility; imposing duties upon the Secretary of Revenue, the State Treasurer and prothonotaries; and prescribing penalties," increasing the required amount of financial responsibility.

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

Section 1. The definition of "Proof of Financial Responsibility" in section 1, act of June 1, 1945 (P. L. 1340), known as the "Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Act," is amended to read:

Section 1. Definitions.—The following words and phrases, when used in this act, shall, for the purposes of this act, have the meanings respectively ascribed to them

Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Act.

Definition of "Proof of Financial Responsibility", section 1, act of June 1, 1945, P. L. 1340, amended.