year or the minimum requirements for internship as provided in the act of May 21, 1943 (P. L. 491 No. 217), entitled "An act reducing, for a limited period of time, the training period of internship in osteopathic hospitals. in order to qualify for examination for license by the Osteopathic Surgeons' Examining Board to practice major surgery, and suspending inconsistent laws," as reenacted and amended May 8, 1947 (P. L. 171), or its equivalent, as determined by the board, or in lieu thereof:

(2) Completed five hundred hours of post-graduate Post-graduate study given by or under the direction of a college, university or hospital approved by the State Board of Osteopathic Examiners. The post-graduate study shall include the subjects of principles and practice of surgery, pathology, biochemistry, pharmacology, materia medica and therapeutics, and public health and preventive medicine. The State Board of Osteopathic Examiners, in its discretion and upon investigation of the credentials submitted, may accept post-graduate study of the standard herein required in an approved college, university or hospital completed subsequent to 1945. The applicant shall pass a written examination in the above subjects given by the State Board of Osteopathic Examiners.

Section 9. All persons licensed by the board to prac-tice osteopathy during the period between February 2, 1956, to effective 1956, and the effective date of this act, shall be issued a date of act. license to practice osteopathy and surgery without further application or payment of a fee.

Section 10. This act shall not affect the right of any person to continue to practice osteopathy under a valid license issued prior to the effective date of this act. Such person shall have the right to practice as authorized herein including minor surgery but not major surgery. Such persons, except as herein provided, with regard to major surgery shall have the legal status of physicians and surgeons under the statutes of the Commonwealth.

Section 11. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED-The 31st day of May, A. D. 1957.

GEORGE M. LEADER

### No. 108

### AN ACT

Amending the act of May 2, 1945 (P. L. 382), entitled "An act providing for the incorporation as bodies corporate and politic of 'Authorities' for municipalities, counties and townships; prescribing the rights, powers and duties of such Authorities here-

study.

Continuance of previously licensed osteopathic practice.

Act effective immediately. tofore or hereafter incorporated; authorizing such Authorities to acquire, construct, improve, maintain and operate projects, and to borrow money and issue bonds therefor; providing for the payment of such bonds, and prescribing the rights of the holders thereof; conferring the right of eminent domain on such Authorities; authorizing such Authorities to enter into contracts with and to accept grants from the Federal Government or any agency thereof; and conferring exclusive jurisdiction on certain courts over rates," requiring "Authorities" to submit annual reports to municipalities creating the "Authorities" and to the Department of Internal Affairs.

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

Authorities Act of 1945. Section 8, act of May 2, 1945, P. L. 382.

Municipality

amended.

Section 1. Section 8, act of May 2, 1945 (P. L. 382), known as the "\*Municipality Authorities Act of 1945," is amended to read:

Section 8. Moneys of the Authority.—All moneys of any Authority, from whatever source derived, shall be paid to the treasurer of the Authority. Said moneys shall be deposited in the first instance by the treasurer in one or more banks or trust companies in one or more special accounts, and each of such special accounts to the extent the same is not insured shall be continuously secured by a pledge of direct obligations of the United States of America, of the Commonwealth or of the municipality or municipalities creating the Authority, having an aggregate market value, exclusive of accrued interest, at all times at least equal to the balance on deposit in such account. Such securities shall either be deposited with the treasurer, or be held by a trustee or agent satisfactory to the Authority. All banks and trust companies are authorized to give such security for such deposits. The moneys in said accounts shall be paid out on the warrant or other order of the chairman of the Authority. or of such other person or persons as the Authority may authorize to execute such warrants or orders. [Every Authority shall have at least an annual examination of its books, accounts and records by a certified public accountant. A copy of such audit shall be delivered to the \*\*municipality or municipalities creating the Authority.] Every Authority shall file an annual report with the Department of Internal Affairs and with the municipality or municipalities creating the Authority on forms prepared and distributed by the Department of Internal Affairs. Every Authority shall have its books, accounts and records audited, annually, by a certified public accountant, and a copy of his audit report shall be attached to and be made a part of the aforesaid annual report. A concise financial statement shall be published annually. at least once in a newspaper of general circulation in the

<sup>\* &</sup>quot;Municipal" in original.

<sup>\*\* &</sup>quot;municipality or" omitted in original.

municipality where the principal office of the Authority is located. If such publication is not made by the Authority, the municipality or municipalities shall publish such statement at the expense of the Authority. If the Authority fails to make such an audit, then the controller, auditors or accountant designated by the municipality or municipalities, are hereby authorized and empowered from time to time to examine at the expense of the Authority the accounts and books of the Authority, including its receipts, disbursements, contracts, leases, sinking funds, investments, and any other matters relating to its finances, operation and affairs.

The Attorney General of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall have the right to examine the books, accounts and records of any Authority.

APPROVED—The 31st day of May, A. D. 1957.

# GEORGE M. LEADER

No. 109

## AN ACT

Fixing fees to be received by the prothonotary in counties of the first class; and providing for the time of payment.

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

Section 1. The fees to be received by the prothonotaries of the courts of common pleas of this Commonwealth in counties of the first class shall be as follows:

Fees of prothonotaries of common pleas

Counties of the

first class.

courts.

#### ACCOUNTS AND REPORTS

Filing and docketing report or account of assignee,	
auditor, trustee, sequestrator, master, examiner,	
arbitrator, viewers, board or committee	\$5.00
Filing each subsequent account or report	2.50

#### ADOPTION

Certificate of adoption	1.00
Filing a petition, docketing and certificate to De- partment of Health in adoption	10.50
Filing a petition for relinquishment in adoption Indexing adoption name	$2.50 \\ .50$
Order to investigate; disbursement of report fund; filing report of investigation, and docketing	3,50