advertisement may be dispensed with. Every contract shall be let in the manner prescribed by the council of said city, and shall be countersigned by the city controller. All bids shall be filed *with the city controller, and shall be opened publicly in the manner prescribed by the council of said city at a time and place to be designated in the advertisement or notice to bidders, and the figures stated to those present. No contract shall be let until council has passed an ordinance providing for the letting of the same.

Inconsistent acts repealed.

Section 2. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are repealed.

Act effective immediately.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 2nd day of June, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 90

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 17, 1921 (P. L. 682), entitled "An act relating to insurance; amending, revising, and consolidating the law providing for the incorporation of insurance companies, and the regulation, supervision, and protection of home and foreign insurance companies, Lloyds associations, reciprocal and interinsurance exchanges, and fire insurance rating bureaus, and the regulation and supervision of insurance carried by such companies, associations, and exchanges, including insurance carried by the State Workmen's Insurance Fund; providing penalties; and repealing existing laws," providing for the clarification of The Standard Fire Insurance Policy of the State of Pennsylvania as it relates to losses or damage caused by nuclear reaction, nuclear radiation or radioactive contamination.

The Insurance Company Law of 1921.

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

Clause (c), subsection (5), section 522, act of May 17, 1921. P. L. 682, amended July 19, 1951, P. L. 1100, further amended.

Section 1. Clause (c) of subsection (5) of section 522, act of May 17, 1921 (P. L. 682), known as "The Insurance Company Law of 1921," amended July 19, 1951 (P. L. 1100), is amended to read:

Section 522. Fire Insurance Contract; Standard Policy Provisions; Permissible Variations.—

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5. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this section:

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(c) An insurer may add, either upon the face of the policy or on riders or endorsements to be attached thereto.

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

printed or written forms of description and specification or schedules of the property covered by any particular policy and any other matter necessary to express clearly all the facts and conditions of insurance on any particular risk.

Insurers issuing the standard policy, defined in this section, are hereby authorized to affix thereto or include therein a written statement that the policy does not cover loss or damage caused by nuclear reaction or nuclear radiation or radioactive contamination all, whether directly or indirectly, resulting from an insured peril under said policy. Nothing contained in this subsection shall be construed to prohibit the attachment to any such policy of an endorsement or endorsements specifically assuming coverage for loss or damage caused by nuclear reaction or nuclear radiation or radioactive contamination.

Any endorsements or riders so attached must be signed by officers or agents of the company so issuing them.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved—The 9th day of June, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

Act effective immediately.

No. 91

AN ACT

Amending the act of March 6, 1956 (P. L. 1228), entitled, as amended, "An act to provide revenue for purposes of public education by imposing a tax on the sale, use, storage, rental or consumption of certain personal property and certain services; providing for licenses, reports and payment of tax, interest and penalties, assessments, collections, liens, reviews and appeals; conferring powers and imposing duties upon the Department of Revenue, public officers, manufacturers, wholesalers, retailers, corporations, partnerships, associations and individuals and making an appropriation," providing that the tax upon intrastate telephone and telegraph service shall be computed on the basis of the total amount billed to customers periodically.

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

Section 1. Section 201, act of March 6, 1956 (P. L. 1228), known as the "Selective Sales and Use Tax Act," amended April 15, 1959 (Act No. 14), is amended by adding, at the end thereof, a new subsection to read:

Section 201. Imposition of tax.—* * *

(c) Notwithstanding any other provisions of this act, the tax with respect to intrastate telephone service and intrastate telegraph service within the meaning of sub-

Selective Sales and Use Tax Act.

Section 201, act of March 6, 1956, P. L. 1228, amended April 15, 1959, Act No. 14, further amended by adding a new subsection (c).