authorized bonds of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania shall be issued from time to time for such total amounts. in such form and in such denominations, and subject to such terms and conditions of issue, redemption and maturity, rate or rates of interest, [not to exceed four and one-half per centum $(4\frac{1}{2}\%)$ per annum] and time of payment of interest, as the Governor, Auditor General and State Treasurer shall direct.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 21st day of July, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

Act effective immediately.

No. 175

AN ACT

Amending the act of July 8, 1957 (P. L. 594), entitled "An act to provide revenue by imposing a State tax upon sales or gifts of cigarettes; requiring persons engaged in the sale of cigarettes to secure licenses; prescribing the method and manner of collecting such tax; making it unlawful to sell or possess cigarettes upon which the tax has not been paid; conferring powers and imposing duties on the Department of Revenue and other persons; making an appropriation and providing penalties," pledging the full faith and credit of the Commonwealth.

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

Section 1. Section 201, act of July 8, 1957 (P. L. Section 201, act of July 8, 1957, 24), known as the "Pennsylvania Cigarette Tax Act 1957," amended May 4, 1959 (P. L. 284) (Act No. 38), amended May 4, 1959, P. L. 284, Act No. 38, amended by adding at the end thereof, a new para-594), known as the "Pennsylvania Cigarette Tax Act of 1957," amended May 4, 1959 (P. L. 284) (Act No. 38), is amended by adding, at the end thereof, a new paragraph to read:

Section 201. Imposition of Tax.—

While the General Assembly has, by concurrent resolution, declared that it deems the revenue raising measures enacted by it sufficient to amortize the amounts to be borrowed and paid, nevertheless, it hereby pledges the full faith and credit of the Commonwealth to provide funds to meet any deficiency in the proceeds of such revenue raising measures.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 21st day of July, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

Pennsylvania Cigarette Tax Act of 1957.

adding a new paragraph.

Act effective immediately.