proposed change in occupancy or ownership of the land for which permits have been issued as provided in section 1 of this act.

Penalty.

Section 5. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this act or the rules, regulations, permits, conditions, or orders of the Department of Health. as herein provided for, shall, upon conviction in a summary proceeding, be sentenced to pay a fine of not less than one hundred dollars (\$100) and not more than three hundred dollars (\$300), and, in default of payment of such fine and costs, shall be imprisoned for a term of not more than thirty days. The penalties prescribed in this section shall extend in their application to the officers of any partnership, corporation or association.

Act effective immediately. Section 6. This act shall take effect immediately.

Approved—The 8th day of September, A. D. 1959.

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No. 303

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 4, 1927 (P. L. 519), entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending, and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," permitting council to request that a certified check accompany bids for contracts.

The Borough Code.

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

Subsection (b), section 1316, act of May 4, 1927, P. L. 519, reenacted and amended July 10, 1947, P. L. 1621, and amended July 19, 1951, P.L. 1026, further amended.

Section 1. Subsection (b), section 1316, act of May 4, 1927 (P. L. 519), known as "The Borough Code," reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P. L. 1621) and amended July 19, 1951 (P. L. 1026), is amended to read:

Section 1316. Regulation of Contracts. - * * *

(b) The acceptance of bids shall only be made by public announcement at the meeting at which bids are received, or at a subsequent meeting, the time and place of which shall be publicly announced when bids are received. If for any reason one or both of the above meetings shall not be held, the same business may be transacted at any subsequent meeting if at least five days notice thereof shall be published in the newspaper aforesaid. Council may request that a certified check, in an amount to be determined by them, shall accompany every bid and, when requested, no bid shall be considered unless so accompanied.

APPROVED—The 8th day of September, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE