

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

Criminal procedure.

Section 1. Section 2, act of May 19, 1887 (P. L. 138), entitled "An act providing for payment of costs in criminal cases by the proper county," amended July 2, 1953 (P. L. 325), is amended to read:

Section 2, act of May 19, 1887, P. L. 138, amended July 2, 1953, P. L. 325, further amended.

Section 2. That, when the record in any criminal case shall have been removed by writ of certiorari or otherwise to any appellate court of this Commonwealth or to any court of the United States for review and shall have been therein disposed of, the necessary expenses of the district attorney in connection therewith shall be paid by the proper county; and the costs of the officers, including the costs of the justice of the peace and constable, and all cases of wife desertion, nonsupport and surety of the peace, shall be chargeable to and paid by the proper county as soon as the case is disposed of by the order of the court; and it shall be the duty of the district attorney and county *commissioners to use all due diligence to collect the costs, in every case mentioned in this act, from the party made liable therefor by the sentence or order of the court, and to pay the same into the county treasury.

Proper county to pay expenses of district attorney in connection with criminal cases removed to certain courts.

Proper county to pay costs in cases of desertion and surety of the peace.

Duty of district attorney and county commissioners in regard to collection of costs.

APPROVED—The 19th day of November, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 542

AN ACT

Amending the act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), entitled "An act consolidating and revising the Vehicle Code, the Tractor Code, the Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Act and other acts relating to the ownership, possession and use of vehicles and tractors," authorizing public authorities to reduce speed limits on streets which are not through highways or main arteries of traffic or State highways.

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

The Vehicle Code.

Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 1002, act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), known as "The Vehicle Code," is amended by adding, after clause (1), a new clause to read:

Subsection (b), section 1002, act of April 29, 1959, P. L. 58, amended by adding a new clause (1.1).

Section 1002. Restrictions as to Speed.—

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* "commssioners" in original.

(b) Subject to the provisions of subsection (a) of this section, speeds in excess of the maximum limits hereinafter provided shall be unlawful:

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(1.1) *Fifteen (15) or twenty (20) miles an hour speed limit. All vehicles on any street not a State highway, or not a through highway or main artery of traffic in a residence district, when such speed limit is established by proper public authority. Notice of such speed limit shall be given by the posting of signs.*

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Penalty.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section, shall, upon summary conviction before a magistrate, be sentenced to pay a fine of ten dollars (\$10.00) and costs of prosecution, and, in default of the payment thereof, shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days.

APPROVED—The 19th day of November, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 543

AN ACT

Amending the act of April 12, 1951 (P. L. 90), entitled "An act relating to alcoholic liquors, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto; regulating and restricting the manufacture, purchase, sale, possession, consumption, importation, transportation, furnishing, holding in bond, holding in storage, traffic in and use of alcoholic liquors, alcohol and malt and brewed beverages and the persons engaged or employed therein; defining the powers and duties of the Pennsylvania Liquor Control Board; providing for the establishment and operation of State liquor stores, for the payment of certain license fees to the respective municipalities and townships, for the abatement of certain nuisances and, in certain cases, for search and seizure without warrant; prescribing penalties and forfeitures; providing for local option, and repealing existing laws," further regulating the keeping of liquor in packages without official seals, and prohibiting certain actions in regard to official seals.

Liquor Code.

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

Clause (4), section 491, act of April 12, 1951, P. L. 90, amended February 17, 1956, P. L. 1078, further amended.

Section 1. Clause (4) of section 491, act of April 12, 1951 (P. L. 90), known as the "Liquor Code," amended February 17, 1956 (P. L. 1078), is amended to read:

Section 491. Unlawful Acts Relative to Liquor, Alcohol and Liquor Licensees.—