

may be of any size the operator deems best suited to his purposes so long as the premises used are surrounded by a tight woven wire fence with a maximum mesh of one inch and not less than [six] *five* feet high.

APPROVED—The 15th day of December, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 667

AN ACT

Amending the act of March 19, 1951 (P. L. 28), entitled "An act relating to the civil defense of this State and its coordination with national defense; providing for the establishment of a State Council of Civil Defense, local and district councils of civil defense, Mobile Support Units; prescribing the powers, duties and immunities thereof and of their personnel; authorizing mutual aid compacts, and providing penalties," making the Secretary of Health a member of the Council, and further defining the powers and duties of the Council with reference to peacetime radiation dangers and disasters.

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

Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 3, act of March 19, 1951 (P. L. 28), known as the "State Council of Civil Defense Act of 1951," amended September 3, 1955 (P. L. 553), is amended to read:

Section 3. Organization of Council.—(a) The Council shall consist of the Governor, *ex officio*, the Lieutenant-Governor, the Adjutant General, *the Secretary of Health*, the Auditor General, the Secretary of Internal Affairs, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Minority Leader of the Senate, the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives, their respective successors in office, and [five] *four* citizens of Pennsylvania to be appointed by the Governor. The Speaker of the House of Representatives, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Minority Leader of the Senate and the Minority Leader of the House of Representatives may authorize a member of their respective branches of the General Assembly to serve in their stead on said Council. The Council shall elect a chairman from the membership and five members of the Council shall constitute a quorum. The terms of the members appointed by the Governor shall expire with the terms of the Governor appointing them.

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Section 2. Section 4 of the act is amended by adding, at the end thereof, a new subsection to read:

State Council of
Civil Defense
Act of 1951.

Subsection (a),
section 3, act of
March 19, 1951,
P. L. 28,
amended September
3, 1955,
P. L. 553, fur-
ther amended.

Section 4 of the
act, amended by
adding a new
subsection (o).

Section 4. Powers and Duties.—The council shall have the following powers and duties:

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(o) To take appropriate action under the direction of such person as the Governor may designate acting for the Council in the event of any unusual danger or disaster caused by, connected with, resulting from, or incidental to atomic energy operations or the transportation, handling, use, storage or disposal of radioactive objects or materials: Provided, That any such action taken and any regulations adopted by the Council shall be inapplicable to any objects or materials possessing a radiation-producing capacity less than that set forth as the maximum safety limit by the standards endorsed and as may be subsequently endorsed by the United States Atomic Energy Commission for the protection of life and property and the maintenance of health and safety.

Act effective immediately.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 15th day of December, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 668

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 25, 1947 (P. L. 928), entitled "An act relating to the annual salaries and compensation of certain county officers of counties of the sixth class," fixing the compensation of auditors.

Sixth class counties.

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

Section 1, act of June 25, 1947, P. L. 928, amended by adding a new paragraph.

Section 1. Section 1, act of June 25, 1947 (P. L. 928), entitled "An act relating to the annual salaries and compensation of certain county officers of counties of the sixth class," is amended by adding, at the end thereof, a new paragraph to read:

Salaries of county officers.

Section 1. The annual salaries of the following county officers of counties of the sixth class shall be as follows:

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The county auditors shall each receive twelve dollars and fifty cents (\$12.50) for each day necessarily employed in the discharge of their duties, together with six cents (6¢) per mile circular from and to their homes once each and every day so employed.

Repeals, specific and general.

Section 2. The act of May 12, 1887 (P. L. 95), entitled "An act regulating the compensation of county