

deferred retirement allowance for such service and, in addition, in the case of State employes becoming contributors after June 1, 1961, that he has not forfeited any vested right to a deferred retirement allowance for such service, and (iii) pay or agree to pay the back contributions provided for in article III. section 302 subsection (2) (1).

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Act effective immediately.

Section 5. This act shall become effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 15th day of September, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 599

AN ACT

Amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177), entitled "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers thereof, including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reorganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments, boards, and commissions; defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers, and of the several *administrative departments, boards, commissions, and officers; fixing the salaries of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, and certain other executive and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards, and commissions; and prescribing the manner in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments, boards and commissions shall be determined," authorizing the Water and Power Resources Board to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of certain minerals in or beneath certain streams or bodies of water.

The Administrative Code of 1929.

Section 1808, act of April 9, 1929, P. L. 177, amended by adding a new clause (d).

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

Section 1. Section 1808, act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177), known as "The Administrative Code of 1929," is amended by adding, at the end thereof, a new clause to read:

Section 1808. Water and Power Resources Board.—The Water and Power Resources Board shall have the power, and its duty shall be:

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(d) To enter into agreements to sell, lease or other-

* "adimintrative" in original.

wise dispose of any iron, coal, limestone, fire-clay, oil, gas and other minerals, except sand and gravel and minerals deposited as silt in pools created by dams, that may be found in or beneath the beds of navigable streams or bodies of water within the Commonwealth and non-navigable streams or bodies of water where the beds thereof are owned by the Commonwealth, on such terms and conditions as the board deems to be in the best interest of the Commonwealth: Provided, however, That any proposed contracts involving more than one thousand dollars shall be awarded to the highest responsible bidder after due advertisement as prescribed by the board. Nothing herein contained shall authorize anyone to interfere with the free navigation of said streams or bodies of water or to undermine the bed thereof or to interfere with the rights of any person or persons holding property on the banks thereof.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Act effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 16th day of September, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 600

AN ACT

Amending the act of May 22, 1933 (P. L. 851), entitled "An act fixing the pay and mileage of jurors and witnesses," clarifying the mileage reimbursement to jurors.

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

Pay and mileage of jurors.

Section 1. Section 1.1, act of May 22, 1933 (P. L. 851), entitled "An act fixing the pay and mileage of jurors and witnesses," amended December 21, 1959 (P. L. 1971), is amended to read:

Section 1.1, act of May 22, 1933, P. L. 851, amended December 21, 1959, P. L. 1971, further amended.

Section 1.1. Every juror shall be paid mileage at the rate of seven cents for each mile he actually travels in going to such place from his place of residence and returning *each day he is required to be present as a member of the jury panel and actually makes the trip and is recorded as being present in the court*, but not for a greater number of miles than would be required for traveling by the usually-traveled route between those places *multiplied by the number of days he has met the conditions required above.*

Mileage of jurors.

APPROVED—The 16th day of September, A. D. 1961.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE