The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Penn- The Vehicle Code. sylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Section 830.1, act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), known as "The Vehicle Code," added September 15, 1961 (P. L. 1304), is repealed.

APPROVED-The 2d day of April, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

### No. 11

#### 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," providing for one wheel brakes where vehicle is constructed with three wheels.

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Penn-The Vehicle sylvania hereby enacts as follows:

Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 816, act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), known as "The Vehicle Code," is amended to read:

Subsection (b), section 816, act of April 29, 1959, P. L. 58, amended.

Code.

Section 816. Brakes.—

(b) Every motor vehicle using the highways of this Commonwealth, except motorcycles and bicycles with motors attached, shall be equipped with two (2) separate means of applying the brakes so constructed that failure of any one (1) part of the operating mechanism shall not leave the motor vehicle without operative brakes on at least two (2) wheels, or at least one (1) wheel if the vehicle was constructed with three (3) wheels. One such means shall be an emergency brake employing a ratchet and pawl, or other suitable locking and releasing mechanism, effective to lock at least two (2) rear wheels on opposite sides of the vehicle, or the one (1) rear wheel if the vehicle was constructed with a single load carrying wheel in the rear. The other such means shall be a service brake effective upon all wheels of every such motor vehicle sold new in this Commonwealth on or after January 1, 1956, and upon at least two (2) wheels of every other such motor vehicle.

Penalty.—Any person violating any of the provisions of this section, shall, upon summary conviction before 13

Section 830.1, act of April 29, 1959, P. L. 58, added

September 15, 1961, P. L. 1304,

repealed.

a magistrate, be sentenced to pay a fine of twenty-five dollars (\$25.00) and costs of prosecution, and, in default of the payment thereof, shall undergo imprisonment for not more than five (5) days.

Act effective immediately.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 2d day of April, A. D. 1963.

### WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

# No. 12

## 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," further regulating compensation of councilmen.

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

The Borough Code.

Section 1001, act of May 4, 1927, P. L. 519, reenacted and amended July 10, 1947, P. L. 1821 and amended April 28, 1961, P. L. 122, further amended. Section 1. Section 1001, act of May 4, 1927 (P. L. 519), known as "The Borough Code," reenacted and amended July 10, 1947 (P. L. 1621) and amended April 28, 1961 (P. L. 123), is amended to read:

Section 1001. Organization of Council; Quorum; Compensation; Eligibility.-The borough council shall organize at eight o'clock post meridian on the first Monday of January of each even-numbered year, by electing one of their number as president and one of their number as vice-president, who, as long as they continue to be councilmen, shall hold office until their successors are elected and qualified. If the first Monday is a legal holiday, the meeting and organization shall take place the first day following at the hour herein prescribed. The council may at the organization meeting elect such other officers as may be provided for by law or ordinance, or as may be deemed necessary for the conduct of affairs of the borough. The president, and during his absence or incapacity the vice-president, shall preside over the meetings of council and perform such other duties as are prescribed by this act or by ordinance. A majority of the entire membership of council shall constitute a quorum. The councilmen may receive compensation to be fixed by ordinance at any time and from time to time as follows: In boroughs whose population is seven hundred fifty (750) or less, a maximum of five dollars (\$5) a month; in boroughs whose population is more than seven hundred fifty (750) and not more than fifteen hundred (1500), a maximum of ten dollars (\$10)