No. 278

AN ACT

Amending the act of July 28, 1953 (P. L. 723), entitled "An act relating to counties of the second class; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," authorizing the use of current revenue and the issuance of general obligation bonds to defray the costs and expenses of the county planning commission and the regional planning commission.

Second Class County Code.

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

Section 1. Subsection (e) of section 2201 and subsection (c) of section 2209, act of July 28, 1953 (P. L. 723), known as the "Second Class County Code," amended May 25, 1956 (P. L. 1745), are amended to read:

Section 2201. Creation and Powers of County Planning Commission.—* * *

(e) They shall serve without compensation, and shall make annually, to the county commissioners, a report of their transactions and recommendations. They may employ engineers and other persons whose salaries and wages and other necessary expenses of the commission shall be provided for, in the discretion of the county commissioners, by proper appropriation and resolution. For the purpose of defraying such costs and expenses, the county commissioners may use current tax revenue or may issue general obligation bonds in such amounts as are necessary and in such manner as provided by the act of June 25, 1941 (P. L. 159), known as the "Municipal Borrowing Law." The county planning commission may also receive and expend for the purpose of its planning work, including planning work in or for cities, boroughs, townships and towns, within the county, any gifts, grants and appropriations of money from any other source, including Commonwealth, Federal or local funds, and may contract with governmental or private agencies or individuals with respect thereto.

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Section 2209. Creation of Regional Planning Commission.—•••

(c) The proportion of the expenses of the regional planning commission to be borne respectively by the political subdivisions and counties or by the counties cooperating in the establishment and maintenance of the commission shall be such as may be determined and agreed upon by the cooperating authorities and county commissioners, and said authorities and county commissioners are hereby authorized to appropriate their respective shares of such expenses. For the purpose of

Subsection (e), section 2201, and subsection (c), section 2209, act of July 28, 1953, P. L. 723, amended May 25, 1956, P. L. 1745, further amended.

defraying such costs and expenses, the county commissioners may use current tax revenue or may issue general obligation bonds in such amounts as are necessary and in such manner as provided by the act of June 25, 1941 (P. L. 159), known as the "Municipal Borrowing Law." Within the amounts thus agreed upon and duly appropriated, any such regional planning commission shall have the power to appoint such employes and staff as it may deem necessary for its work, and contract with planners and other consultants for such services as it may require. The regional planning commission may also receive and expend for the purposes of its planning work, including planning work in or for counties, cities, boroughs, townships and towns, within the region any gifts, grants and appropriations of money from any other source, including Commonwealth, Federal, county or local funds, and may contract with governmental or private agencies or individuals with respect thereto.

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Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Act effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 6th day of August, A. D. 1963.

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No. 279

AN ACT

Authorizing the filing of notices of liens for taxes payable to the United States; certificates discharging liens and certificates releasing specific property from liens; and to make uniform the law relating thereto.

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

Section 1. Short Title.—This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Revised Uniform Federal Tax Lien Registration Act."

Section 2. Definitions.—As used in this act:

(1) "Security interest" means an interest in personal property which secures payment or performance of an obligation.

(2) "Security agreement" means an agreement which creates or provides for a security interest and, without limitation, includes a security agreement under the Uniform Commercial Code, a pledge, assignment, chattel mortgage, chattel trust, trust deed, factor's lien, equipment trust, conditional sale, trust receipt, other lien or title retention contract, and lease or consignment intended as security.

Revised Uniform Federal Tax Lien Registration Act.