

General State Authority Act of One Thousand Nine Hundred Forty-Nine.”

(12) Section 13, act of April 18, 1949 (P. L. 604), known as the “State Highway and Bridge Authority Act.”

(13) Section 6, act of May 27, 1953 (P. L. 244), entitled “An act relating to and regulating the contracts of incorporated towns and providing penalties.”

(14) Section 2518, act of July 28, 1953 (P. L. 723), known as the “Second Class County Code.”

(15) Section 2318, act of August 9, 1955 (P. L. 323), known as “The County Code.”

(16) Section 1406, act of February 1, 1966 (P. L. 1656), known as “The Borough Code.”

Section 11. This act shall be construed to repeal all acts and parts of acts, general, local and special in so far as inconsistent herewith, but only in accordance with section 12 hereof.

Section 12. This act shall take effect in thirty days but shall not apply to any contract awarded pursuant to an invitation for bids issued on or before the date it takes effect, or to any persons or bonds in respect of any such contract.

APPROVED—The 20th day of December, A. D. 1967.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER

No. 386

AN ACT

HB 1254

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,” further regulating suspension of licenses and operating privileges of persons failing to appear for hearings.

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

Section 1. Clause (6) of subsection (b) of section 618, act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), known as “The Vehicle Code,” amended July 26, 1961 (P. L. 907), is amended to read:

Section 618. Suspension of Licenses or Operating Privileges.—

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(b) The secretary may suspend the operator’s license or learner’s permit of any person, after a hearing before the secretary or his representative, whenever the secretary finds upon sufficient evidence:

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(6) That such person has failed to pay a fine, properly imposed by any court of this Commonwealth or of any state, or has failed to appear for a hearing before a court of competent jurisdiction of this Commonwealth or of any state, upon being notified as provided by law; where such person is under the age of eighteen (18) years, his suspension shall be permanent until the fines and penalties imposed herein are paid or complied with;

Whenever a summary proceeding is commenced by the filing of an information and the magistrate sends by registered or certified mail to the person charged at the latest available address on file with the Bureau of Motor Vehicles a copy of the information, a notice of the filing thereof and a notice to appear within ten (10) days of the written notice, and the person charged refuses to accept delivery of the certified or registered letter or the letter is returned to the magistrate as "unclaimed" on two separate occasions within a period of thirty (30) days and fails to respond to the notice to appear, such person, unless he can show that he was not in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania at the time of the attempted delivery of the notices, shall be deemed to have failed to appear for a hearing before a court of competent jurisdiction of this Commonwealth.

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APPROVED—The 21st day of December, A. D. 1967.

RAYMOND P. SHAFER

No. 387

AN ACT

HB 1293

Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," providing for the eligibility of certain persons for provisional college certificates.

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