

No. 60

AN ACT

SB 326

Amending the act of June 23, 1931 (P.L.932, No.317), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," reducing the age qualification of council members and the mayor from twenty-five years to twenty-one years.

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

Section 1. Section 1001, act of June 23, 1931(P.L.932, No.317), known as "The Third Class City Code," reenacted and amended June 28, 1951 (P.L.662, No.164), and amended December 27, 1951 (P.L.1792, No.474), is amended to read:

Section 1001. Qualifications of Councilmen.—The councilmen shall be at least [~~twenty-five~~] *twenty-one* years of age, and shall be elected by the electors at large. They shall have been residents of the city wherein they shall be elected throughout one year next before their election, and shall reside therein throughout their terms of service. No officer of the United States or of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (except notaries public or officers of the militia), nor any county officer, nor any officer of any school district embraced in the territory of said city, nor any officer or employe of said city, or of any department thereof, nor any member or employe of a municipality authority of which the city is a member, shall serve as a councilman during his continuance or employment, except as hereinafter provided.

Section 2. Section 1201 of the act is amended to read:

Section 1201. Qualifications.—The mayor shall be at least [~~twenty-five~~] *twenty-one* years of age, and shall be elected at large by the qualified electors of the city. He shall have been a resident of the city wherein he shall be elected for one year, next before his election, and shall reside in the city throughout his term of service.

APPROVED—The 27th day of July, A. D. 1973.

MILTON J. SHAPP

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 60.



Secretary of the Commonwealth.