

No. 172

AN ACT

HB 2038

Amending the act of August 9, 1955 (P.L.323, No.130), entitled "An act relating to counties of the third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth classes; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," providing for liability insurance for county officers and employees.

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

Section 1. Section 431, act of August 9, 1955 (P.L.323, No.130), known as "The County Code," is amended to read:

Section 431. Insurance to Protect Against Robbery, Burglary and Larceny; **Liability Insurance.**—(a) Each county officer or employe who as part of his official duties handles money or has money in his possession at any time shall, in addition to any bond required by law, be covered by or furnish to the county adequate insurance indemnifying against the loss of such money through robbery, burglary and larceny. The cost of such insurance shall be paid by the county and the amount of the insurance shall be fixed by the commissioners.

(b) *The county commissioners may provide insurance on every county officer and employe for liability arising from errors, and omissions in the performance of their duties in the course of their employment.*

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 18th day of July, A. D. 1974.

MILTON J. SHAPP

The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 172.



Secretary of the Commonwealth.