

No. 1984-191

AN ACT

SB 457

Amending the act of May 2, 1947 (P.L.143, No.62), entitled "An act regulating the sale and resale for profit and the carrying on of the business of selling or reselling tickets or other devices for admission to places of amusement; providing for the licensing of persons reselling such tickets for profit; providing for the suspension and revocation of such licenses; imposing duties on licensees and owners or operators of places of amusement; imposing powers and duties on the Department of Revenue, county treasurers, district attorneys, and the receiver of taxes, and city solicitors in cities of the first class; making disposition of moneys collected and providing penalties," further regulating premiums for resale of tickets and the printing of the amount thereof on tickets.

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

Section 1. Section 11 of the act of May 2, 1947 (P.L.143, No.62), entitled "An act regulating the sale and resale for profit and the carrying on of the business of selling or reselling tickets or other devices for admission to places of amusement; providing for the licensing of persons reselling such tickets for profit; providing for the suspension and revocation of such licenses; imposing duties on licensees and owners or operators of places of amusement; imposing powers and duties on the Department of Revenue, county treasurers, district attorneys, and the receiver of taxes, and city solicitors in cities of the first class; making disposition of moneys collected and providing penalties," amended February 2, 1966 (1965 P.L.1869, No.590), is amended to read:

Section 11. Printing Prices on Tickets.—(a) The owner of every place of amusement shall, if a price be charged for admission thereto, cause to be plainly stamped or printed or written on the face of every ticket to be so used, the established price. Such owner shall likewise cause to be plainly stamped, printed or written on the face of each such ticket the maximum premium, which shall not exceed one-half the price of the ticket or the sum of two dollars (\$2.00) whichever shall be less, plus lawful taxes, at which such ticket may be resold or offered for resale. *The provisions of this subsection relating to ticket premiums shall not apply to cities of the first class.*

(b) *In cities of the first class, the maximum premium shall not exceed twenty-five percent (25%) of the price of the ticket or the sum of five dollars (\$5.00), whichever shall be more, plus lawful taxes, at which such ticket may be resold or offered for resale.*

Section 2. The act is amended by adding a section to read:

Section 11.1. Application of Act.—The provisions of this act shall apply only to the sale and resale of those tickets or other devices for admissions to places of amusement within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 12th day of December, A. D. 1984.

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