

## CHAPTER MMV.

1799.

*An ACT to erect the town of Greensburgh, in the county of Westmoreland, into a borough.*

SECT. 1. [GREENESBURGH erected into a borough. Its boundaries. 2. Who may elect, and who may be elected borough officers. 3. Manner and time of holding and certifying the borough elections. 4. Powers of the borough officers. Limitation of the amount of taxes to be assessed. Proceedings to regulate the same. 5. The borough incorporated, by the name of "The Burgesses and Inhabitants of the borough of Greensburgh, in the county of Westmoreland," with the usual corporate powers. 6. Provision for erecting a market-house. 7. Penalty for refusing to serve in borough offices. 8. Qualifications of the borough officers.]

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## CHAPTER MMIX.

*An ACT to regulate the general elections within this commonwealth.*

SECT. I. *BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, in General Assembly met, and it is hereby enacted by the authority of the same, That the general elections within this commonwealth shall be held and conducted by Judges, Inspectors, and Clerks, to be chosen and appointed as is herein after directed; and no person shall be admitted to vote at any general or special election, or for Inspectors thereof, other than citizens of this state of the age of twenty-one years or more, and who have resided therein two years next before the election, and within that time paid a state or county tax, which shall have been assessed at least six months before the election; provided, that the sons of citizens qualified as aforesaid, between the ages of twenty-one and twenty-two years, shall be entitled to vote, although they shall not have paid taxes; and every citizen, having paid taxes and resided as aforesaid, and claiming a right to vote, shall make due proof thereof as follows, viz. First, That he is a natural born citizen of this state, or was settled therein on the twenty-eighth day of September, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-six; or having been a foreigner, who since that time came to settle therein, he hath taken an oath or affirmation of allegiance to the same on or before the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety, agreeably to the then existing constitution and laws; or, Secondly, That he is a natural born citizen of some other of the United States, or had been lawfully admitted or recognized as a citizen of some one of the said states on or before the twenty-sixth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety; or, Thirdly, That, having been a foreigner or alien, he hath been naturalized conformably to the laws of the United States. That as evidence of his having been naturalized agreeably to the laws of the United*

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