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THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

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HOUSE BILL

No. 714

Session of  
1983

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INTRODUCED BY MERRY, SHOWERS, BOWSER, DeLUCA, PETERSON, RUDY,  
FARGO, AFFLERBACH, HONAMAN, SAURMAN, D. W. SNYDER, GRUPPO AND  
ROBBINS, APRIL 6, 1983

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AS AMENDED ON THIRD CONSIDERATION, IN SENATE, MARCH 26, 1984

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AN ACT

1 Amending the act of February 1, 1966 (1965 P.L.1656, No.581),  
2 entitled "An act concerning boroughs, and revising, amending  
3 and consolidating the law relating to boroughs," further  
4 providing for records.

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

7 Section 1. Section 1009 of the act of February 1, 1966 (1965  
8 P.L.1656, No.581), known as The Borough Code, amended July 31,  
9 1968 (P.L.942, No.289), is amended to read:

10 Section 1009. Typewritten, Printed, Photostated and  
11 Microfilmed Records Valid; Recording or Transcribing Records.--  
12 All borough records, required to be recorded or transcribed,  
13 shall be deemed valid if typewritten, printed, photostated or  
14 microfilmed and where recording or transcribing in a specified  
15 book of record is required, [except] including minutes of the  
16 proceedings of the council, such records may be recorded or  
17 transcribed in a mechanical [or key-operated] post binder book  
18 CAPABLE OF BEING PERMANENTLY SEALED with consecutively numbered <—

1 pages WITH A SECURITY CODE PRINTED THEREON AND A PERMANENT  
2 LOCKING DEVICE with the borough seal being impressed upon each  
3 page, or bound book with pages being consecutively numbered by  
4 transcribing directly upon the pages of such book of record or  
5 such records or copies thereof may be attached to such book of  
6 record by stapling or by glue or by any other adhesive substance  
7 or material, and all records heretofore recorded or transcribed  
8 in any manner authorized by this section are validated. [The  
9 minutes of proceedings of the council shall, in the manner  
10 prescribed by this section for other records, be recorded in a  
11 bound book.] When any record shall be recorded or transcribed  
12 after the effective date of this act by attaching such record or  
13 a copy thereof to the book of record as hereinabove provided,  
14 the borough seal shall be impressed upon each page to which such  
15 record is attached, each impression thereof covering both a  
16 portion of the attached record and a portion of the page of the  
17 book of record to which such record is attached.

18       Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.