

ASSEMBLY, No. 296

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED JANUARY 23, 1967

By Assemblymen FARRINGTON, SWEENEY and WOODSON

Referred to Committee on County and Municipal Government

AN ACT concerning municipal appropriations to aid local volunteer fire companies, and amending section 40:47-27 of the Revised Statutes.

1 BE IT ENACTED *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State of New*  
2 *Jersey:*

1 1. Section 40:47-27 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:  
2 40:47-27. The governing body of a municipality may raise and appro-  
3 priate such sum of money, not exceeding **[\$12,000.00]** \***[\$18,000.00]**\*  
4 \***\$24,000.00**\* annually, as it may deem necessary to aid the board of fire  
5 commissioners of any fire district or volunteer fire companies located  
6 therein, using apparatus owned by the municipality or owning and main-  
7 taining their own apparatus, and in any municipality in which there are more  
8 than 3 such boards or companies or both, the governing body may raise and  
9 appropriate an additional sum of money not in excess of **[\$3,000.00]**  
10 \***[\$4,500.00]**\* \***\$6,000.00**\* annually for each such additional board or com-  
11 pany; provided, however, that all moneys so appropriated in excess of  
12 **[\$6,000.00]** \***[\$9,000.00]**\* \***\$12,000.00**\* annually or 50% of the annual ap-  
13 propriation, whichever is greater, be used for the purchase of new equip-  
14 ment from time to time, with the approval of the governing body, such  
15 moneys to be accounted for to the governing body annually.

1 2. This act shall take effect January 1, \***[1968]**\* \*1967\*.

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4 it may deem necessary to aid the board of fire commissioners of any fire dis-  
5 trict or volunteer fire companies located therein, using apparatus owned by the  
6 municipality or owning and maintaining their own apparatus, and in any mu-  
7 nicipality in which there are more than 3 such boards or companies or both,  
8 the governing body may raise and appropriate an additional sum of money  
9 not in excess of **[\$3,000.00]** \$4,500.00 annually for each such additional board  
10 or company; provided, however, that all moneys so appropriated in excess of  
11 **[\$6,000.00]** \$9,000.00 annually or 50% of the annual appropriation, which-  
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ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS TO

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ADOPTED FEBRUARY 14, 1967

Amend page 1, section 1, line 3, delete "\$18,000.00", and insert in lieu thereof "\$24,000.00".

Amend page 1, section 1, line 9, delete "\$4,500.00", and insert in lieu thereof "\$6,000.00".

Amend page 1, section 1, line 11, delete "\$9,000.00", and insert in lieu thereof "\$12,000.00".

Amend page 1, section 2, line 1, delete "1968", and insert in lieu thereof "1967".