

ACTS, 1980. - Chaps. 554, 555.

Chap. 554. AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE UNIT OF MEASURE FOR THE SALE OF GAS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

Chapter 164 of the General Laws is hereby amended by striking out section 111, as appearing in the Tercentenary Edition, and inserting in place thereof the following section:-

Section 111. The unit of measure for the sale of gas by meter shall be the cubic foot, containing sixty-two and two thousand nine hundred and ninety-three ten-thousandths pounds avoirdupois weight of air-free distilled water at sixty degrees Fahrenheit when weighed in dry air at the same temperature and at a barometric pressure of thirty inches of mercury, or a thermal unit of measure, such as the "therm" or "British Thermal Unit", as the department shall determine and approve.

Approved July 16, 1980.

Chap. 555. AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR NINETEEN HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-ONE FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. To provide for the maintenance of Middlesex county, its departments, boards, commissions and institutions, of sundry other services, for certain permanent improvements, for interest and debt requirements, and to meet certain requirements of law, the following sums are hereby appropriated, subject to the provisions of law regulating the disbursement of county funds and the approval thereof, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eighty-one.

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

Item	<u>Subtotal</u>	<u>Total</u>
1. For interest on county debt		\$1,501,565 00
2. For reduction of county debt		1,552,000 00
3. For county commissioners, salaries and expenses		693,714 61
1. Personal services	\$636,864 61	
2. Contractual services	51,250 00	
4. Current charges and obligations	5,600 00	
4. For transportation and expenses of county and acting commissioners		1,500 00