

Chapter 620. AN ACT VALIDATING THE AUTHORIZATION OF CERTAIN BONDS BY THE LEINO PARK WATER DISTRICT.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Notwithstanding the provisions of section ten of chapter forty-four of the General Laws and section four of chapter three hundred and ninety-eight of the acts of nineteen hundred and eighty-five, the proceedings taken by the Leino Park water district on January twenty-eighth and April twenty-seventh, nineteen hundred and eighty-seven by which vote was authorized the borrowing of three hundred and sixty-three thousand dollars for the construction and installation of a water supply system within said district are hereby ratified, validated and confirmed and said bonds may be issued.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved December 29, 1987.

Chapter 621. AN ACT PROVIDING FOR COMMON ENROLLMENT DATES FOR SUPPLEMENTAL MEDICARE HEALTH PLANS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. Section 1A of chapter 176A of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1986 Official Edition, is hereby amended by adding the following two paragraphs:-

All nonprofit hospital service corporations governed by this chapter which offer supplemental coverage to medicare, shall provide open enrollment for nongroup subscribers to medicare supplemental coverage, commencing on February first and ending March thirty-first of each year, for coverage to be effective June first of that year; provided, however, that nothing contained herein shall preclude additional periods of open enrollment for subscribers to medicare supplemental coverage.

Any such corporation shall make available each type of medicare supplemental coverage allowed by the commissioner of insurance to any resident of the commonwealth whose coverage under a medicare program offered by a health maintenance organization licensed under chapter one hundred and seventy-six G has been cancelled because the health maintenance organization's contract with medicare has been terminated. Such coverage shall be offered without any waiting periods or exclusions for pre-existing conditions and shall become effective on the date that coverage is cancelled.

SECTION 2. Section 10 of said chapter 176A, as so appearing, is