
THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

SENATE BILL

No. **566** Session of
1961

INTRODUCED BY MESSRS. STEVENSON, SCOTT, CONFAIR
AND PECHAN, APRIL 25, 1961.

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS,
APRIL 25, 1961.

AN ACT

Making an appropriation to the Department of Public Instruction for the purpose of paying a part of the cost of repairs to certain local public school buildings

The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania hereby enacts as follows

- 1 Section 1 The sum of one million three hundred thousand dollars
2 (\$1,300,000) or as much thereof as may be necessary is hereby specifically
3 appropriated to the Department of Public Instruction for the fiscal

EXPLANATION—CAPITAL LETTERS indicate new matter added to bill. Matter stricken through is to be omitted from bill. Underlining indicates new matter added to existing law. [Brackets] indicate matter stricken from existing law.

1 period beginning June 1 1961 to be expended for the purpose of paying
2 a part of the cost of repairs or alterations to local public school build-
3 ings which repairs or alterations are necessary to satisfy fire and safety
4 standards or requirements and which are required by order of the Depart-
5 ment of Labor and Industry or in those cases in which the Department of
6 Labor and Industry does not have jurisdiction then by order of another
7 governmental body of competent jurisdiction empowered by law to en-
8 force such orders including cities of the first class cities of the second
9 class and cities of the second class A

10 Section 2 In the case of school districts which have less than three
11 hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000) valuation per district teaching
12 unit payments may be made up to seventy-five per centum of the total cost
13 of repairs or alterations In the case of school districts which have more than
14 three hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$350,000) but less than seven
15 hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) valuation per district teaching
16 unit payments may be made up to fifty per centum of the total cost of
17 repairs or alterations In the case of school districts which have more than
18 seven hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$750,000) but less than one mil-
19 lion dollars (\$1,000,000) valuation per district teaching unit payments
20 may be made up to twenty-five per centum of the total cost of repairs or

1 alterations Where school districts have more than one million dollars
2 (\$1,000,000) valuation per district teaching unit payments may be made
3 up to five per centum of the total cost of repairs or alterations Pay-
4 ments up to one hundred per centum of the total cost of repairs or al-
5 terations may be made in the case of school districts which are deter-
6 mined by the Superintendent of Public Instruction to be financially handi-
7 capped and distressed in accordance with the provisions of the "Public
8 School Code of 1949" In no case shall any payment be made for repairs
9 or alterations made to any school building which is closed finally by the
10 Department of Labor and Industry or the Department of Public Instruc-
11 tion Payment on account of any building under the provisions of this
12 act shall preclude any further payment or reimbursement from State
13 funds for the repair or alteration of the building for like purposes

14 Teaching unit as referred to in this section shall mean a teaching
15 unit as defined in the "Public School Code of 1949" and its amendments

We certify that this bill has passed the Senate and the House of
Representatives.

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Chief Clerk, Senate

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President pro tempore, Senate

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Speaker, House of Representatives

Approved The day of A. D. 1961.

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Governor