Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 20th day of April, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 16

AN ACT

SB 346

Amending the act of October 2, 1959 (P. L. 1251), entitled "An act relating to officers and employes of the General Assembly; fixing the number, qualifications, compensation, mileage and duties of the officers and employes of the Senate and of the House of Representatives; providing for their election or appointment, term of office, or of service, removal, and manner of filling vacancies; fixing the salary of the Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau; providing for compilation of lists of employes," requiring the legislative printing clerk to order all printing requested by the Legislature.

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

Section 1. Section 42, act of October 2, 1959 (P. L. 1251), entitled "An act relating to officers and employes of the General Assembly; fixing the number, qualifications, compensation, mileage and duties of the officers and employes of the Senate and of the House of Representatives; providing for their election or appointment, term of office, or of service, removal, and manner of filling vacancies; fixing the salary of the Director of the Legislative Reference Bureau; providing for compilation of lists of employes," is amended to read:

Section 42. The Secretary of the Senate and the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, acting jointly, shall appoint one legislative printing clerk at an annual salary of six thousand dollars (\$6000), who shall serve until his successor is appointed and qualified and whose duty it shall be to order upon [proper] requisition of the Secretary of the Senate or the Chief Clerk of the House all printing [required] requested by the Legislature and to deliver such printing to the Legislature as it

is needed. Such printing shall be performed under contract to be given to the lowest responsible bidder and the Secretary of the Senate for Senate printing and the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives for House of Representatives printing shall have the power to enter into such contracts directly without the intervention of any State department or agency, subject, however, to the approval of the Governor, Auditor General and State Treasurer.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED-The 20th day of April, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 17

AN ACT

HB 184

Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," authorizing certain additional school directors to serve on the interim operating committee.

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

Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 303.1, act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," added August 8, 1963 (P. L. 564), is amended to read:

Section 303.1. Incumbent School Directors and Interim Operating Committee.—

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(b) On or before the fifteenth day of January immediately preceding the date of establishment, such incumbent school directors of the component school districts shall be called into convention by the county superintendent of schools and shall select by majority vote an interim operating committee composed of nine incumbent school directors. In selecting the interim operating committee, the incumbent school directors shall take into consideration the principle of proportionate representation according to population. The decision of the convention in selecting the interim operating committee shall be final. Six of the members of the interim operating committee shall be selected for a term expiring on the first Monday of December, 1967 and three for a term expiring on the first Monday of December, 1969. [No director may be appointed to serve on the interim operating committee for a term expiring later than the term for which he was elected.] In the event an incumbent director is selected for a term on the interim operating committee which would expire later than the term for which he was elected as a school