sighted, deaf, <u>hard of hearing</u>, or afflicted with cerebral palsy, and who is enrolled, with the approval of the Department of Public Instruction, in any of the public schools of the Commonwealth, an amount equal to the costs of these services and equipment multiplied by the district's reimbursement fraction.

No such expenditures nor purchases may be made by any school district unless in accordance with a budget submitted by the district and approved by the Department of Public Instruction. The total expenditure by the Commonwealth hereunder shall not exceed seventy-five percent of a sum which would have been expended for the tuition and maintenance of any such child in a residential school for the blind, including partially sighted, deaf, hard of hearing, or those afflicted with cerebral palsy, that has been approved by the Department of Public Instruction for the education of the blind, partially sighted, deaf, hard of hearing, or those afflicted with cerebral palsy.

The services of such readers, helpers and guides may be contracted and paid for by the school district irrespective of the age of the person rendering such assistance and of the employment of such person by the school district as a teacher or otherwise and of the time and place where such services are rendered.

The Department of Public Instruction shall establish such necessary rules, regulations and standards as it may deem necessary for carrying out the provisions of this act.

APPROVED-The 22d day of December, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 491

AN ACT

SB 676

Amending the act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177), entitled "An act providing for and reorganizing the conduct of the executive and administrative work of the Commonwealth by the Executive Department thereof and the administrative departments, boards, commissions and officers thereof, including the boards of trustees of State Normal Schools, or Teachers Colleges; abolishing, creating, reorganizing or authorizing the reorganization of certain administrative departments, boards and commissions; defining the powers and duties of the Governor and other executive and administrative officers, and of the several administrative departments, boards, commissions and officers; fixing the salaries of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor and certain other executive and administrative officers; providing for the appointment of certain administrative officers, and of all deputies and other assistants and employes in certain departments, boards and commissions; and prescribing the manner

in which the number and compensation of the deputies and all other assistants and employes of certain departments, boards and commissions shall be determined," providing that the Department of Justice shall supervise and control the regional correctional facilities and similar facilities, and imposing additional powers and duties on the Bureau of Corrections.

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

Section 1. Section 911, act of April 9, 1929 (P. L. 177), known as "The Administrative Code of 1929," amended October 22, 1959 (P. L. 1356), is amended to read:

Section 911. The Department of Justice shall have the power and its duty shall be to supervise and control the State Correctional Institution at Philadelphia, State Correctional Institution at Pittsburgh, State Correctional Institution at Rockview, State Correctional Institution at Graterford, State Correctional Institution at Huntingdon, State Correctional Institution at Camp Hill, [and] State Correctional Institution at Muncy, regional correctional facilities and other similar facilities for prisoners including those at nonpenal institutions.

Section 2. The act is amended by adding after section 914, a new section to read:

Section 914.1. Inmate Labor at Nonpenal Institutions.—The Bureau of Corrections shall have the power and its duty shall be:

- (1) To establish in nonpenal institutions, or on the grounds thereof, facilities for minimum risk inmates of penal institutions; and
- (2) To assign or transfer inmates to minimum risk facilities at nonpenal institutions for such time and at such employment as the Commissioner of Correction shall deem to be in the best interests of the inmate.

Section 3. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED-The 22d day of December, A. D. 1965.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 492

AN ACT

HB 1963

Amending the act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), entitled "An act consolidating and revising the Vehicle Code, the Tractor Code, the Motor Vehicle Financial Responsibility Act and other acts relating to the ownership, possession and use of