

and 1965, on or after the second Monday of November and before the first Monday of December next following, an additional tax on each dollar of the total assessment of all real property assessed and certified for taxation in said district at the rate of three quarters of one mill (.00075).

Section 2. The taxes and penalties collected under the provisions of this act shall be used by such school district for general public school purposes.

Use of funds restricted to school purposes.

Section 3. The tax authorized to be levied under the provisions of this act shall be levied for the calendar years 1964 and 1965 and shall be in addition to any other taxes any school district of the first class is empowered to levy and collect under any existing laws.

Limited to calendar years 1964 and 1965.

Section 4. The taxes which are levied under the provisions of this act shall be collected at the same time in the same manner with like authority and subject to the same discounts and penalties as other real estate taxes for school purposes in school districts of the first class are collected.

Collection to coincide with other taxes.

Section 5. This act shall become effective immediately upon final enactment.

Act effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 8th day of August, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 311

AN ACT

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," amending the definition of exceptional children to include all children in detention homes.

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

Public School Code of 1949.

Section 1. Clause (1) of section 1371, act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," amended September 12, 1961 (P. L. 1245), is amended to read:

Clause (1), section 1371, act of March 10, 1949, P. L. 30, amended September 12, 1961, P. L. 1245, further amended.

Section 1371. Definition of Exceptional Children; Reports; Examination.—(1) The term "exceptional children" shall mean children of school age who deviate from the average in physical, mental, emotional or social characteristics to such an extent that they require special

educational facilities or services *and shall include all children in detention homes.*

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Act effective immediately.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 8th day of August, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 312

AN ACT

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 vehicles and tractors." providing for traffic courts in townships of the first class.

The Vehicle Code.

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

Act of April 29, 1959, P. L. 58, amended by adding a new section 1201.2.

Section 1. The act of April 29, 1959 (P. L. 58), known as "The Vehicle Code," is amended by adding, after section 1201.1, a new section to read:

Section 1201.2. Traffic Court in Townships of the First Class.—(a) Any township of the first class may establish a traffic court which shall have jurisdiction over all traffic violations arising within the township under the provisions of this act or of any ordinance regulating traffic not inconsistent with this act.

(b) Every such traffic court shall be in charge of a justice of the peace having all the powers of a magistrate under the provisions of this act, such magistrate to be designated by the township commissioners of the township from the elected justices of the peace of the township for a term not to exceed one (1) month. No appointee shall be reappointed until each justice of the peace has served in this court or waived the privilege so to do by notifying the township commissioners in writing.

(c) When any such traffic court is closed, proceedings under this act shall be brought as otherwise provided.

(d) Proceedings brought by the Pennsylvania State Police may be brought before such traffic court or as otherwise provided by this act.

APPROVED—The 8th day of August, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON