No. 88

AN ACT

HB 1438

Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), 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," further providing for purchase of books for nonpublic school children.

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

Section 1. Subsection (d) of section 923-A, act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," added July 12, 1972 (P.L.863, No.195), and amended July 18, 1974 (P.L.475, No.169), is amended to read:

Section 923-A. Loan of Textbooks, Instructional Materials and Equipment, Nonpublic School Children.—* * *

(d) Purchase of Books. The secretary shall not be required to purchase or otherwise acquire textbooks, pursuant to this section, the total cost of which, in any school year, shall exceed an amount equal to twelve dollars for the school year 1973-1974 and [fifteen dollars (\$15) for the school year beginning July 1, 1974 and thereafter] twenty dollars (\$20) for the school year beginning July 1, 1975 and thereafter multiplied by the number of children residing in the Commonwealth who on the first day of October of such school year are enrolled in grades kindergarten through twelve of a nonpublic school within the Commonwealth in which the requirements of the compulsory attendance provisions of this act may be met.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

APPROVED—The 1st day of August, A. D. 1975.

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