

fund any moneys received from the sale, lease or other disposition of any county property or from any other source unless received or acquired for a particular purpose. The fund shall be controlled, invested, reinvested and administered, and the moneys therein and income from such moneys expended for any of the purposes for which the fund is created in such manner as may be determined by the county commissioners. The money in the fund when invested shall be invested in securities designated by law as legal investments for sinking funds of municipalities.

This clause shall not be construed to limit the powers of the county to the use of moneys in the capital reserve fund in making lawful capital expenditures.

APPROVED—The 8th day of December, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 636

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," providing for appeal to the State Council of Education from decisions of county boards of school directors in certain cases.

Public School
Code of 1949.

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

Section 925, act of March 10, 1949, P. L. 30, amended March 29, 1956, 1955-56, P. L. 1356, further amended by adding a new subsection (c).

Section 1. Section 925, act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," amended March 29, 1956 (1955-56 P. L. 1356), is amended by adding, at the end thereof, a new subsection to read:

Section 925. Powers and Duties.—

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(c) When a school district considers itself aggrieved by the decision of a county board of school directors disapproving or refusing to amend a county-wide plan for the merger of school districts or parts of school districts and for the reorganization of attendance areas and administrative units, an appeal by petition, setting forth the grounds for such appeal, may be taken by such school district to the State Council of Education at Harrisburg. Such appeal shall be filed within thirty (30) days after receipt of a written notice of the decision of the county board. A copy of such appeal shall be

* "for the" in original.

served by registered mail on the secretary of the county board.

The State Council of Education or its representative shall fix a day and time for hearing, shall give written notice to all parties interested, and may hear and consider such testimony as it may deem advisable to enable it to make a proper order.

After hearing and argument and reviewing all the testimony filed or taken before it, the State Council of Education or its representative shall enter such order as appears just and proper, approving or disapproving the decision of the county board, ordering an amendment to the county-wide plan or, in lieu of ordering an amendment to the county-wide plan and in a proper case, certifying to the Department of Public Instruction that the school district may be approved for supplemental payments under section 2502.1 of this act, which such district would receive if the county-wide plan were amended.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Act effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 8th day of December, A. D. 1959.

DAVID L. LAWRENCE

No. 637

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," clarifying certain provisions relating to expenses.

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

Public School Code of 1949.

Section 1. Section 516, act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," amended May 2, 1949 (P. L. 803), is amended to read:

Section 516, act of March 10, 1949, P. L. 30, amended May 2, 1949, P. L. 803, further amended.

Section 516. State Convention or Association; Delegates; Expenses; Membership.—The board of school directors of each district may appoint, from among their number, one or more delegates to any State convention or association of school directors, held within the Commonwealth, and may appoint the secretary of their respective board as a delegate to attend the annual State convention or association of secretaries of boards of school directors, to be held at the same time and place as the State convention or association of school directors. It shall be the duty of such delegates and such secretaries