

daily membership in the receiving district's high schools during the school year immediately preceding. The quotient so obtained shall be designated as the "instruction cost per high school pupil." Add to the instruction cost per high school pupil the overhead cost per pupil and a rental charge of eighteen dollars (\$18) per pupil for the use of the receiving district's school plant. For the school years 1952-1953 and 1953-1954 only, but not thereafter, deduct from the amount so obtained the per pupil State appropriation on account of high school teaching units. The cost so determined shall be the "tuition charge per high school pupil." *Upon the request of the receiving district, the "tuition charge per high school pupil" shall be computed separately for pupils attending junior high school and pupils attending senior high school.*

Section 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 1963.

APPROVED—The 25th day of July, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 152

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 emergency evacuation drills on school buses.

Public School
Code of 1949.

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

Section 1517, act
of March 10,
1949, P. L. 30,
amended as to
section heading
and adding a
new subsection
(d).

Section 1. Section 1517, act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30); known as the "Public School Code of 1949," is amended by amending the section heading and by adding, at the end thereof, a new subsection to read:

Section 1517. *Fire and Emergency Evacuation Drills.*— * * *

(d) All schools using or contracting for school buses for the transportation of school children shall conduct on school grounds two emergency evacuation drills on buses during each school year, the first to be conducted during the first week of the first school term and the second during the month of March, and at such other times as the chief school administrator may require. Each such drill shall include the practice and instruction concerning the location, use and operation of em-

emergency exit doors and fire extinguishers and the proper evacuation of buses in the event of fires or accidents.

Bus operators shall be provided with proper training and instructions to enable them to carry out the provisions of this subsection and may be required to attend classes and drills in connection therewith.

On or before the tenth day of April of each year, each chief school administrator shall certify to the Department of Public Instruction that the emergency evacuation drills herein required have been held.

Section 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

Act effective immediately.

APPROVED—The 25th day of July, A. D. 1963.

WILLIAM W. SCRANTON

No. 153

AN ACT

Amending the act of June 23, 1931 (P. L. 932), entitled "An act relating to cities of the third class; and amending, revising, and consolidating the law relating thereto," extending the time during which actions of assumpsit may be brought for the recovery and collection of municipal claims.

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

The Third Class City Code.

Section 1. Section 4601, act of June 23, 1931 (P. L. 932), known as "The Third Class City Code," reenacted and amended June 28, 1951 (P. L. 662), is amended to read:

Section 4601, act of June 23, 1931, P. L. 932, reenacted and amended June 28, 1951, P. L. 662, further amended.

Section 4601. Collection of Municipal Claims by Suit.—In addition to the remedies provided by law for the filing of liens for the collection of municipal claims, all cities may proceed for the recovery and collection of municipal claims by action of assumpsit against the person or persons who were the owner or owners of the property at the time of the completion of the improvement, notwithstanding the fact that there was a failure on the part of any such city, or its agents, to enter any such municipal claim as a lien against the property assessed for the improvement, and for the recovery of which the action of assumpsit was brought. Any such action in assumpsit shall be commenced within [three] *six* years after the completion of the improvement from which said claim arises.

This section shall extend to all municipal claims where the improvement was heretofore made, where the action of assumpsit has been instituted under the provisions of