

No. 1988-191

AN ACT

HB 2485

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," providing for the termination of any employee of a school district who is convicted of certain drug-related offenses.

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

Section 1. The act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949, is amended by adding a section to read:

*Section 527. Drug Law Convictions.—Any employe, professional or otherwise, of a school district, intermediate unit or area vocational-technical school who is convicted of delivery of a controlled substance or convicted of possession of a controlled substance with the intent to deliver, as prohibited by the act of April 14, 1972 (P.L.233, No.64), known as "The Controlled Substance, Drug, Device and Cosmetic Act," shall be terminated from his or her employment with the school entity. The governing body of the school entity shall enforce this section.*

Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.

APPROVED—The 21st day of December, A. D. 1988.

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