

No. 170

AN ACT

HB 853

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," eliminating powers of the State Board of Education as to school bus standards, providing for uniform application forms for employment of school bus drivers to be prescribed and furnished by the Bureau of Traffic Safety of the Department of Revenue and requiring filing with such bureau.

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

Section 1. Section 1363, act of March 10, 1949 (P. L. 30), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," is repealed.

Section 2. Section 1365 of the act is amended to read:

Section 1365. Extra Compensation for Transporting Pupils Unlawful; *School Bus Driver Employment Applications*.—(a) It shall be unlawful for any driver or owner of a vehicle transporting pupils under a contract with a school district, or for any member of or board of school directors, to demand, request, or accept any compensation for transporting pupils, other than the compensation stipulated in the contract filed with and approved by the Department of Public Instruction.

(b) *Every application for the position of school bus driver shall be made on a standard form to be prescribed and furnished by the Bureau of Traffic Safety in the Department of Revenue and filed with such bureau. Such application form shall include questions concerning the applicant's conviction for the commission of crimes. No position of school bus driver shall be filled unless and until such application is made and filed with such bureau.*

Section 3. This act shall take effect September 1, 1970.

APPROVED—The 18th day of December, A. D. 1969.

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The foregoing is a true and correct copy of Act of the General Assembly No. 170.



Secretary of the Commonwealth.