

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

No. 91

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INTRODUCED BY GOEBEL, FEBRUARY 6, 1979

REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, FEBRUARY 6, 1979

AN ACT

1 Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An  
2 act relating to the public school system, including certain  
3 provisions applicable as well to private and parochial  
4 schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the  
5 laws relating thereto," prohibiting ex-school board members  
6 from holding an elected office for a period of two years.

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

9 Section 1. Section 324, act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30,  
10 No.14), known as the "Public School Code of 1949," amended  
11 January 18, 1967 (1969 P.L.963, No.429), is amended to read:

12 Section 324. Not to be Employed by or do Business with  
13 District; Exceptions.--No school director shall, during the term  
14 for which he was elected or appointed, as a private person  
15 engaged in any business transaction with the school district in  
16 which he is elected or appointed, be employed in any capacity by  
17 the school district in which he is elected or appointed, or  
18 receive from such school district any pay for services rendered  
19 to the district except as provided in this act: Provided, That  
20 one who has served as a school director for two consecutive

1 terms, of six years each, may be elected to the position of  
2 attorney or solicitor for the board of which he was a member by  
3 the unanimous vote of all the other members of the board, and,  
4 after resigning his office as school director, shall be entitled  
5 to receive such pay for his services as solicitor as the board  
6 of school directors may determine: Provided, however, That a  
7 school director may be appointed to the position of secretary to  
8 the board of a school district of the second class, of which he  
9 was a member during the term for which he was elected or  
10 appointed upon the unanimous consent of all the other members of  
11 the board after resigning his office as school director, and he  
12 shall be entitled to receive such pay for his services as  
13 secretary as the board of school directors shall determine: And  
14 provided further, That one who has served as a school director  
15 may, after resigning from office as a school director, be  
16 elected to the position of teacher by the board of which he was  
17 a member by a vote of at least two-thirds of all other members  
18 of the board and shall be entitled to receive such pay for his  
19 services as a teacher as the board of school directors may  
20 lawfully determine.

21 No school board shall draw, cause to be drawn or accept a  
22 specification for any item to be purchased by the school  
23 district that would limit the purchase of the item to the firm,  
24 corporation, partnership or other business entity of which a  
25 school director is an officer, agent or employe and exclude all  
26 other persons who could submit quotations or bid on an  
27 equivalent item.

28 No person who has served as a member of a school board for a  
29 term of at least one year shall be eligible to hold an elected  
30 public office until the expiration of two years from the time he

1 left the school board.

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