THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF PENNSYLVANIA

HOUSE BILL

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REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, SEPTEMBER 22, 1992

AN ACT

- Amending the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), entitled "An act relating to the public school system, including certain 2 3 provisions applicable as well to private and parochial schools; amending, revising, consolidating and changing the laws relating thereto," providing for assistance to an 5 6 exceptional child during transportation. 7 The General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania 8 hereby enacts as follows: 9 Section 1. Section 1374 of the act of March 10, 1949 (P.L.30, No.14), known as the Public School Code of 1949,
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- 11 amended January 14, 1970 (1969 P.L.468, No.192), is amended to
- 12 read:
- 13 Section 1374. Free Transportation or Board and Lodging. -- Any
- 14 exceptional child, who is regularly enrolled in a special class
- 15 that is approved by the Department of [Public Instruction]
- 16 Education, or who is enrolled in a regular class in which
- 17 approved educational provisions are made for him, may be
- 18 furnished with free transportation by the school district. An
- exceptional child who needs physical assistance during 19

- 1 transportation shall be provided with an aide for the entire
- 2 trip. When it is not feasible to provide such transportation the
- 3 board of school directors may in lieu thereof pay for suitable
- 4 board and lodging for any such child. If free transportation or
- 5 board and lodging is not furnished for any exceptional child
- 6 who, by reason thereof, is unable to attend the class or center
- 7 for which he is qualified, the intermediate unit shall provide
- 8 the transportation necessary.
- 9 Section 2. This act shall take effect in 60 days.