

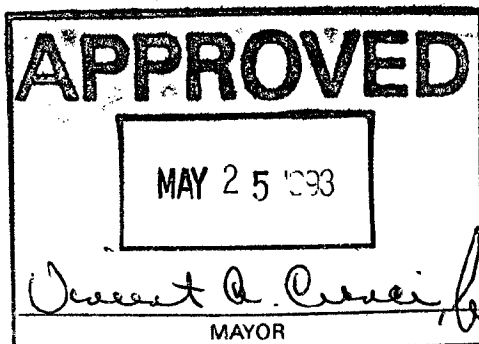
# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 354

Approved May 25, 1993

RESOLVED, that the City Council endorses and urges passage by the General Assembly of House Bill 93-H 5303 relating to the adult education financing and making an appropriation.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
MAY 20 1993  
READ AND PASSED  
*James H. Rosinelli*  
PRES.  
*Michael R. Clement*  
CLERK



IN CITY COUNCIL  
FIRST READING  
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON  
FINANCE

CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON

FINANCE

Approves Passage of  
The Within Resolution

Claire E. Brucke Steward  
May 14, 1993 Chairman Clerk

Council President DeMunelli, by Request

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S T A T E   O F   R H O D E   I S L A N D

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

93-H 5303

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1993

A N   A C T

RELATING TO THE ADULT EDUCATION  
FINANCING AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION

93-H 5303

Introduced By: Reps. Fox, Palangio,  
Ajello, S. Smith and Williams  
Date Introduced: February 3, 1993

Referred To: Committee on Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

- 1           SECTION 1. Section 16-63-13 of the General Laws in Chapter 16-63  
2   entitled "Adult Education" is hereby amended to read as follows:  
3           16-63-13. Adult education financing. -- The cost of providing  
4   adult education programs and services shall be met by federal, state,  
5   and local government resources, and by tuition and fees to be paid by  
6   participants, as appropriate, according to the categories of programs  
7   and services, as further set forth in this chapter, except that the  
8   state shall reimburse the City of Providence for all expenditures made  
9   under this chapter for the education and job training of low income  
10   unemployed adult residents of the City of Providence.  
11          SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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93-H 5303

EXPLANATION

OF

AN ACT

RELATING TO THE ADULT EDUCATION  
FINANCING AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION

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1           This act would authorize the State of Rhode Island to  
2   increase state funding to the City of Providence to educate and  
3   give job training to low income adults in light of an increase in  
4   the population of the urban poor.

5           This act would take effect upon passage.

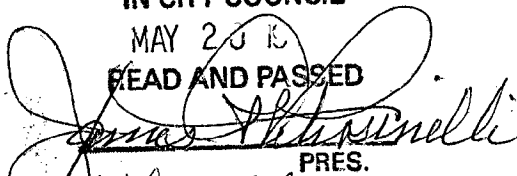

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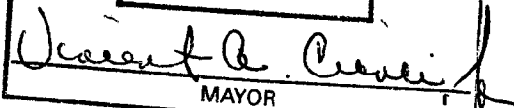
# RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL

No. 355

Approved May 25, 1993

RESOLVED, that the City Council endorses and urges passage by the General Assembly of House Bill 93-H 6740 and Senate Bill 93-S 0341 relating to special education expenditures and making an appropriation.

IN CITY COUNCIL  
MAY 25 1993  
READ AND PASSED  
  
PRES.  
  
CLERK

APPROVED  
MAY 25 1993  
  
MAYOR

IN CITY COUNCIL  
FIRST READING  
REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON  
FINANCE

CLERK

THE COMMITTEE ON

FINANCE

Approves Passage of  
The Within Resolution

*Maureen Burke Slattery*  
May 14, 1993 Chairman Clerk

*Council President DiStasio, by Request*

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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

93-H 6740

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1993

A N A C T

RELATING TO SPECIAL EDUCATION  
EXPENDITURES AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION

93-H 5740

Introduced By: Rep. Palangio, Fox,  
Newsome, DeSimone and S. Smith

Date Introduced: February 24, 1993

Referred To: Committee on Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1       SECTION 1. Section 16-24-6 of the General Laws in Chapter 16-24  
2       entitled "Handicapped Children" is hereby amended to read as follows:  
3       16-24-6. Special education fund -- Allocations to communities.  
4       -- (1) The state shall make available to the communities a special  
5       education fund to be appropriated annually for allocation to the com-  
6       munities for non-capital expenses for special education of handicapped  
7       children in accordance with the regulations of the board of regents  
8       for elementary and secondary education. The cost of special education,  
9       including evaluation, support services, and training, including the  
10      cost of special education personnel, materials and equipment, tuition,  
11      transportation, rent, and contractual services, of the children in the  
12      program continuum placements provided under section 16-24-2 shall be  
13      paid by the state to the city or town at the same times provided in  
14      section 16-7-17. ~~-based-on-the-financial-and-census-data-for-the~~  
15      ~~second-school-year-preceding; provided; however; that--the--amount--of~~  
16      ~~the--payment--for--special--education--pupils--in--each--of--the--particular~~  
17      ~~program--that--shall--not--exceed--one--hundred--and--ten--percent--(110%)~~

1 of-the-state-median-for-special-education-pupils-in-that--same--place-  
2 ment--In-determining-the-applicable-state-median-expenditure-for-spe-  
3 cial-education-pupils-for-the-purpose-of-this-section;--the--board--of  
4 regents--shall--under--section--16-24-2-differentiate-between-types-of  
5 program-continuum-placements-on-the-basis-of--the--amount--of--time--a  
6 child--requires--special--programs-outside-of-the-regular-classroom-to  
7 meet-his-or-her-particular-needs;--the-ratio-of-personnel-to-pupils-re-  
8 quired-for-the-programs;--and-the-efficiency-and-economy--of--operating  
9 the--programs: The State shall make available to the Communities a  
10 special education fund to be appropriated annually for allocation to  
11 the communities for non-capital expenses for special education of  
12 handicapped children for elementary and secondary education. Every  
13 city and town shall be reimbursed for its special education expendi-  
14 tures at a rate which is consistent with that city or town's reim-  
15 bursement rate from the state for its expenditures for regular educa-  
16 tion students. The board of regents may distribute the payments  
17 through the cooperative service arrangements provided for under chap-  
18 ter 3.1 of this title. The payments shall be made only after approval  
19 and certification by the board of regents that the payments are made  
20 pursuant to this section, that cost of special education has been  
21 determined and reported in accordance with the standard accounting and  
22 reporting procedures provided for in subdivision (3) of section  
23 16-24-2, and that the program placements have met the regulations and  
24 requirements prescribed by the board of regents. The auditor general  
25 shall audit these payments and report in writing any exceptions to the  
26 board of regents and to the joint committee on legislative affairs.

27 (2) \* \* \*

28 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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93-H 6740

EXPLANATION

OF

AN ACT

RELATING TO SPECIAL EDUCATION  
EXPENDITURES AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION

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1        This act would provide additional allocations by the State  
2        of Rhode Island to cities and town with a higher proportion of  
3        special education students.

4        This act would take effect upon passage.

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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

93-S 341

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 1993

A N A C T

RELATING TO SPECIAL EDUCATION  
EXPENDITURES AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION

93 - S-0341

Introduced By: Senator John  
Orabona

Date Introduced: February 9, 1993

Referred To: Senate Committee on  
Finance

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 16-24-6 of the General Laws in Chapter 16-24  
2 entitled "Handicapped Children" is hereby amended to read as follows:  
3 16-24-6. Special education fund -- Allocations to communities.  
4 -- (1) The state shall make available to the communities a special  
5 education fund to be appropriated annually for allocation to the com-  
6 munities for non-capital expenses for special education of handicapped  
7 children in accordance with the regulations of the board of regents  
8 for elementary and secondary education. The cost of special education,  
9 including evaluation, support services, and training, including the  
10 cost of special education personnel, materials and equipment, tuition,  
11 transportation, rent, and contractual services, of the children in the  
12 program continuum placements provided under section 16-24-2 shall be  
13 paid by the state to the city or town at the same times provided in  
14 section 16-7-17 based-on-the-financial-and-census-data-for-the-second  
15 school--year--preceding;--provided;--however;--that--the--amount--of--the--pay-  
16 ment--for--special--education--pupils--in--each--of--the--particular--program  
17 placements--shall--not--exceed--one--hundred--and--ten--percent--(110%)--of--the

1 state median for special education pupils in that same placement; in  
2 determining the applicable state median expenditure for special educa-  
3 tion pupils for the purpose of this section, the board of regents  
4 shall under section 16-24-2 differentiate between types of program  
5 continuum placements on the basis of the amount of time a child re-  
6 quires special programs outside of the regular classroom to meet his  
7 or her particular needs; the ratio of personnel to pupils required for  
8 the programs; and the efficiency and economy of operating the pro-  
9 grams. The state shall make available to the communities a special  
10 education fund to be appropriated annually for allocation to the com-  
11 munities for non-capital expenses for special education of handicapped  
12 children for elementary and secondary education. Every city and town  
13 shall be reimbursed for its special education expenditures at a rate  
14 which is consistent with that city or town's reimbursement rate from  
15 the state for its expenditures for regular education students. The  
16 board of regents may distribute the payments through the cooperative  
17 service arrangements provided for under chapter 3.1 of this title.  
18 The payments shall be made only after approval and certification by  
19 the board of regents that the payments are made pursuant to this  
20 section, that cost of special education has been determined and  
21 reported in accordance with the standard accounting and reporting  
22 procedures provided for in subdivision (3) of section 16-24-2, and  
23 that the program placements have met the regulations and requirements  
24 prescribed by the board of regents. The auditor general shall audit  
25 these payments and report in writing any exceptions to the board of  
26 regents and to the joint committee on legislative affairs.

27 (2) \* \* \*

28 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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93-S 341

EXPLANATION

BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

OF

AN ACT

RELATING TO SPECIAL EDUCATION  
EXPENDITURES AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION

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1        This act would provide additional allocations by the state  
2   of Rhode Island to cities and towns with a higher proportion of  
3   special education students.

4        This act would take effect upon passage.

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