



General Assembly

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Referred to Committee on Education

Introduced by:
(ED)

AN ACT CONCERNING TEXTBOOK LOANS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 10-228a of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2007*):

3 Each local and regional board of education may, at the request of
4 any nonpublic elementary or secondary school pupil, including a
5 kindergarten pupil, [residing in and] attending a nonpublic school in
6 such district, or at the request of the parent or guardian of such pupil,
7 or at the request of an administrator at the nonpublic school, on behalf
8 of the pupil, arrange for a loan of nonreligious textbooks [currently in
9 use in the public schools of such district] available to the local or
10 regional board of education from a book distributor used by such
11 board to such pupil, free of charge, provided the loan of any such
12 textbook shall be requested for not less than one semester's use.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	10-228a
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Statement of Purpose:

To permit the loan of nonreligious textbooks from the local or regional school district in which a nonpublic school is located to students of the nonpublic school, whether they live in the district or not, if the books are available from a distributor of books that the district uses and to permit an administrator to ask for such books on behalf of the pupil.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]