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ASSEMBLY, No. 490

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

INTRODUCED APRIL 29, 1957

By Assemblywomen BUSH, NEWTON, BIVONA and

Assemblyman SMITH

Referred to Committee on State, County and Municipal Government

AN ACT concerning the diagnosis and treatment of crippled children and amending section 9:13-7 of the Revised Statutes.

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4 home and hospital for crippled children and children afflicted with cerebral  
5 palsy may appropriate [not more than \$30,000.00] [funds] not more than  
6 \$50,000.00 each year for the necessary expense incident to the diagnosis and  
7 treatment of such children resident in the county under the age of 21 years,  
8 including the cost of surgical appliances, support and maintenance of such  
9 children, investigation of cases, and necessary traveling expenses incidental  
10 to the investigation and transportation of patients to a suitable home or  
11 hospital within the State supported by public funds or private charity. Within  
12 such appropriation such board of chosen freeholders or its appropriate com-  
13 mittees, may, in its discretion, pay the whole or any part of the cost of  
14 transporting such persons to and from sheltered workrooms.

EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

15 Before spending money for such purposes the board shall adopt such  
16 rules and regulations as it deems desirable concerning the requirements of  
17 residence and eligibility for such relief. Disbursements shall be made through  
18 officers designated by the board for that purpose on verified bills presented  
19 and approved as in the case of other county expenditures.

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ADOPTED MAY 27, 1957

Amend page 1, section 1, line 5, omit "funds" insert "not more than \$50,000.00".