August 24, 1972

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY OF R.S. 30:4-147 (Classes committed to New Jersey Reformatory)

T. 1918, Chapter 147 - 815

Introduced by Richards.

No statement.

The wording of the section here in question is identical in the original bill and in the committee substitute which subsequently passed.

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April 29 - Introduced by Forbes.

May 20 - Passed in Senate.

June 12 - Passed in Assembly.

June 21 - Approved, Chapter 93

Not amended during passage.

Statement (copy enclosed).

E. 1963, Chapter 65 - S235

April 1 - Introduced by Grossi & Sandman.

May 6 - Passed in Senate.

Hay 20 - Passed in Assembly.

Hay 28 - Approved, Chapter 65.

Statement. (copy enclosed)

Hot amended during passage.

D. 1970, Chapter 300 - A264

Prefiled for introduction by Costa.

Hay 4 - Passed in Assembly, amended.

October 8 - Passed in Senate.

December 14 - Approved, Chapter 300.

Amended during passage.

No statement on bill.



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- 60 1957-Yes 1963-Yes

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ASSEMBLY, No. 264

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

PRE-FILED FOR INTRODUCTION IN THE 1970 SESSION

By Assemblyman COSTA

An Act concerning the designation of certain State institutions and amending sections 30:1-7, 30:4-146, 30:4-147, 30:4-148, 30:4-153, 30:4-154, 30:4-155, 30:4-156, 30:4-157, 30:4-157.1, 30:4-157.2, 30:4-157.3, 30:4-157.4, 30:4-157.6, 30:4-157.7, 30:4-157.8, 30:4-157.9, 30:4-158, 30:4-159, 30:4-160 and 30:6-1 of the Revised Statutes and amending "An act concerning a reformatory for males, amending, and repealing, certain sections of and supplementing chapter 4 of Title 30 of the Revised Statutes," approved May 28, 1963 (P. L. 1963, c. 65).

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- 11 scientifically, efficiently and economically operated. Any partic-
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- 14 The charitable, hospital, relief and training institutions and
- 15 noninstitutional agencies of this State, within the meaning of this
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- New Jersey [Sanatorium] Hospital for Chest Diseases [at
- 28 Glen Gardner],
- *[New]* *North* Jersey Training School at Totowa,
- 30 [State Colony at] New Lisbon *[Training]* *State* School,
- 30A [State Colony at] Woodbine State School,
- 31 Vineland State School [at Vineland],
- 32 Woodbridge State School,
- 32A **Hunterdon State School,**
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- 34 Park,
- 35 New Jersey Memorial Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors,
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- 47 [New Jersey] State Prison * [Farm] * [at], Rahway,
- 48 [New Jersey] State Prison *[Farm] * [at], Leesburg,
- 49 Youth Reception and Correction Center, Yardville,
- New Jersey Reformatory at Youth Correctional Institution,
- 51 Bordentown,
- 52 [New Jersey Reformatory] Correctional Institution for
- 53 Women [at], Clinton,
- [New Jersey Reformatory at] Youth Correctional Institution,
- 55 Annandale,
- 56 [State Home] Training School for Boys [at], Jamesburg,
- 57 [State Home] Training School for Girls [at], Trenton*[.]* *,*
- *Training School for Boys, Skillman.*

- 2. Section 30:4-146 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
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- 7 and Annandale and all new or additional institutions, farms, camps,
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- 10 Complex* may, from time to time, be kept, housed or employed.
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- 6 sentenced to a State Prison in this State, or in any other State, may
- 7 be committed to the [reformatory] Youth Correctional Institution
- 8 Complex.
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- of sentence, but the time which any such person shall serve in 5
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- exceed 5 years or the maximum term provided by law for the crime
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- its discretion, for good cause shown, may impose a sentence greater 10
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- by the board of managers in accordance with its rules and regula-14
- 15 tions formally adopted.
- 6. Section 30:4-153 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read 1
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- to the [Women's Reformatory] Correctional Institution for 6
- Women may, from time to time, be kept, housed or employed. 7
- 1 7. Section 30:4-154 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
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- Prison if she were a male, shall be committed to the [Women's 5
- 6 Reformatory Correctional Institution for Women, and any
- female above the age of 16 years, [and under 25 years,] convicted 7
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- for herein, but the time which the prisoner shall serve in the re-
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- 8 crimes of murder or manslaughter, or the maximum term pro-
- vided by law for the offense of which the prisoner is convicted 9
- 10 and sentenced if such maximum be less than 5 years; provided,
- however, that the court, in its discretion, for good cause shown,
- may impose a sentence greater than 5 years, but in no case greater

- 13 than the maximum provided by law, and the commitment shall
- 14 specify in every case the maximum of the sentence so imposed.
- 15 The term may be terminated by the board of managers in accord-
- 16 ance with its rules and regulations.
- 17 Any female convicted of murder or manslaughter shall be
- 18 sentenced to confinement in the [Reformatory] Correctional
- 19 Institution for Women at Clinton. Every such sentence shall be
- 20 for a maximum and minimum term, except sentences for life. The
- 21 maximum term shall not be in excess of the maximum term pre-
- 22 scribed by law for the offense for which the offender was convicted,
- 23 and the minimum term shall not be less than the minimum term
- 24 prescribed by law for the offense for which the offender was con-
- 25 victed, and in no event less than 1 year. Commutation time for good
- 26 behavior, as provided by section 30:4-140 of the Revised Statutes,
- 26A shall be allowed on both such maximum and minimum terms.
- Nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply to the
- 28 sentence of death.
 - 9. Section 30:4-156 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 30:4-156. The *[State]* [Home] Training *[School]* *Schools*
- 4 for Boys shall include the existing *[home] * *schools* at James-
- 5 burg *and Skillman*, and all places where the persons committed
- 6 thereto may, from time to time, be kept, housed or employed.
- 1 10. Section 30:4-157 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 30:4-157. The *[State]* [Home] Training School for Girls shall
- 4 include the existing *[home] * *school* at Trenton, and all places
- 5 where the persons committed thereto may, from time to time, be
- 6 kept, housed or employed.
- 1 11. Section 30:4-157.1 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.1. Whenever any boy under the age of 16 years and
- 4 of the age of 8 years or more shall be found guilty of any crime, ex-
- 5 cept murder, in any court of record, the court, instead of entering
- 6 judgment and pronouncing sentence according to law, may cause an
- 7 order to be entered in the minutes of such court that such boy
- 8 be committed to the *[State]* [Home for Boys] Training School
- 9 *at Jamesburg* as a juvenile delinquent, and thereupon the court
- 10 may commit him to such [home] training school by warrant.
- 1 12. Section 30:4-157.2 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 30:4-157.2. The warrant of commitment to the *[State]* [Home]
- 4 Training School for Boys shall set forth the names of the parents

- 5 or guardians if they can be ascertained and the boy's place of
- 6 residence. The court shall order transmitted to the chief executive
- 7 officer of the [home] training school, by the officer serving the
- 8 papers of commitment a statement of the substance of the com-
- 9 plaint, a copy of any probation reports or other records which the
- 10 county may have concerning the past delinquencies of the boy
- 11 together with such of the testimony in the case as appears to show
- 12 contributory negligence on the part of the boy's custodians and
- 13 such other information concerning any mental or physical con-
- 14 dition which the court deems to be of importance in the reformation
- 15 or rehabilitation of the boy. Such records shall be used for the
- 16 information and guidance of the board of managers of the [home]
- 17 training school and the department of institutions and agencies
- 18 but shall not be public records.
- 1 13. Section 30:4-157.3 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.3. Any parent or guardian may make complaint to
- 4 the juvenile and domestic relations court that any boy under the
- 5 age of 16 years, the son or ward of complainant, is habitually
- 6 truant or habitually vagrant or disorderly or incorrigible. The
- 7 court shall thereugon issue a warrant to the sheriff, constable or
- 8 police officer to cause the boy to be brought before it at such
- 9 time and place as it may appoint when and where it shall examine
- 10 the parties, and if, in its judgment, the complaint is well founded
- 11 and the boy is a fit subject for the *[State]* [Home] Training
- 12 School for Boys, *Jamesburg,* it shall issue a warrant, with the
- 13 consent of the parent or guardian indorsed thereon, to be executed
- 14 by the sheriff, a constable or police officer committing the boy to
- 15 the [home] training school.
- 16 Security for the payment of the expenses of the hearing upon
- 17 complaint and commitment, the expenses of the transfer of the boy
- 18 to the [home] school and the expenses of his board and mainte-
- 19 nance at the [home] school may, in the discretion of the court,
- 20 be required of the parent or guardian in cases arising under this
- 21 section or section 30:4-157.1 of this Title.
- 1 14. Section 30:4-157.4 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.4. Whenever a boy or girl shall be committed to the
- 4 [home] training school under the provisions of section 30:4-157.1.
- 5 30:4-157.3 or 30:4-157.9 of this Title, it shall be the duty of the
- 6 court, at the time of the examination, to make inquiry as to the
- 7 ability of the parent or guardian to pay the expenses of the com-
- 8 mitment proceedings and the board of the boy or girl, and it shall

- 9 indorse on the warrant of commitment a statement of its finding
- 10 in that regard.
- 11 Payment by the parent or guardian of these costs shall be made
- 12 to the probation officer or county adjuster, whichever the court
- 13 shall designate; provided, however, that upon collection thereof
- 14 the costs of the commitment proceedings shall be paid to the
- 15 county treasurer, and any amount received representing main-
- 16 tenance shall be forwarded to the institution wherein the inmate
- 17 is confined. In the event of failure of the parent or guardian to
- 18 pay the amount ordered by the court then the probation officer or
- 19 county adjuster, as the case may be, shall bring the matter before
- 20 the court for such further order as shall appear proper therein
- 21 to compel payment.
- 1 15. Section 30:4-157.6 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.6. The several courts in committing to the *[State]*
- 4 [Home] Training School for Boys*, Jamesburg,* shall not fix or
- 5 limit the duration of the commitment, but a boy so committed may
- be detained until he reaches the age of 21 years, unless such term of
- 7 detention is terminated by the board in accordance with its rules
- 8 and regulations formally adopted.
- 1 16. Section 30:4-157.7 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 30:4-157.7. No inmate of the *[State]* [Home] Training
- 4 *[School]* *Schools* for Boys shall be indentured or bound out to
- 5 service.
- 1 17. Section 30:4-157.8 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.8. As a part of the parole system in the *[State]*
- 4 [Home] Training *[School]* *Schools* for Boys, the board may
- 5 place any inmate for whose welfare and improvement such course is
- 6 deemed advisable, at service or employment; may place any inmate
- 7 of school age, for whose welfare such course is deemed advisable, to
- 8 board in a private family, at a cost not to exceed the per capita
- 9 maintenance cost in the [home] training school, and may send to
- 10 properly qualified educational or vocational institutions, for pur-
- 11 poses of instruction, any inmate who has shown a capacity for a
- 12 more extensive training than the [home] school can provide, at a
- 13 cost not to exceed the per capita maintenance rate in the [home]
- 14 school.
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- 2 read as follows:

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- 6 cesses as are provided by the provisions of sections 30:4-157.1 to
- 7 30:4-157.8 of this Title, which shall also apply to and control the
- 8 maintenance, management and operation of the [home] school.
- 1 19. Section 30:4-158 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 3 30:4-158. The New Jersey [Sanatorium for Tuberculosis]
- 4 Hospital for Chest Diseases shall include the existing buildings
- 5 and lands as Glen Gardner, and all farms, camps or grounds where
- 6 the patients may be maintained, kept, housed or employed.
- 1 20. Section 30:4-159 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 30:4-159. Any person afflicted with tuberculosis or disease of
- 4 the [respiratory organs] chest requiring prolonged convalescence
- 5 may be admitted to the [sanatorium] hospital upon a certificate
- 6 made by a practicing physician which certificate shall set forth
- 7 that the tuberculosis or disease of the [respiratory organs] chest
- 8 will require prolonged convalescense. A person admitted to the
- 9 [sanatorium] hospital shall be liable for payment for the cost of
- 10 his care in the same manner and to the same extent as is provided
- 11 by law for payment by mentally ill and mentally retarded persons
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- 2 as follows:
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- 6 Trenton, the New Jersey State Hospital at Greystone Park, the
- 7 New Jersey State Hospital at Ancora and the New Jersey State
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- 4 the blind and the visually *[handicapped]* *impaired*, hereinafter
- 5 in this article referred to as the "commission," shall hereafter be
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- 7 capped ** *Impaired*. It shall provide all means which it deems
- 8 feasible for ameliorating the condition of the blind and visually

- 9 *[handicapped]* *impaired* and shall prepare and maintain a
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- 11 report to the commission every case of defective vision which in his
- 12 judgment may result in permanent blindness. Every municipal
- 13 and county, health and welfare agency, and every institution and
- 14 noninstitutional agency within the State Department of Institu-
- 15 tions and Agencies shall promptly report to the commission every
- 16 individual coming to its attention who is known to be or is believed
- 17 likely to become permanently blind. Wherever used herein, the
- 18 word "blind" shall be deemed to mean and include the visually
- 19 *[handicapped]* *impaired*.
- 1 23. This act shall take effect [60 days after the date of its ap-
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EXPLANATION—Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill

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 - 8 of any offense punishable by imprisonment in any county peniten-
 - 9 tiary or workhouse, may be committed to the [Women's Reforma-
- 10 tory Correctional Institution for Women. No male person shall
- 11 be so committed or there confined.
 - 8. Section 30:4-155 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
 - 3 30:4-155. The several courts in sentencing to the [Women's
 - 4 Reformatory Correctional Institution for Women shall not fix
 - 5 or limit the duration of the sentence, except as otherwise provided
 - 6 for herein, but the time which the prisoner shall serve in the re-
 - 7 formatory or on parole shall not exceed 5 years, except for the
 - 8 crimes of murder or manslaughter, or the maximum term pro-
 - 9 vided by law for the offense of which the prisoner is convicted
- 10 and sentenced if such maximum be less than 5 years; provided,
- 11 however, that the court, in its discretion, for good cause shown,
- 12 may impose a sentence greater than 5 years, but in no case greater
- 13 than the maximum provided by law, and the commitment shall
- 14 specify in every case the maximum of the sentence so imposed.
- 15 The term may be terminated by the board of managers in accord-
- 16 ance with its rules and regulations.

- 17 Any female convicted of murder or manslaughter shall be
- 18 sentenced to confinement in the [Reformatory] Correctional
- 19 Institution for Women at Clinton. Every such sentence shall be
- 20 for a maximum and minimum term, except sentences for life. The
- 21 maximum term shall not be in excess of the maximum term pre-
- 22 scribed by law for the offense for which the offender was convicted,
- 23 and the minimum term shall not be less than the minimum term
- 24 prescribed by law for the offense for which the offender was con-
- 25 victed, and in no event less than 1 year. Commutation time for good
- 26 behavior, as provided by section 30:4-140 of the Revised Statutes,
- 26A shall be allowed on both such maximum and minimum terms.
- Nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply to the
- 28 sentence of death.
- 9. Section 30:4-156 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 3 30:4-156. The State [Home] Training School for Boys shall
- 4 include the existing home at Jamesburg, and all places where the
- 5 persons committed thereto may, from time to time, be kept,
- 6 housed or employed.
- 1 10. Section 30:4-157 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 3 30:4-157. The State [Home] Training School for Girls shall
- 4 include the existing home at Trenton, and all places where the
- 5 persons committed thereto may, from time to time, be kept, housed
- 6 or employed.
- 1 11. Section 30:4-157.1 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.1. Whenever any boy under the age of 16 years and
- 4 of the age of 8 years or more shall be found guilty of any crime, ex-
- 5 cept murder, in any court of record, the court, instead of entering
- 6 judgment and pronouncing sentence according to law, may cause an
- 7 order to be entered in the minutes of such court that such boy
- 8 be committed to the State [Home for Boys] Training School as
- 9 a juvenile delinquent, and thereupon the court may commit him
- 10 to such [home] training school by warrant.
- 1 12. Section 30:4-157.2 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.2. The warrant of commitment to the State [Home]
- 4 Training School for Boys shall set forth the names of the parents
- 5 or guardians if they can be ascertained and the boy's place of
- 6 residence. The court shall order transmitted to the chief executive
- 7 officer of the [home] training school, by the officer serving the

- 8 papers of commitment a statement of the substance of the com-
- 9 plaint, a copy of any probation reports or other records which the
- 10 county may have concerning the past delinquencies of the boy
- 11 together with such of the testimony in the case as appears to show
- 12 contributory negligence on the part of the boy's custodians and
- 13 such other information concerning any mental or physical con-
- 14 dition which the court deems to be of importance in the reformation
- 15 or rehabilitation of the boy. Such records shall be used for the
- 16 information and guidance of the board of managers of the [home]
- 17 training school and the department of institutions and agencies
- 18 but shall not be public records.
- 1 13. Section 30:4-157.3 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.3. Any parent or guardian may make complaint to
- 4 the juvenile and domestic relations court that any boy under the
- 5 age of 16 years, the son or ward of complainant, is habitually
- 6 truant or habitually vagrant or disorderly or incorrigible. The
- 7 court shall thereupon issue a warrant to the sheriff, constable or
- 8 police officer to cause the boy to be brought before it at such
- 9 time and place as it may appoint when and where it shall examine
- 10 the parties, and if, in its judgment, the complaint is well founded
- 11 and the boy is a fit subject for the State [Home] Training School
- 12 for Boys, it shall issue a warrant, with the consent of the parent
- 13 or guardian indorsed thereon, to be executed by the sheriff, a con-
- 14 stable or police officer committing the boy to the [home] training
- 15 school.
- 16 Security for the payment of the expenses of the hearing upon
- 17 complaint and commitment, the expenses of the transfer of the boy
- 18 to the [home] school and the expenses of his board and mainte-
- 19 nance at the [home] school may, in the discretion of the court,
- 20 be required of the parent or guardian in cases arising under this
- 21 section or section 30:4-157.1 of this Title.
- 1 14. Section 30:4-157.4 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.4. Whenever a boy or girl shall be committed to the
- 4 [home] training school under the provisions of section 30:4-157.1,
- 5 30:4-157.3 or 30:4-157.9 of this Title, it shall be the duty of the
- 6 court, at the time of the examination, to make inquiry as to the
- 7 ability of the parent or guardian to pay the expenses of the com-
- 8 mitment proceedings and the board of the boy or girl, and it shall
- 9 indorse on the warrant of commitment a statement of its finding
- 10 in that regard.

- 11 Payment by the parent or guardian of these costs shall be made
- 12 to the probation officer or county adjuster, whichever the court
- 13 shall designate; provided, however, that upon collection thereof
- 14 the costs of the commitment proceedings shall be paid to the
- 15 county treasurer, and any amount received representing main-
- 16 tenance shall be forwarded to the institution wherein the inmate
- 17 is confined. In the event of failure of the parent or guardian to
- 18 pay the amount ordered by the court then the probation officer or
- 19 county adjuster, as the case may be, shall bring the matter before
- 20 the court for such further order as shall appear proper therein
- 21 to compel payment.
- 1 15. Section 30:4-157.6 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.6. The several courts in committing to the State
- 4 [Home] Training School for Boys shall not fix or limit the
- 5 duration of the commitment, but a boy so committed may be de-
- 6 tained until he reaches the age of 21 years, unless such term of
- detention is terminated by the board in accordance with its rules
- 8 and regulations formally adopted.
- 1 16. Section 30:4-157.7 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.7. No inmate of the State [Home] Training School
- 4 for Boys shall be indentured or bound out to service.
- 1 17. Section 30:4-157.8 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 30:4-157.8. As a part of the parole system in the State [Home]
- 4 Training School for Boys, the board may place any inmate for
- whose welfare and improvement such course is deemed advisable,
- 6 at service or employment; may place any inmate of school age, for
- 7 whose welfare such course is deemed advisable, to board in a
- 8 private family, at a cost not to exceed the per capita maintenance
- 9 cost in the [home] training school, and may send to properly
- 10 qualified educational or vocational institutions, for purposes of
- 11 instruction, any inmate who has shown a capacity for a more ex-
- 12 tensive training than the [home] school can provide, at a cost not
- 13 to exceed the per capita maintenance rate in the [home] school.
- 1 18. Section 30:4-157.9 of the Revised Statutes is amended to
- 2 read as follows:
- 3 30:4-157.9. Any girl under the age of 17 years and of the age
- 4 of 8 years or more, may be committed to the State [Home] Train-
- 5 ing School for Girls, for the same causes and by the same pro-
- 6 cesses as are provided by the provisions of sections 30:4-157.1 to

- 7 30:4-157.8 of this Title, which shall also apply to and control the
- 8 maintenance, management and operation of the [home] school.
- 1 19. Section 30:4-158 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 3 30:4-158. The New Jersey [Sanatorium for Tuberculosis]
- 4 Hospital for Chest Diseases shall include the existing buildings
- 5 and lands as Glen Gardner, and all farms, camps or grounds where
- 6 the patients may be maintained, kept, housed or employed.
- 1 20. Section 30:4-159 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 3 30:4-159. Any person afflicted with tuberculosis or disease of
- 4 the [respiratory organs] chest requiring prolonged convalescence
- 5 may be admitted to the [sanatorium] hospital upon a certificate
- 6 made by a practicing physician which certificate shall set forth
- 7 that the tuberculosis or disease of the [respiratory organs] chest
- 8 will require prolonged convalescense. A person admitted to the
- 9 [sanatorium] hospital shall be liable for payment for the cost of
- 10 his care in the same manner and to the same extent as is provided
- 11 by law for payment by mentally ill and mentally retarded persons
- 12 and their responsible relatives.
- 1 21. Section 30:4-160 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 30:4-160. The New Jersey State Hospitals, designated in section
- 4 30:1-7 of this Title as psychiatric hospitals, shall include the ex-
- 5 isting buildings and lands of the New Jersey State Hospital at
- 6 Trenton, the New Jersey State Hospital at Greystone Park, the
- 7 New Jersey State Hospital at Ancora and the New Jersey State
- 8 Hospital at Marlboro, and all farms, grounds or places where the
- 9 inmates thereof may from time to time be maintained, kept, housed
- 10 or employed.
 - 1 22. Section 30:6-1 of the Revised Statutes is amended to read
- 2 as follows:
- 30:6-1. The commission for the amelioration of the condition of
- 4 the blind and the visually handicapped, hereinafter in this article
- 5 referred to as the "commission," shall hereafter be known as the
- 6 Commission for the Blind and Visually Handicapped. It shall pro-
- 7 vide all means which it deems feasible for ameliorating the con-
- 8 dition of the blind and visually handicapped and shall prepare
- 9 and maintain a register of all the blind within the State. Every
- 10 physician shall report to the commission every case of defective
- 11 vision which in his judgment may result in permanent blindness.
- 12-13 Every municipal and county, health and welfare agency, and every

- 14 institution and noninstitutional agency within the State Department
- 15 of Institutions and Agencies shall promptly report to the com-
- 16 mission every individual coming to its attention who is known to
- 17 be or is believed likely to become permanently blind. Wherever
- 18 used herein, the word "blind" shall be deemed to mean and include
- 19 the visually handicapped.
- 1 23. This act shall take effect [60 days after the date of its ap-
- 2 proval January 1, 1971.

ASSEMBLY COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS TO

ASSEMBLY, No. 264

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

ADOPTED APRIL 30, 1970

Amend page 2, section 1, line 29, delete "New", insert "North".

Amend page 2, section 1, line 30, delete "Training", insert "State".

Amend page 2, section 1, after line 32, insert new line "Hunterdon State School,".

Amend page 2, section 1, line 40, delete "Handicapped", insert "Impaired".

Amend page 2, section 1, line 47, delete "Farm".

Amend page 2, section 1, line 48, delete "Farm".

Amend page 2, section 1, line 57, delete "." and insert ",".

Amend page 2, section 1, after line 57, insert new line "Training School for Boys, Skillman.".

Amend page 2, section 2, line 4, delete "reforma-".

Amend page 3, section 2, line 5, delete "tories near" and insert "Youth Reception and Correctional Center, Yardville, and the Youth Correctional Institutions at".

Amend page 3, section 2, line 7, delete "reformatory" and insert "Youth Correctional Institution Complex".

Amend page 3, section 4, line 4, delete "have" and insert "has".

Amend page 4, section 6, line 3, delete "New Jersey State".

Amend page 5, section 9, line 3, delete "State"; delete "School" and insert "Schools".

Amend page 5, section 9, line 4, delete "home" and insert "schools"; after "Jamesburg", insert "and Skillman".

Amend page 5, section 10, line 3, delete "State".

Amend page 5, section 10, line 4, delete "home" and insert "school".

Amend page 5, section 11, line 8, delete "State"; after "Training School", insert "at Jamesburg".

Amend page 5, section 12, line 3, delete "State".

Amend page 6, section 13, line 11, delete "State".

Amend page 6, section 13, line 12, after "for Boys", insert "Jamesburg,".

Amend page 7, section 15, line 3, delete "State".

Amend page 7, section 15, line 4, after "for Boys", insert ", Jamesburg,".

Amend page 7, section 16, line 3, delete "State"; delete "School" and insert "Schools".

Amend page 7, section 17, line 3, delete "State".

Amend page 7, section 17, line 4, delete "School" and insert "Schools".

Amend page 7, section 18, line 4, delete "State".

Amend page 8, section 22, line 4, delete "handicapped" and insert "impaired".

Amend page 8, section 22, line 6, delete "Handicapped" and insert "Impaired".

Amend page 8, section 22, line 8, delete "handicapped" and insert "impaired".

Amend page 9, section 22, line 19, delete "handicapped" and insert "impaired".

FISCAL NOTE TO ASSEMBLY, No. 264

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

DATED: MAY 11, 1970

Assembly Bill No. 264, with Assembly Amendments, provides more appropriate titles to designate the institutions and agencies within the Department of Institutions and Agencies.

The Department of Institutions and Agencies states that the financial obligations that would be incurred by enactment of this legislation would not be great, involving such items as new stationery, signs and the notification of institutions and parents.

The department estimates that enactment of A-264, as amended, would require an additional State expenditure of \$14,889.00. However, when this estimate was made, it assumed an earlier effective date, and as a consequence a quantity of already printed stationery would have been rendered useless. As the bill has been admended to have an effective date of January 1, 1971, there should be little loss in stationery. Therefore, the Office of Legislative Budget and Finance estimates that enactment of this legislation would require a State expenditure of about \$10,000.00 in fiscal 1970-71.

In compliance with written request received, there is hereby submitted a fiscal estimate for the above bill, pursuant to P. L. 1962, c. 27.