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**SYNOPSIS**

Provides that school districts and nonpublic schools may receive reimbursement for costs incurred on or after January 1, 2016 for testing school drinking water for lead.

**CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT**

As reported by the Senate Education Committee on February 6, 2017, with amendments.

(Sponsorship Updated As Of: 3/15/2017)

1 AN ACT to amend “An Act making appropriations for the support of  
2 the State Government and the several public purposes for the  
3 fiscal year ending June 30, 2017 and regulating the disbursement  
4 thereof,” approved June 30, 2016 (P.L.2016, c.10).

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6 **BE IT ENACTED** by the Senate and General Assembly of the State  
7 of New Jersey:

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9 1. The following language provision in section 1 of P.L.2016,  
10 c.10, the annual appropriations act for the fiscal year ending June 30,  
11 2017, is amended to read as follows:

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**34 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

*30 Educational, Cultural, and Intellectual Development*

*31 Direct Educational Services and Assistance*

**STATE AID**

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14 Notwithstanding the provisions of any law or regulation to the  
15 contrary, the amount hereinabove appropriated for Lead Testing for  
16 Schools is subject to the following condition: amounts shall be paid  
17 to school districts <sup>1</sup>and nonpublic schools<sup>1</sup>, subject to the approval  
18 of the Director of the Division of Budget and Accounting, based on  
19 approved applications for reimbursement of the costs of: 1) testing  
20 school drinking water pursuant to program requirements established  
21 by the department, which shall be effective upon filing with the  
22 Office of Administrative Law; and 2) testing school drinking water  
23 on or after January 1, 2016, but prior to the department’s filing of  
24 the program requirements with the Office of Administrative Law, if  
25 the testing that has been conducted meets or exceeds the program  
26 requirements established by the department.

27 (cf: P.L.2010, c.10, s.1)

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29 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

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

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

<sup>1</sup>Senate SED Committee amendments adopted February 6, 2017.