# PROCLAMATION

BY THE

## Governor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

I am vetoing the following bills, all of which involve the future commitment of state funds effective September 1, 1968.

| | | Estimated Cost 1968-1969 Fiscal Year |
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| Senate Bill 71 | Establishes a minimum sick leave program for public school teachers | $ 3,200,000 |
| Senate Bill 29 | Redefines the term "exceptional children" to include language handicapped children and pregnant girls who are residents of licensed maternity homes | 1,231,000 |
| Senate Bill 28 | Pilot program for pre-school children who have language disorders | 35,760 |
| Senate Bill 106 | Provides for a new formula for allocating special service teacher units | 995,000 |
| Senate Bill 314 | Provides for additional supervisors in the exceptional children program | 1,189,000 |
| Senate Bill 394 | Special school project for pre-school children who have mental retardation | 38,000 |
| House Bill 120 | Establishes a minimum salary for school bus drivers | 3,621,000 |
| House Bill 999 | Provides for the operation of 10 month school year program for pilot school districts | 1,760,000 |
| House Bill 1137 | Establishes a formula for salary of classroom teachers for operation of non-English speaking children program | 750,000 |
| | TOTAL, Estimated Cost | $12,819,760 |

Each of the bills shown above are effective at the beginning of the 1968-1969 fiscal year, consequently they are not subject to certification by the State Comptroller. If their effective date had been September 1, 1967, they could not have been certified because funds are not available in either the Foundation School Fund or the General Revenue Fund to implement them.

By making them effective September 1, 1968, they would have become effective without the Legislature having the opportunity to consider them in conjunction with other spending measures, and before the general appropriation bill for the second year of the biennium is considered.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the seal of State to be affixed hereto at Austin this 18th day of June, 1967.

John Connally
Governor of Texas

By the Governor:

John L. Hill
Secretary of State