support of the state government and its existing public institutions and shall take effect immediately.

Passed the Senate February 7, 1947.

Passed the House March 5, 1947.

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CHAPTER 82. [S. B. 141.]

RELATING TO EDUCATION.

An Act relating to education; providing for calls for bids on certain expenditures; amending section 15, article III, subchapter 4, title III, chapter 97, Laws of 1909 (section 4804, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 887-29).

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:

Notice for bids. Section 1. Section 15, article III, subchapter 4, title III, chapter 97, Laws of 1909 (section 4804, Remington's Revised Statutes, also Pierce's Perpetual Code 887-29), is amended to read as follows:

Section 15. When, in the opinion of the board, the cost of any furniture, supplies, building, improvements or repairs will equal or exceed the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000), it shall be the duty of the board to give due notice by publication, in at least one legal newspaper published within said district in one or more weekly papers, in three regular consecutive issues, of the intention to receive bids therefor; and the board shall determine the specifications for such bids which shall be public: *Provided*, That the board may, without giving such notice, make improvements or repairs to the property of such district through their shop and repair department.

Board may do work.

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