

receive, toward the cost of teachers, special equipment, nursing, therapeutic treatment, and transportation, an amount ~~not less than eight hundred dollars (\$800.00)~~ **ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000.00)** OF EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$800.00) per child or the actual cost, whichever is less and such additional amount per child as included for this purpose in the annual State Budget as submitted to the General Assembly by the Governor and subject to the power of the General Assembly with respect to budget ~~appropriation~~ **APPROPRIATIONS**. The State Superintendent of Schools shall ascertain the respective amounts the City of Baltimore and the counties shall receive from the State under this section, and when such amounts are so ascertained the State Superintendent of Schools shall certify the same to the State Comptroller.

(c) *Reimbursement of parents.*—*In the City of Baltimore or in any county in the State which does not provide such special classes* **PROGRAMS AND SERVICES** *or special instruction for the education of mentally or physically handicapped children, and such mentally or physically handicapped children attend a school within or outside of the State of Maryland providing appropriate instruction or receives* **RECEIVE** *appropriate instruction approved by the State Board of Education, the board of education in the City of Baltimore or county in which the parents of such child reside, provided such parents are bona fide residents of the State of Maryland, will be reimbursed by the State of Maryland not less than eight hundred dollars (\$800.00)* **ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000.00)** **EIGHT HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$800.00)** *or the actual cost, whichever is less for each such mentally or physically handicapped child each school year through the appropriated funds in the public school budget and such additional amount per child as included for this purpose in the annual State Budget as submitted to the General Assembly by the Governor and subject to the power of the General Assembly with respect to budget appropriations to assist in paying the tuition and/or fees incident to the instruction of each said handicapped child.*

#### 101. *Payments of amounts due.*

*It shall be the duty of the State Comptroller, upon receipt of each such certificate from the State Board of Education, as provided for in Section 100 hereof, to draw his warrant on the State Treasurer, payable to such board of education or the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore City, and for such sum as may be shown in such certificates, such warrants to be payable out of any available funds appropriated for that purpose, and the State Treasurer shall thereupon make payment accordingly; provided, however, that if there be not sufficient funds available to fully pay all such warrants, such funds as are so available shall be prorated amongst all such warrants in the proportion that the amount of each such warrant bears to the total amount of all such warrants, and the deficiency shall thereafter be made up when and as funds may be available therefor.*

#### 102. *Annual appropriation; definition of "handicapped child"; powers and duties of Department of Education.*

*The Governor shall place in the State budget each year an item for the education and training of handicapped children under six years of age. The appropriation as finally determined by the General*