

VETO MESSAGE - No. 264

TO THE ASSEMBLY:

I am returning herewith, without my approval, the following bill:

Assembly Bill Number 6721-B, entitled:

"AN ACT to amend chapter 118 of the laws of 1969, relating to a separate union free school district in the town of Greenburgh, in the county of Westchester, in relation to clarifying the authority of the Greenburgh North Castle Union Free School District to lease certain properties and to expand its boundaries

NOT APPROVED

This bill would expand the statutory boundaries of the Greenburgh North Castle Union Free School District, a "special act" school district in the Town of Greenburgh, Westchester County, to include certain properties leased by the district. While this and other "special act" districts have been granted authority to lease and utilize property outside of their boundaries in the past, changing the statutory boundaries of the district for such a temporary arrangement is unnecessary and unwarranted, and would impact the calculation of State building aid. Any discussion of legislation with a fiscal impact should take place in the context of negotiating the State budget. For these reasons, I am disapproving this bill.

The bill is disapproved.

(signed) ANDREW M. CUOMO

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