

HOUSE BILL 948

By Lynn

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-203, relative to the duties of local boards of education.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-203, is amended by adding the following as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

() Upon a finding by the comptroller that an LEA's purchasing and procurement practices are not in accordance with the provisions of subdivisions (a)(3)(A), (B) and (C), the commissioner shall withhold all of the state education finance funds which the LEA is otherwise entitled to receive.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2009, the public welfare requiring it.