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'Declare Bankruptcy'

In reference to the article in The Enquirer on July 10 about Catholic schools, no one is asking the Catholic Church to operate any school except the Catholic people themselves.

It is outrageous that the Catholic businesses are given government recognition and allowed to operate without paying any real estate tax, county intangible tax, Federal income tax, state sales tax, city income tax, etc. They freely operate as a monopoly and are given huge discounts on all purchases from Catholic businesses and they patronize only Catholic businesses. This practice is contrary to our anti-trust laws.

The solution is for the Catholic schools to declare bankruptcy and sell their schools to the public school systems, and get out of the school business entirely. This will be best for all pupils, the taxpayers and the national welfare.

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