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(By Mr. Juck

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ENROLLED Senate Bill No. 47

(By Mr. Amos)

(By request of the State Insurance Commissioner)

[Passed February 24, 1955; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section two, article seven, chapter thirty-three of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to special licenses of solicitors to increase the license fee to be charged.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section two, article seven, chapter thirty-three of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 2. Special Licenses of Solicitors.—Any duly li-2 censed insurance agent for a company other than life Enr. S. B. No. 47]

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3 may, with the approval of such company, apply to the insurance commissioner for licenses for not to exceed two 4 solicitors. If, after due investigation, the insurance com-5 missioner finds the person or persons for whom such li-6 cense is applied, competent and trustworthy and resident 7 in this state, he shall issue such solicitors' licenses, which 8 9 shall be subject to the same law as to revocation, expira-10 tion and renewal as the agent's license, and the fee for which shall be five dollars for each license. Such solicitor 11 12 shall solicit and receive applications for insurance for the appointing agent only, and he shall report all business 13 14 through him. The expiration, cancellation, or revocation 15 of the license of the appointing agent shall automatically 16 cancel the solicitor's license, and the appointing agent may cancel the solicitor's license at any time by request 17 18 to the insurance commissioner. In no case shall a so-19 licitor's license be requested when the principal use of 20 such license is to effect insurance on the property, person 21 or liability of the solicitor, or to circumvent the enforce-22 ment of the anti-rebate laws. Any agent who employs, 23 or accepts the services of, any solicitor except a solicitor

24 duly authorized and licensed under the provisions of this25 section shall have his license revoked.

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The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Charman Senate Committee Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

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