#### WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

**REGULAR SESSION, 1967** 

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## SENATE BILL NO. 309

(By Mr. Kanfman)

PASSED Warch 4 1967 In Effect Minity days from Passage

FILED IN THE OFFICE ROBERT D. BAILEY SECRETARY OF STATE THIS DATE 3-16-67

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(By MR. KAUFMAN)

[Passed March 4, 1967; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend article six, chapter thirty-three of the code of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section fourteen-a, relating to provisions in public liability insurance policies issued to charitable associations in this state, and requiring that such policies contain provisions for waiving the defense of charitable immunity. Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article six, chapter thirty-three of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated section fourteen-a, to read as follows: Enr. S. B. No. 309]

#### **ARTICLE 6. THE INSURANCE POLICY.**

§33-6-14a. Public liability insurance policies issued to charitable associations to contain provison for waiving of charitable or governmental immunity defense.

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No policy or contract of public liability insurance providing coverage for public liability shall be sold, issued, 2 or delivered in this state to any religious or charitable 3 corporation or association, either directly or to the trus-4 tees of such associations, or sold, issued or delivered to 5 any governmental unit, agency or subdivision, unless it 6 shall contain a provision or endorsement whereby the 7 company issuing such policy waives, or agrees not to 8 9 assert as a defense, on behalf of the policyholder or any beneficiary thereof, to any claim covered by the terms of 10 11 such policy within the policy limits, the immunity from lia-12 bility of the insured by reason of such insured's charitable or governmental status, unless such provision or endorse-13 ment is rejected in writing by the named insured. 14

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

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Originated in the Senate.

To take effect 90 days from passage.

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President of the Senate

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day of March , 1967.

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Date <u>3/11/67</u> Time <u>9:45 p.m.</u>