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HOUSE BILL No. *Hb. 89*

(By Delegate *Cerra*)



Passed *March 6,* 1992

In Effect *Ninety Days From* Passage

ENROLLED
H. B. 4689

(By DELEGATE CERRA)

[Passed March 6, 1992; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section seven, article sixteen, chapter thirty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to license renewal fees and continuing education requirements for a chiropractic physician.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 16. CHIROPRACTORS.

§30-16-7. License; annual renewal fee; effect of failure to renew; reinstatement.

1 All holders of certificates of license to practice
2 chiropractic in this state shall renew them annually on
3 or before the first day of July of each year: (1) By paying
4 the board an annual renewal fee in an amount deter-
5 mined by the board; and (2) by presenting to the board
6 evidence of twelve hours or more of continuing educa-
7 tion each year as prescribed by the board. The West
8 Virginia board of chiropractic examiners shall establish
9 by rules and regulations promulgated in accordance
10 with the provisions of article three, chapter twenty-nine-
11 a of this code, all continuing education requirements and
12 all criteria for fulfillment of such continuing education
13 requirements. The board shall notify each certificate

14 holder by mail, at least thirty days prior to the first day
15 of July of each year, of the necessity of renewing his or
16 her certificate. The first annual renewal fee shall be due
17 on the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred
18 sixty-five.

19 The failure to renew a certificate of license to practice
20 chiropractic shall operate as an automatic suspension of
21 the rights and privileges granted by its issuance.

22 A certificate of license suspended by a failure to make
23 an annual renewal may be reinstated by the board upon
24 presentation of evidence of completion of the required
25 hours of continuing education for each year such license
26 has been suspended; payment of all fees that would have
27 been paid had the certificate holder maintained his
28 certificate in good standing and the payment to the
29 board of a reinstatement fee in an amount determined
30 by the board; but no certificate shall be reinstated after
31 a lapse of three years. After a lapse of three years,
32 license may be issued only after the former certificate
33 holder subsequent to said lapse has passed the exami-
34 nation provided for in this article.

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

Womer Leck

Chairman Senate Committee

Ernest C. Moore

Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.)

Harrell E. Holmes

Clerk of the Senate

Donald J. Kopp

Clerk of the House of Delegates

Neil Sandette

President of the Senate

Bob Cole

Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within *is approved* this the *27th*
day of *March*, 1992.

Yaston Caperton
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 3/19/92

Time 2:45 pm