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REGULAR SESSION, 1995



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HOUSE BILL No. *2001*

(By Delegates *Beane, Love, J. Martin,*
Mezzatesta and Rowe)



Passed *January 26,* 1995

In Effect *Ninty Days From* Passage



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H. B. 2001

(BY DELEGATES BEANE, LOVE, MARTIN, J., MEZZATESTA
AND ROWE)

[Passed January 26, 1995; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend article one, chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section twenty-seven, relating to the superintendent of the division of public safety or his or her designee providing state flags for funeral services for all employed law-enforcement officers.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article one, chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated section twenty-seven, to read as follows:

**CHAPTER 5. GENERAL POWERS AND AUTHORITY OF
THE GOVERNOR, SECRETARY OF STATE AND
ATTORNEY GENERAL; BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS;
MISCELLANEOUS AGENCIES, COMMISSIONS, OFFICES,
PROGRAMS, ETC.**

ARTICLE 1. THE GOVERNOR.

§5-1-27. Draping of state flag to honor the passing of law-enforcement officers.

1 When any law-enforcement officer employed by the
2 state or any of its political subdivisions dies while on active
3 duty or after being honorably discharged or honorably
4 retired, upon the request of next of kin, the state shall
5 honor the officer by providing a state flag, at no cost, for
6 draping the coffin at the funeral service of the deceased
7 officer. The superintendent of the division of public safety
8 or his or her designee shall upon request provide the flag
9 upon verifying the deceased's service.

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

Randy Schooner
Chairman Senate Committee

Ernest E. Moore
Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Harold E. Blum
Clerk of the Senate

Donald L. Kopp
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Earl Ray Tomblin
President of the Senate

Will Clavin
Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 3rd
day of February, 1995.

Newton Caperton
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 4/30/95

Time 11:50 am