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AN ACT to amend and reenact §18B-17-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to higher education; legislative rules; and authorizing a rule for the Higher Education Policy Commission regarding authorization of degree-granting institutions.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

That §18B-17-2 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 17. LEGISLATIVE RULES.**

**§18B-17-2. Authorizing rules of Higher Education Policy Commission.**

1 (a) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
2 October 15, 2004, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
3 Commission (Underwood-Smith Teacher Scholarship  
4 Program rule) is authorized.

5 (b) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
6 October 15, 2004, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
7 Commission (West Virginia Engineering, Science and  
8 Technology Scholarship Program rule) is authorized.

9 (c) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
10 October 15, 2004, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
11 Commission (Medical Education Fee and Medical Student  
12 Loan Program rule) is authorized.

13 (d) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
14 October 27, 2005, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
15 Commission (Authorization of degree-granting institutions)  
16 is authorized.

17 (e) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on August  
18 23, 2006, relating to the Higher Education Policy Commis-  
19 sion (West Virginia Higher Education Grant Program) is  
20 authorized.

21 (f) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
22 January 4, 2008, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
23 Commission (Providing Real Opportunities for Maximizing  
24 In-state Student Excellence - PROMISE) is authorized.

25 (g) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on August  
26 25, 2008, relating to the Higher Education Policy Commis-  
27 sion (Research Trust Program) is authorized.

28 (h) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
29 January 8, 2009, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
30 Commission (Guidelines for Governing Boards in Employing  
31 and Evaluating Presidents) is authorized.

32 (i) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
33 September 10, 2008, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
34 Commission (Medical Student Loan Program) is authorized,  
35 with the following amendment:

36 On page 2, subsection 5.1, following the words "financial  
37 aid office" by inserting a new subdivision 5.1.3 to read as  
38 follows: "United States citizenship or legal immigrant status  
39 while actively pursuing United States citizenship."

40 (j) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
41 December 1, 2008, relating to the Higher Education Policy

42 Commission (West Virginia Higher Education Grant Pro-  
43 gram) is authorized.

44 (k) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
45 January 26, 2009, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
46 Commission (Accountability System) is authorized.

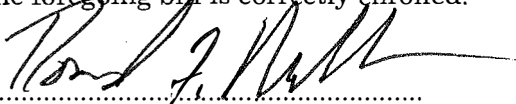
47 (l) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on May  
48 20, 2009, relating to the Higher Education Policy Commis-  
49 sion (Energy and Water Savings Revolving Loan Fund  
50 Program) is authorized.

51 (m) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
52 January 27, 2010, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
53 Commission (Providing Real Opportunities for Maximizing  
54 In-state Student Excellence - PROMISE) is authorized.

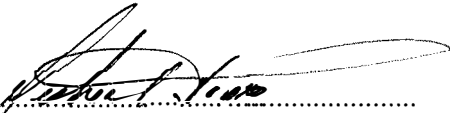
55 (n) The legislative rule filed in the State Register on  
56 December 8, 2010, relating to the Higher Education Policy  
57 Commission (Authorization of Degree Granting Institutions)  
58 is authorized, with the following amendment:

59 On page 28, subsection 9.1.b, following the words “Good  
60 cause shall consist of” by inserting the words “any one or  
61 more of the following”.

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



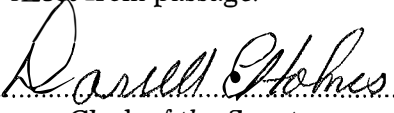
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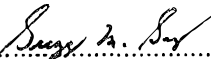
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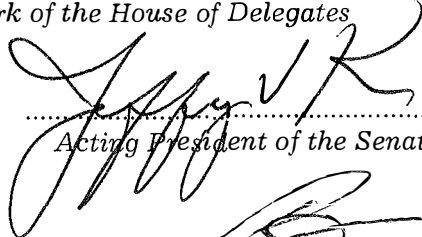
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*Clerk of the Senate*



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*Clerk of the House of Delegates*




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*Acting President of the Senate*



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*Speaker of the House of Delegates*

The within *is approved* ..... this the *18<sup>th</sup>* .....  
Day of *March* ....., 2011.



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*Governor*

PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR

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