WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1937

ENROLLED

HOUSE BILL No. 182

(By Mr. )

PASSED February 26, 1937

In Effect from Passage
AN ACT to make available for the payment of the expenses of the public service commission of West Virginia, and the salaries, compensations, costs and expenses of its employees, the balance of funds appropriated for its use during prior years and unexpended on the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred thirty-six, and to authorize said commission to expend the same, and providing for the disposition of any portion thereof remaining unexpended on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred thirty-seven.

WHEREAS, There is now in the public service commission fund, not available for the use of said commission or for any other purpose, because it arose from a special license tax levied on and paid by public utilities, which in no event, can become general revenue for the state, the sum of ninety-eight thousand eight hundred
fourteen dollars and twenty-three cents heretofore appropriated and collected for the use of the public service commission of West Virginia prior to the current fiscal year, and unexpended within the several periods for which appropriated; and

WHEREAS, The said public service commission does not now have available sufficient funds remaining of its appropriation for the current fiscal year to continue and complete investigations initiated by it and now in progress and to pay its current general expenses; therefore,

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

Section 1. Appropriation for Public Service Commission.

There is hereby made available for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred thirty-seven, out of the balance remaining unexpended, but heretofore appropriated for the public service commission of West Virginia, in the public service commission fund in the treasury, to pay the current general expenses of the public service commission of West Virginia, and the salaries, compensations, costs and expenses of its employees, as provided by law, the sum of ninety-eight thousand eight hundred fourteen dollars and twenty-three cents, in addition to the appropr-
Sec. 2. How Money to be Spent. The public service commission of West Virginia is hereby authorized to expend said sum of ninety-eight thousand eight hundred fourteen dollars and twenty-three cents so made available, to pay its current general expenses and the salaries, compensations, costs and expenses of its employees.

Sec. 3. Disposition of Residue of Funds. Any amount of the sum hereby made available remaining unexpended on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred thirty-seven, shall not revert to the treasury, nor remain as an unexpended balance in the public service commission fund, but shall be credited by the auditor upon the amount of the special license fees to be levied by him upon the public utilities subject to the public service commission law of this state, for the next ensuing fiscal year, under the provisions of section six, article three, chapter twenty-four of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended and reenacted by chapter one hundred fifteen, acts
of the Legislature, regular session, one thousand nine hundred thirty-five, on the same basis and in the same proportions as funds are raised under said section.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

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Takes effect

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within...this the 5th

day of...March, 1937.

Governor.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State of West Virginia. MAR 5 1937

Wm. S. O'Brien,
Secretary of State