

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1937



ENROLLED

HOUSE BILL No. 495

(By Mr. LaFon)



PASSED March 13, 1937

In Effect from Passage

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House Bill No. 445

(By MR. LAFON)

[Passed March 13, 1937; in effect from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section two, article six, chapter nine of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as enacted by chapter one, acts of the Legislature of West Virginia, first extraordinary session, one thousand nine hundred thirty-six, relating to general relief under the public welfare law of one thousand nine hundred thirty-six.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section two, article six, chapter nine of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended by chapter one, acts of the Legislature of West Virginia, first extraordinary session, one thousand nine hundred thirty-six be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 2. *General Relief; Definition.* "General relief"

2 shall mean care and assistance to an indigent person who is

3 a resident of the county and who is in fact and is found to
4 be by the county council:

5 (1) A public charge, or in danger of becoming a public
6 charge, or

7 (2) In need of continuing institutional care because of his
8 physical or mental condition, or

9 (3) In need of medical or surgical care whether in an in-
10 stitution or in his home.

11 Unless the county council specifically assumes responsibil-
12 ity in writing, it shall not be charged with or responsible for
13 cost of transportation or support of a person institutionalized
14 by another committing authority.

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

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Chairman House Committee

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The within *Approved* this the *18th*

day of *March*, 1937.

Wm. A. Holt
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Governor.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State
of West Virginia. **MAR 19 1937**
Wm. S. O'BRIEN,
Secretary of State