

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1937



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HOUSE BILL No. 449

(By Mr. LaFon)



PASSED March 13, 1937

In Effect from Passage

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section thirty-four, article five, 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 liens against benefits to blind persons under the public welfare law of one thousand nine hundred thirty-six.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section thirty-four, article five, 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:

Article V.

Section 34. *Liability of Blind Persons.* The same liens

2 shall be taken against the grant of assistance to blind per-
3 sons as are imposed on grants to aged persons. The total
4 amount of public assistance granted to a blind person shall
5 be allowed as a claim of the state against the recipient and
6 his estate but the lien shall not be enforced against real es-
7 tate of the recipient occupied by a surviving spouse unless
8 such spouse is a widow who remarries.

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

Carl B. Galbreath

 Chairman Senate Committee

Robert G. Specker

 Chairman House Committee

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Takes effect..... passage.

Charles H. Hays

 Clerk of the Senate

W. S. Hays

 Clerk of the House of Delegates

Chas. E. Hays

 President of the Senate

J. T. Hays

 Speaker House of Delegates

The within *Approved* this the *18th*

day of *March*, 1937.

Frank A. Holt

 Governor.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State
 of West Virginia. **MAR 19 1937**

Wm. S. O'BRIEN,
 Secretary of State