WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1941

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HOUSE BILL No. *209*

(By Mr. *Hall*)

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PASSED *March 1,* 1941

In Effect *ninety days from* Passage

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AN ACT to amend and reenact article three, chapter thirty-three of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, by adding thereto a new section, numbered section thirty-five, legalizing life insurance policies and other forms of contracts issued by life insurance companies entered into with persons not twenty-one years of age.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article three, chapter thirty-three of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, be amended and reenacted by the addition of the following section, designated section thirty-five, to read as follows:

Section 35. *Life Insurance Contracts by Minors.*—Any

2 person who is not of the full age of twenty-one years

3 but who is of the age, as determined by the nearest

4 birthday, of not less than fifteen years, shall be deemed

5 competent to contract for life insurance upon the life of

6 such minor, for the benefit of such minor or for the

7 benefit of the father, mother, husband, wife, brother or

8 sister, child or children, or any grandparent of such

9 minor, and to exercise and enjoy every right, privilege

10 and benefit provided by any life insurance contract on

11 the life of such minor, subject to the foregoing limita-

12 tions as to designation of beneficiary.

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

C. H. McKown
Chairman Senate Committee

Leon Rice
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the _House of Delegates_

Takes effect _ninety days from_ _____ passage.

Alan Wattsen
Clerk of the Senate

Ratliff
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Byron B. Randolph
President of the Senate

Malcolm R. Arnold
Speaker House of Delegates

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The within _approved_ this the _13th_

day of _March_, 1941.

Matthew M. Neely,
Governor.