WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1941

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HOUSE BILL No. 299

(By Mr. McClung, of Fayette)

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PASSED March 8, 1941

In Effect ninety days from Passage
AN ACT authorizing the state compensation commissioner to reopen the case of A. F. Dean.

Whereas, On the fourteenth day of March, one thousand nine hundred thirty-two, while employed by the Elkhorn Piney Coal company and in the discharge of his duties, the said A. F. Dean was caught under a slate fall and mashed to the extent that he is permanently disabled; and

Whereas, The said Elkhorn Piney Coal company was at the time of the aforesaid injury to A. F. Dean a subscriber to the workmen's compensation fund; and

Whereas, A. F. Dean was given fifty-five per cent total disability upon examination after the injury; and

Whereas, The state compensation commissioner refused claimant after the year one thousand nine hundred thirty-six; and

Whereas, A. F. Dean has made application with the state com-
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Enactment of West Virginia:

Section 1. Compensation Commissioner Authorized to Reopen Case of A. F. Dean.—The state compensation commissioner is hereby authorized to reopen the case of A. F. Dean, notwithstanding the fact that more than two years have elapsed after the date of the last payment to him before application for reopening and hearing was filed; said state compensation commissioner is further authorized to make such disposition of the case as would have been proper had said application been filed within the period required by law, and to allow such compensation to said A. F. Dean as the facts and conditions pertaining to the case may warrant.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House of Delegates

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 14th day of March, 1941.

Governor.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State of West Virginia Mar 24 1941

Wm. S. O'Brien,
Secretary of State