

# WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1941



# ENROLLED

HOUSE BILL No. 320

(By Mr. Hudson and Mr. Casey)



PASSED March 8, 1941

In Effect ninety days from Passage

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AN ACT to declare valid and legal the creation and establishment of housing authorities, under the provisions of chapter ninety-three, acts of the Legislature of West Virginia, second extraordinary session, one thousand nine hundred thirty-three, and all contracts, bonds, notes, agreements, obligations and undertakings of such housing authorities, and all proceedings, acts and things heretofore undertaken, performed or done with reference thereto.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

Section 1. The creation and establishment of housing  
2 authorities under the provisions of chapter ninety-three,  
3 acts of the Legislature of West Virginia, second extra-  
4 ordinary session, one thousand nine hundred thirty-three,  
5 known as the "Housing Authorities Law," together with  
6 all proceedings, acts and things heretofore undertaken,

7 performed or done with reference thereto, are hereby  
8 validated, ratified, confirmed, approved and declared le-  
9 gal in all respects, notwithstanding any defect or irregular-  
10 ity therein or any want of statutory authority.

Sec. 2. All contracts, agreements, obligations and under-  
2 takings of such housing authorities heretofore entered  
3 into relating to financing or aiding in the development,  
4 construction, maintenance or operation of any housing  
5 project or projects or to obtaining aid from the United  
6 States housing authority, including (without limiting the  
7 generality of the foregoing) loan and annual contribu-  
8 tions contracts with the United States housing authority,  
9 agreements with municipalities or other public bodies  
10 (including those which are pledged or authorized to be  
11 pledged for the protection of the holders of any notes or  
12 bonds issued by such housing authorities) or which are  
13 otherwise made a part of the contract with such holders  
14 of notes or bonds relating to cooperation and contribu-  
15 tions in aid of housing projects, furnishing of municipal  
16 services and facilities, and the elimination of unsafe  
17 and insanitary dwellings, and contracts for the construc-

18 tion of housing projects, together with all proceedings,  
19 acts and things heretofore undertaken, performed or  
20 done with reference thereto, are hereby validated, rati-  
21 fied, confirmed, approved and declared legal in all re-  
22 spects, notwithstanding any defect or irregularity therein  
23 or any want of statutory authority.

Sec. 3. All proceedings, acts and things heretofore un-  
2 dertaken, performed or done in or for the authorization,  
3 issuance, execution and delivery of notes and bonds by  
4 housing authorities for the purpose of financing or aiding  
5 in the development or construction of a housing project  
6 or projects, and all notes and bonds heretofore issued by  
7 housing authorities are hereby validated, ratified, con-  
8 firmed, approved and declared legal in all respects, not-  
9 withstanding any defect or irregularity therein or any  
10 want of statutory authority.

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

E. H. M. P. Kown

Chairman Senate Committee

Leon Rice

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House of Delegates

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Atale Watkins

Clerk of the Senate

J. Raliff

Clerk of the House of Delegates

Byron B. Randolph

President of the Senate

Malcolm R. Arnold

Speaker House of Delegates

The within bill is disapproved this the 14

day of March, 1941, for the reasons specified in the attached veto message.

Matthew M. Neely,  
Governor.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State  
of West Virginia. MAR 14 1941

Wm. S. O'BRIEN,

Secretary of State