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SENATE BILL No. 113

(By Mr. Pelte)

PASSED March 2, 1943

In Effect from Passage
AN ACT to authorize the state road commission of West Virginia to cooperate with the public roads administration of the United States in the acquisition, construction and maintenance of flight strips and of certain classes of highways in order to facilitate the war effort.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

Section 1. Construction of Flight Strips and Highways.

2 In order to facilitate the war effort the state road commission of West Virginia is hereby authorized to cooperate with the public roads administration of the United States government in the making of surveys, plans, specifications and estimates for, and in the con-
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7 struction and maintenance of, flight strips and of roads
8 and bridges necessary to provide access to military and
9 naval reservations, to defense industries and defense-
10 industry sites, and to sources of raw material, and for
11 the replacement of existing highways and highway con-
12 nections closed to general public use at military and naval
13 reservations and at defense-industry sites, whenever the
14 entire cost of making such surveys, plans, specifications
15 and estimates for, and the construction and maintenance
16 cost of such flight strips, or roads and bridges, including
17 the cost of any land necessary for such construction, is
18 entirely paid for by the federal government.

Sec. 2. Flight Strips; Definition. A flight strip is an
2 area of land with clear approaches thereto, located at or
3 near a public highway, for use as an auxiliary landing
4 field for aircraft.

Sec. 3. Method of Construction. Notwithstanding any
2 other provision of law, the state road commission may
3 contract for the construction of any such flight strips, or
4 roads and bridges in any manner approved by the com-
5 missioner of public roads, or may perform such con-
Sec. 4. **Acquiring of Title.** The state road commission may acquire by purchase, eminent domain, grant or dedication, title to any land or any interest in land, or any rights, ways, or easements thereon or thereover which is necessary for the purpose of constructing and maintaining said flight strips or roads and bridges.

Sec. 5. **Life of Act.** This act shall remain in effect during the emergency as declared by the President of the United States on May twenty-seventh, one thousand nine hundred forty-one, and for a period of six months thereafter.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate

Takes effect 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 4th day of March, 1943.

Governor.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State of West Virginia MAR 5 1943

Win. S. O'Brien, Secretary of State