WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1947

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SENATE BILL No. 2

(By Mr. Farmer)

PASSED March 8, 1947

In Effect From Passage
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Senate Bill No. 2
(By Mr. Harmer)

[Passed March 8, 1947; in effect from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section nine, article one, chapter ten of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended by chapter one hundred three, acts of the Legislature, one thousand nine hundred forty-five, relating to the vesting of title to bequests or donations of cash or other personal property or real estate for the benefit of a public library in a corporation composed of a board of library directors, and providing for exceptions thereto.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section nine, article one, chapter ten of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended by chapter one hundred three, acts of the Legislature, one thousand nine hundred forty-five, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:
Section 9. Library Board to Be a Corporation; Vesting of Title.—The board of library directors of each public library shall be a corporation; and as such it may contract and be contracted with, sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, and shall have and use a common seal.

The title to all bequests or donations of cash or other personal property or real estate for the benefit of such library shall be vested in the board of library directors to be held in trust and controlled by such board according to the terms and for the purposes set forth in the deed, gift, devise or bequest: Provided, however, That the person making the bequest or donation of cash or other personal property or real estate for the benefit of such library shall have the right and privilege to vest the title thereto in a trustee, or trustees, of his own selection, and to provide for the selection of successor trustees, and to designate the manner in which said fund or property shall be invested and used.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that
the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

T. L. [Signature]
Chairman Senate Committee

R. S. [Signature]
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate

Takes effect from passage.

H. Heyer
Clerk of the Senate

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

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President of the Senate

John E. Amos
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 17th

day of March, 1947.

[Signature]
Governor

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of West Virginia. MAR 13 1947
WM. S. OBRIEN,
SECRETARY OF STATE