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HOUSE BILL No. 157

(By Mr. Davis)

PASSED February 14, 1951
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AN ACT to amend and reenact section ten-a, article one, chapter twenty-five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to care, control and custody of capitol buildings and grounds.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section ten-a, article one, chapter twenty-five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 10-a. Care, Control and Custody of Capitol Buildings and Grounds.—The state board of control shall be charged with full responsibility for the care, control and custody of the capitol buildings and grounds, and in this connection the board shall:

(1) Furnish guards and janitors for the capitol buildings and grounds, together with all the apartments therein, or connected therewith, regardless of the budget
or budgets, departmental or otherwise, from which such
guards and janitors are paid, and shall furnish janitorial
supplies, light, heat and ventilation for all the rooms
and corridors of the building. Under the direction of the
president of the senate and speaker of the house of dele-
gates, the board of control shall have charge of the halls
and committee rooms of the two houses and keep the
same properly cleaned, warmed and in good order, and
shall do and perform such other duties in relation thereto
as either house may require;
(2) Furnish part-time messenger service to the vari-
ous state departments. Department heads shall be con-
sulted with reference to the amount of messenger service
required for their departments and an agreed amount
for such service shall be paid by the department directly
to the board of control. Janitor-messengers, or part-time
messengers, shall receive from the board of control com-
pensation for total services in the same manner as other
employees are paid. Any state department shall, how-
ever, have authority to furnish its own messenger service
without using employees of the board of control;
30    (3) Have immediate control and direction of the
31    switchboard telephone service for the various depart-
32    ments of the state capitol. Changes in telephone instru-
33    ments or equipment in the various departments of the
34    state capitol shall be referred to the board of control and
35    payment for any such changes will not be honored by the
36    state auditor unless such changes have been approved
37    by the board of control. A simple accounting system shall
38    be installed and maintained by the board of control for
39    all telephone service to the state departments;
40    (4) Landscape and take care of lawns and gardens;
41    (5) Direct the making of all minor repairs to and alter-
42    ations of the capitol buildings and grounds. Major repairs
43    and alterations shall be made under the supervision of
44    the board of control, subject to the direction of the board
45    of public works.
46    The board of control shall appoint such assistants and
47    employees as may be necessary for the performance of
48    the duties imposed upon it by this section, subject to the
49    provisions of law and regulations pertaining to the classi-
50    fication and uniform compensation of personnel.
The offices of such employees shall be located where designated by the board of public works, except that they shall not be located in any of the legislative chambers, offices, rooms or halls. Office hours shall be so arranged that emergency or telephone service shall be available at all times. The hours of employment shall be so arranged that janitorial service shall not interfere with other employment during regular office hours.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

A. R. Waltz
Chairman Senate Committee

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Originated in the House of Delegates

Takes effect ______ days from passage.

Chas J. N. Kee
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President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within ______ approved this the ______ day of ______, 1951.

Olgy L. Patterson
Governor

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D. Pitt O'Brien
Secretary of State