

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1951



ENROLLED

HOUSE BILL No. 17

(By Mr. Bowles, by request)



PASSED March 9, 1951

In Effect July 1, 1951, Passage



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AN ACT to provide compensation to A. W. Utterback, Mrs.

A. W. Utterback and Frances Cremeans for damages sustained by them by reason of a collision with a motor vehicle owned by the state road commission and operated by one of its employees.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

Section 1. *Appropriation for A. W. Utterback, for Mrs.*

2 *A. W. Utterback and for Frances Cremeans.—There is*
3 *hereby appropriated, it appearing from the budget that*
4 *there is sufficient revenue available for the purpose, the*
5 *sum of five hundred dollars to A. W. Utterback, the sum*
6 *of two thousand dollars to Mrs. A. W. Utterback and the*
7 *sum of three hundred dollars to Frances Cremeans, to*
8 *compensate them for damages sustained while traveling*
9 *in an automobile owned by the said A. W. Utterback, on*
10 *the twentieth day of March, one thousand nine hundred*

11 forty-four, in the city of Huntington, West Virginia,
12 which damages were caused by failure of an employee of
13 the state road commission while engaged in the work of,
14 and while driving an automobile owned by, the said state
15 road commission, to observe the traffic rules of the said
16 city of Huntington in failing to stop said motor vehicle so
17 driven by him in obedience to a proper stop sign.

Sec. 2. *Finding of Moral Obligation.*—It is hereby de-
2 clared to be the finding of the Legislature, based upon
3 its conclusion of fact, that the appropriation made in
4 section one hereof is for a public purpose and for the
5 payment of a moral obligation of the state of West Vir-
6 ginia.

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

Robert C. Byrd
Chairman Senate Committee

James M. Loop
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House of Delegates

Takes effect *July 1, 1951* — passage.

Howard Meyer
Clerk of the Senate

J. R. Giff
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Franklin D. Roosevelt
President of the Senate

W. E. Ham
Speaker House of Delegates

The within *approved* this the *16th*
day of *march*, 1951.

Clay L. Patterson
Governor



FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE

of West Virginia **MAR 16 1951**

D. PITT O'BRIEN,
SECRETARY OF STATE