WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1951

ENROLLED

HOUSE BILL No. 236

(By Mr. Madows)

PASSED March 3. 1951
In Effect 90 days from Passage



ENROLLED

House Bill No. 236

(By Mr. Meadows)

[Passed March 3, 1951; in effect from passage.]

of airt

AN ACT to amend and reenact section thirty-four, article three, chapter thirty-three of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine, relating to the rights of creditors as to policies in favor of another person and policies assigned.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section thirty-four, article three, chapter thirty-three, of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

Section 34. Rights of Creditors as to Policies in favor

- 2 of Another Person and Policies Assigned.—If a policy
- 3 of insurance, whether heretofore or hereafter issued, is
- 4 effected by any person on his own life or on another life,
- 5 in favor of a person other than himself, or, except in
- 6 cases of transfer with intent to defraud creditors, if a
- 7 policy of life insurance is assigned or in any way made

payable to any such person, the lawful beneficiary or assignee thereof, other than the insured or the person so effecting such insurance or executors or administrators 10 of such insured or the person so effecting such insurance, 11 shall be entitled to its proceeds and avails against the 13 creditors and representatives of the insured and of the person effecting the same, whether or not the right to 15 change the beneficiary is reserved or permitted, and whether or not the policy is made payable to the person 16 whose life is insured if the beneficiary or assignee shall 17 predecease such person: Provided, That, subject to the 18 19 statute of limitation, the amount of any premiums for 20 such insurance paid with intent to defraud creditors, with 21 interest thereon, shall enure to their benefit from the proceeds of the policy; but the company issuing the 22 23 policy shall be discharged of all liability thereon by payment of its proceeds in accordance with its terms, unless 25 before such payment the company shall have written notice, by or in behalf of a creditor, of a claim to recover for transfer made or premiums paid with intent to de-27 fraud creditors, with specifications of the amount claimed. 28

/	The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.		
<u></u>	Dellels Chairman Senate Committee		
x.	James Vr. Soop Chairman House Committee		
	Originated in the House of Delegates		
	Takes effect minty days from passage. Clerk of the Senate		
	AP 60'11		
	Clerk of the House of Delegates		,
	3/1		
	President of the Senate		
	115 Han		
*	Speaker House of Delegates		
	The within PAROVED this the		
	day of MARCh , 1951.		
	Okly L. Vallan		
	Governor		
	the second are some and addition and the second and addition		
	of these VirginiaMAR = 1957 MAR	10	1951
	D. PITT O'BRIEN,	Ĩ.	
	The state of the s		