

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1951

ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 230

(By Mr. Allen)

PASSED March 6, 1951

In Effect Thirty days from Passage



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Senate Bill No. 230

(By MR. ALLEN)

[Passed March 6, 1951; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section eighteen, article four, chapter thirty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to practicing dentistry or dental hygiene without complying with provisions of this article; penalty; and injunction.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 18. *Practicing Dentistry or Dental Hygiene*
2 *without Complying with Provisions of This Article;*
3 *Penalty; Injunction.*—Any person who shall practice or
4 offer to practice dentistry or dental hygiene in this state

5 without first having complied with the provisions of this
6 article, or who shall violate any of its provisions for which
7 no specific penalty has been provided, shall be guilty of
8 a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, shall be
9 fined not less than fifty nor more than five hundred
10 dollars, or may be confined in jail for not more than
11 thirty days, or both, at the discretion of the court. Each
12 act of dentistry or dental hygiene shall be deemed a sep-
13 arate offense and shall constitute a practice of dentistry
14 or dental hygiene within the meaning of this section, and
15 each day that a person may hold himself out as practicing
16 in his own name or any name shall be deemed a separate
17 offense.

18 Notwithstanding the existence of any other remedy,
19 the board may, in the manner provided by law, main-
20 tain an action for an injunction against any person,
21 partnership, or association to restrain or prevent the
22 practice of dentistry and/or dental hygiene when such
23 person, partnership, or association repeatedly refuses to
24 obtain registration or license therefor and continues the
25 practice of dentistry and/or dental hygiene without first

26 obtaining registration or license therefor in the manner
27 hereinbefore provided.

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

John C. Byrd
Chairman Senate Committee

James M. Loop
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

Takes effect thirty days from passage.

Shannon Keyser
Clerk of the Senate

J. R. Cliff
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Robert Taylor
President of the Senate

W. E. Harner
Speaker House of Delegates

The within APPROVED this the 12th
day of MARCH, 1951.

Okuy L. Patterson
Governor.



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D. PITT O'BRIEN,
SECRETARY OF STATE