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SENATE BILL NO. 17/

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Senate Bill No. 171

(By Mr. Bean)

[Passed March 8, 1951; in effect July 1, 1951.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section five, article one, chapter nine-a of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to compensation of director, deputies, assistants and employees, honorarium of council members, traveling expenses, and meetings of council of the department of veterans affairs.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 5. Compensation of Director, Deputies, Assist-

- 2 ants and Employees; Honorarium of Council Members;
- 3 Traveling Expenses; Meetings of Council.—The director

- 4 shall receive a salary of seven thousand dollars per an-
- 5 num, payable in monthly installments, and, in addition,
- 6 the necessary traveling expenses incident to the perform-
- 7 ance of his duties. The salaries of the deputy directors,
- 8 assistants and employees shall be fixed by the veterans'
- 9 council. The members of the veterans' council shall re-
- 10 ceive no salary, but each member shall receive an hon-
- 11 orarium of ten dollars for each day actually in attend-
- 12 ance at a meeting and his actual expenses and traveling
- 13 expenses incurred in the performance of his duties under
- 14 this act. The requisition for such expenses and travel-
- 15 ing expenses shall be accompanied by a sworn and item-
- 16 ized statement, which shall be filed with the auditor and
- 17 permanently preserved as a public record. The veterans'
- 18 council shall hold its initial meeting on the call of the
- 19 governor, and thereafter shall meet on the call of its
- 20 chairman, except as otherwise provided. With the excep-
- 21 tion of the first three meetings of the veterans' council,
- 22 none of which shall be of a duration longer than two
- 23 weeks each, for organizational purposes, the veterans'
- 24 council shall meet not more than once every two months

at such times as may be determined by and upon the call
of the chairman for a period of not more than two days,
unless there should be an emergency requiring a special
meeting or for a longer period and so declared and called
by the governor or by the chairman with the approval
of the governor. A majority of its members of the veterans' council shall constitute a quorum for the conduct
of official business.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing Bill is correctly smelled Chairman Senate Committee Chairman House Committee	(MT
Originated in the Senate. Takes effect Ally / John passage. Clerk of the Senate	
Clerk of the House of Delegates President of the Senate	
The within Approved this the 14th day of March 1951. Chy Lordinan Governor.	
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