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SENATE BILL NO. 209

(By Mr. Martin)

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section twenty-seven, article one, chapter forty-seven of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, making adjustments in the weight specifications of certain commodities and adding commodities to the table of weights, not now included.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 27. *Bushel and its Subdivisions.*—A bushel, half
2 bushel, peck, half peck, quarter peck, quart and pint of

3 the respective articles hereinafter mentioned except
4 when sold in baskets or containers as provided in sec-
5 tions thirty-two and thirty-three of this article, shall be
6 the amount of weight, avoirdupois, as shown by the fol-
7 lowing table:

8	COMMODITY	BU. lb.	½ BU. lb.	PECK		½ PECK		¼ PECK		QUART		PINT	
				lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.
9	Apples (green)	44	22	11	---	5	8	2	12	1	6	---	11
10	Apples (dried)	24	12	6	---	3	---	1	8	---	12	---	6
11	Apple Seed	40	20	10	---	5	---	2	8	1	4	---	10
12	Alfalfa Seed	60	30	15	---	7	8	3	12	1	14	---	15
13	Beans (dried, shelled)....	60	30	15	---	7	8	3	12	1	14	---	15
14	Beans, Castor	46	23	11	8	5	12	2	14	1	7	---	11½
15	Beans (unshelled)	38	19	9	8	4	12	2	6	1	3	---	9½
16	Beans (stringed)	24	12	6	---	3	---	1	8	---	12	---	6
17	Beans (limas)	56	28	14	---	7	---	3	8	1	12	---	14
18	Beans, Soy	58	29	14	8	7	4	3	10	1	13	---	14½
19	Beans, Scarlet Pole	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½

COMMODITY	BU. lb.	½ BU. lb.	PECK lb. oz.	½ PECK lb. oz.	¼ PECK lb. oz.	QUART lb. oz.	PINT lb. oz.
20 Beets	56	28	14 ---	7 ---	3 8	1 12	--- 14
21 Blackberries	48	24	12 ---	6 ---	3 ---	1 8	--- 12
22 Blueberries	42	21	10 8	5 4	2 10	1 5	--- 10½
23 Blue Grass Seed	14	7	3 8	1 12	--- 14	--- 7	--- 3½
24 Blue Grass Seed, Eng.	22	11	5 8	2 12	1 6	--- 11	--- 5½
25 Broom Corn Seed	57	28½	14 4	7 2	3 9	1 12½	--- 14¼
26 Buckwheat	48	24	12 ---	6 ---	3 ---	1 8	--- 12
27 Barley	48	24	12 ---	6 ---	3 ---	1 8	--- 12
28 Bran	20	10	5 ---	2 8	1 4	--- 10	--- 5
29 Cabbage	50	25	12 8	6 4	3 2	1 9	--- 12½
30 Canary Seed	60	30	15 ---	7 8	3 12	1 14	--- 15

	COMMODITY	BU.	½ BU.	PECK		½ PECK		¼ PECK		QUART		PINT	
		lb.	lb.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.
31	Carrots	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
32	Cement	100	50	25	---	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9
33	Charcoal	20	10	5	---	2	8	1	4	---	10	---	5
34	Cherries (with stems)....	56	28	14	---	7	---	3	8	1	12	---	14
35	Cherries (without stems)	64	32	16	---	8	---	4	---	2	---	1	---
36	Chestnuts	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
37	Clover Seed	60	30	15	---	7	8	3	12	1	14	---	15
38	Coal	80	40	20	---	10	---	5	---	2	8	1	4
39	Coke	40	20	10	---	5	---	2	8	1	4	---	10
40	Corn (cracked)	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
41	Corn (ear dry)	68	34	17	---	8	8	4	4	2	2	1	1

COMMODITY	BU. lb.	½ BU. lb.	PECK lb. oz.	½ PECK lb. oz.	¼ PECK lb. oz.	QUART lb. oz.	PINT lb. oz.
42 Corn (ear green)	72	36	18 ---	9 ---	4 8	2 4	1 2
43 Corn (shelled)	56	28	14 ---	7 ---	3 8	1 12	--- 14
44 Corn Sweet	50	25	12 8	6 4	3 2	1 9	--- 12½
45 Corn Meal	48	24	12 ---	6 ---	3 ---	1 8	--- 12
46 Corn Meal (bolted)	46	23	11 8	5 12	2 14	1 7	--- 11½
47 Cotton Seed	32	16	8 ---	4 ---	2 ---	1 ---	--- 8
48 Cotton Seed (S. I.)	44	22	11 ---	5 8	2 10	1 6	--- 11
49 Cranberries	36	18	9 ---	4 8	2 4	1 2	--- 9
50 Cucumbers (green)	50	25	12 8	6 4	3 2	1 9	--- 12½
51 Currants	40	20	10 ---	5 ---	2 8	1 4	--- 10
52 Flax Seed	56	28	14 ---	7 ---	3 8	1 12	--- 14

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	lb.	lb.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.
53 Gooseberries	40	20	10	---	5	---	2	8	1	4	---	10
54 Grapes (with stems)	40	20	10	---	5	---	2	8	1	4	---	10
55 Grapes	60	30	15	---	7	8	3	12	1	14	---	15
56 Hair (washed)	4	2	1	---	---	8	---	4	---	2	---	1
57 Hair (unwashed)	8	4	2	---	1	---	---	8	---	4	---	2
58 Hemp Seed	44	22	11	---	5	8	2	12	1	6	---	11
59 Herds Grass	45	22½	11	4	5	10	2	13	1	6½	---	11¼
60 Hickory Nuts	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
61 Hominy	60	30	15	---	7	8	3	12	1	14	---	15
62 Horse Radish	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
63 Huckleberries	52	26	13	---	6	8	3	4	1	10	---	13

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			lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.
64 Hungarian Grass	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
65 Kaffir Corn	56	28	14	---	7	---	3	8	1	12	---	14
66 Kale	15	7½	3	12	1	14	---	15	---	7½	---	3¾
67 Lime (unslacked)	70	35	17	8	8	12	4	6	2	3	1	1½
68 Lime (slacked)	40	20	10	---	5	---	2	8	1	4	---	10
69 Malt	34	17	8	8	4	4	2	2	1	1	---	8½
70 Millet	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
71 Millet (Japan)	35	17½	8	12	4	6	2	3	1	1½	---	8¾
72 Oats	32	16	8	---	4	---	2	---	1	---	---	8
73 Onions	55	27½	13	12	6	14	3	7	1	11½	---	13¾
74 Onions (bottom sets).....	32	16	8	---	4	---	2	---	1	---	---	8

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			lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.
75 Onions (top sets)	28	14	7	---	3	8	1	12	---	14	---	7
76 Orchard Grass	14	7	3	8	1	12	---	14	---	7	---	3½
77 Osage Orange Seed	33	16½	8	4	4	2	2	1	1	½	---	8¼
78 Parsnips	42	21	10	8	5	4	2	10	1	5	---	10½
79 Peaches	44	22	11	---	5	8	2	12	1	6	---	11
80 Peaches (dried)	33	16½	8	4	4	2	2	1	1	½	---	8¼
81 Peanuts	23	11½	5	12	2	14	1	7	---	11½	---	5¾
82 Pears	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
83 Peas (dry)	60	30	15	---	7	8	3	12	1	14	---	15
84 Peas (green, shelled).....	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
85 Peas (green, unshelled)...	30	15	7	8	3	12	1	14	---	15	---	7½

COMMODITY	BU. lb.	½ BU. lb.	PECK lb. oz.	½ PECK lb. oz.	¼ PECK lb. oz.	QUART lb. oz.	PINT lb. oz.
86 Peas (wrinkled)	56	28	14 ---	7 ---	3 8	1 12	--- 14
87 Plums	60	30	15 ---	7 8	3 12	1 14	--- 15
88 Potatoes (Irish)	60	30	15 ---	7 8	3 12	1 14	--- 15
89 Potatoes (sweet)	50	25	12 8	6 4	3 2	1 9	--- 12½
90 Quinces	48	24	12 ---	6 ---	3 ---	1 8	--- 12
91 Rape Seed	50	25	12 8	6 4	3 2	1 9	--- 12½
92 Raspberries	42	21	10 8	5 4	2 10	1 5	--- 10½
93 Red Top Grass Seed	14	7	3 8	1 12	--- 14	--- 7	--- 3½
94 Rice Corn (shelled)	56	28	14 ---	7 ---	3 8	1 12	--- 14
95 Rice Corn (unshelled)....	45	22½	11 4	5 10	2 13	1 6½	--- 11¼
96 Rutabagas	50	25	12 8	6 4	3 2	1 9	--- 12½

COMMODITY	BU.		$\frac{1}{2}$ BU.		PECK		$\frac{1}{2}$ PECK		$\frac{1}{4}$ PECK		QUART		PINT	
	lb.		lb.		lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.
97 Rye	56		28		14	---	7	---	3	8	1	12	---	14
98 Rye Meal	50		25		12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
99 Salt (coarse)	70		35		17	8	8	12	4	6	2	3	1	1 $\frac{1}{2}$
100 Salt (fine)	50		25		12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12 $\frac{1}{2}$
101 Sand	130		65		32	8	16	4	8	2	4	1	2	$\frac{1}{2}$
102 Shorts	20		10		5	---	2	8	1	4	---	10	---	5
103 Sorghum Seed	57		28 $\frac{1}{2}$		14	4	7	2	3	9	1	12 $\frac{1}{2}$	---	14 $\frac{1}{4}$
104 Spelt or Speltz	40		20		10	---	5	---	2	8	1	4	---	10
105 Spinach	15		7 $\frac{1}{2}$		3	12	1	14	---	15	---	7 $\frac{1}{2}$	---	3 $\frac{3}{4}$
106 Strawberries	42		21		10	8	5	4	2	10	1	5	---	10 $\frac{1}{2}$
107 Timothy Seed	45		22 $\frac{1}{2}$		11	4	5	10	2	13	1	6 $\frac{1}{2}$	---	1 $\frac{1}{4}$

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		lb.	lb.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.	lb.	oz.
108	Tomatoes _____	56	28	14	---	7	---	3	8	1	12	---	14
109	Turnips _____	55	27½	13	12	6	14	3	7	1	11½	---	13¾
110	Walnuts _____	50	25	12	8	6	4	3	2	1	9	---	12½
111	Wheat _____	60	30	15	---	7	8	3	12	1	14	---	15

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

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Chairman Senate Committee

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Originated in the Senate.

Takes effect *from* passage.

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The within *approved* this the *16th*

day of *March*, 1953.

William C. Macland
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