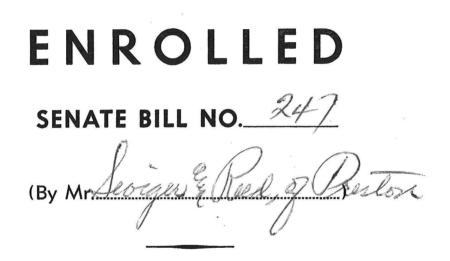
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ENROLLED Senate Bill No. 247

(By MESSRS. SWIGER and REED, of Preston)

[Passed March 14, 1953; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section eleven, article three, chapter seventeen-a of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the registration of motor vehicles according to permissible gross weight.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 11. Registration of Vehicles According to Per-2 missible Gross Weight.—The commissioner, upon regisEnr. S. B. No. 247]

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3 tering any truck, truck tractor, or road tractor, under 4 the laws of this state, may require such information and may make such investigation or test as necessary to en-5 able him to determine whether such motor vehicle may 6 safely be operated upon the highways in compliance with 7 8 all the provisions of law relating to such vehicles. He shall register every such vehicle for a permissible gross 9 10 weight under which the vehicle can, in his opinion, 11 safely be operated upon the highways, and, in any event, 12not exceeding the limitations set forth in chapter seven-13 teen-c of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine 14 hundred thirty-one, as amended.

The commissioner shall insert in the registration card 15 issued for every such motor vehicle the gross weight 16 for which it is registered, and if it is a motor vehicle 17 18 to be used for propelling other vehicles he shall sepa-19 rately insert the total permissible gross weight of such motor vehicle and other vehicles to be propelled by it. 2021The owner of each such vehicle shall stencil or paint the gross weight appearing on the registration card on the 2223 right side of such vehicle using letters and numerals at least two inches in height. The commissioner shall
also cause to be printed or stamped upon the registration card a statement that the vehicle although registered for the gross weight appearing on the registration
card is subject to the axle load limit set forth in chapter
seventeen-c of the code.

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

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