WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1953

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SENATE BILL NO. 326

(By M. Dean, Mr. Mesikent

PASSED MARCH 1953

In Effect Passage



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Senate Bill No. 326

(By Mr. Bean, Mr. President)

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

AN ACT to amend and reenact section three, article six, chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the powers of the state office building commission.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 3. Powers of the Commission.—The commis-

- 2 sion shall have power:
- 3 1. To sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded;
- 4 2. To have a seal and alter the same at pleasure;

- 5 3. To contract to acquire and to acquire, in the name
- 6 of the commission or of the state, by purchase or other-
- 7 wise, real property or rights or easements necessary or
- 8 convenient for its corporate purposes;
- 9 4. To acquire, hold and dispose of personal property
- 10 for its corporate purposes;
- 11 5. To make by-laws for the management and regula-
- 12 tion of its affairs;
- 13 6. With the consent of the attorney general of the
- 14 state of West Virginia to use the facilities of his office,
- 15 assistants and employees in all legal matters relating to
- 16 or pertaining to the commission;
- 17 7. To appoint officers, agents and employees, and fix
- 18 their compensation;
- 19 8. To make contracts, and to execute all instruments
- 20 necessary or convenient;
- 9. To renegotiate all contracts entered into by it when-
- 22 ever, due to a change in situation, it appears to the com-
- 23 mission that its interest will be best served;
- 24 10. To construct a building or buildings on real prop-
- 25 erty, which it may acquire, or which may be owned by

- 26 the state of West Virginia, in the city of Charleston, as
- 27 convenient as may be to the capitol building, together
- 28 with incidental approaches, structures and facilities, sub-
- 29 ject to such consent and approval of the city of Charles-
- 30 ton in any case as may be necessary;
- 31 11. To maintain, construct and operate the project;
- 32 12. To charge rentals for the use of any part of the
- 33 project, subject to and in accordance with such agree-
- 34 ments with bondholders as may be made as hereinafter
- 35 provided;
- 36 13. To issue negotiable bonds and to provide for the
- 37 rights of the holders thereof;
- 38 14. To enter on any lands and premises for the purpose
- 39 of making surveys, soundings and examinations;
- 40 15. To do all things necessary or convenient to carry
- 41 out the powers given in this article.

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