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AN ACT to amend article two, chapter fifteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto two new sections, designated sections three-a and three-b, relating to chaplain, turnpike, technical and other personnel of the department of public safety.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article two, chapter fifteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto two new sections, to be designated section three-a, and section three-b, to read as follows:

Section 3-a, Superintendent May Appoint Chaplains.—

- 2 The superintendent may also appoint for each company
- 3 not more than two chaplains, residing within the state
- 4 of West Virginia, who shall serve without pay, and may

- 5 not be required to perform any duties of members of the
- 6 department, nor shall any bond be required. The super-
- 7 intendent is authorized to furnish each such chaplain one
- 8 official uniform, with proper chaplain insignia, to be
- 9 worn at any ceremonious occasion conducted officially
- 10 by the department where the presence of a minister is
- 11 customary. Such chaplains may be reimbursed by the
- 12 superintendent from the department appropriation for
- 13 actual expenses incurred while traveling from their homes
- 14 to such ceremonies and return.

Sec. 3-b. Superintendent May Assign Members of The

- 2 Department to Perform Police Duty on Any Turnpike.—
- 3 The superintendent may also assign members of the de-
- 4 partment to perform police duties on any turnpike, or toll
- 5 road, or any section thereof, operated by the West Vir-
- 6 ginia turnpike commission, provided that such turnpike
- 7 commission shall reimburse the department for salaries
- 8 paid to such members, and shall either pay directly or
- 9 reimburse the department for all other expenses of such
- 10 group of members in accordance with actual or estimated
- 11 costs determined by the superintendent. The superin-

12 tendent may appoint commissioned and noncommissioned
13 officers of such group of members, but no greater number
14 of commissioned or noncommissioned officers of the vari15 ous ranks or grades shall be appointed than the number
16 prescribed in each rank or grade for any state police
17 company: Provided, however, That the provisions of sec18 tion three of this article as relate to the maximum and
19 minimum number of troopers in any state police company

20 or platoon shall not apply to this section.

The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled. Chairman Senate Committee Originated in the House of Delegates Clerk of the House of Delegates President of the Senate

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