

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1955

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SENATE BILL NO. 302

(By Mr. Smith)

PASSED March 11 1955

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AN ACT finding and declaring the claim of Bobby Joe Edmonds
an infant, against the state of West Virginia and its agency,
the state road commission, to be a moral obligation of the
state and directing the auditor to issue a warrant for the
payment thereof.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

Section 1. *Finding and Declaring the Payment of the*
2 *Claim of Bobby Joe Edmonds Against the State Road*
3 *Commission to be the Moral Obligation of the State, and*
4 *Directing Payment Thereof.*—The Legislature has con-
5 sidered the findings of fact and the recommendations re-
6 ported to it by the attorney general of the State of West

7 Virginia, concerning the claim of Bobby Joe Edmonds, an
8 infant, for personal injuries occasioned by the said claim-
9 ant on October twenty-third, one thousand nine hundred
10 fifty-two, as a direct result of the negligence of employees
11 of the state road commission in permitting gasoline to
12 remain open and unguarded in an empty bucket on Fourth
13 Avenue, a public street in the city of Huntington, West
14 Virginia, where children, including the claimant, were
15 rightfully playing and that this gasoline was ignited and
16 caused severe burns to the right leg of the claimant, caus-
17 ing him permanent injuries and necessitating skin graft-
18 ing, medical and hospital expense, and in respect to the
19 said claim the Legislature declares it to be the moral
20 obligation of the state to pay the said claim of Bobby Joe
21 Edmonds in the amount of one thousand five hundred
22 dollars and hereby directs the auditor to issue a warrant
23 for the payment thereof.

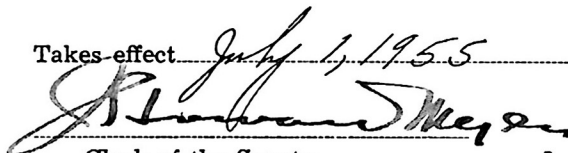
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

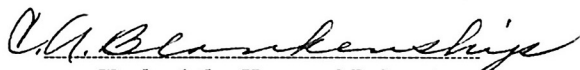

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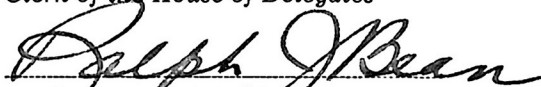

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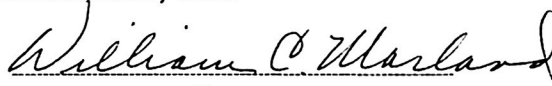

Clerk of the Senate


Clerk of the House of Delegates


President of the Senate


Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 16
day of March, 1955.


Governor.



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