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SENATE BILL NO. 336

(By Mr. Thurston)

PASSED March 11 1955

In Effect from Passage

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of West Virginia MAR 18 1955
D. PITT O'BRIEN
SECRETARY OF STATE

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Senate Bill No. 336
(By MR. TRAUBERT)

(By request of the Joint Committee on Government and
Finance and Commission on Interstate Cooperation)

[Passed March 11, 1955; in effect from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section twenty-two, article five,
chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand
nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the
powers of the director of the budget in the administration
of expenditures.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

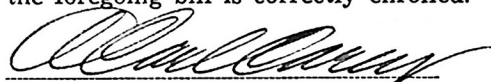
Section 22. *Powers of the Director in the Administra-*

tion of Expenditures.—The director shall supervise and control the expenditure of appropriations made by the Legislature except those made to the Legislature and those made to the judicial branch of the state government. The expenditure of an appropriation made by the Legislature shall be conditioned upon compliance by the spending unit with the provisions of this article. An appropriation made by the Legislature shall be expended only in accordance with this article.

For the purposes of budgetary control of expenditures under his supervision and control, the director shall continually examine the spending methods of all units of state government and may require them to answer such questions with respect thereto as he may deem necessary. Whenever any spending unit submits a requisition for any expenditure which, in the opinion of the director, is illegal, or unauthorized, or contrary to the intent of the Legislature in making the appropriation from which the proposed expenditure is to be made, he shall refuse to approve the requisition. If the spending unit wishes

22 to appeal the decision of the director, the matter shall
23 first be submitted to the legislative auditor for his opin-
24 ion. If as a result no satisfactory solution is reached, the
25 matter shall be submitted to the attorney general for
26 his opinion.

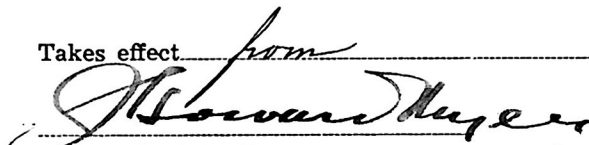
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.


Chairman Senate Committee

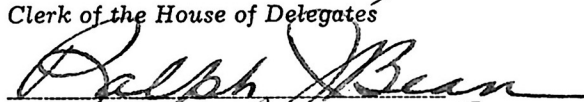

Chairman House Committee

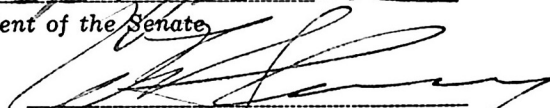
Originated in the Senate.

Takes effect from _____ passage.



Clerk of the Senate


Clerk of the House of Delegates


President of the Senate


Speaker House of Delegates

The within Vermed this the 16th
day of March, 1955.


Governor.



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