

# WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1957



# ENROLLED

HOUSE BILL No. 28

(By Mr. Carr)



PASSED Feb 5, 1957

In Effect 90 days from Passage



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AN ACT to amend article three, chapter twenty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section two-b, making it lawful for a landowner, members of his family and his tenants to carry a gun at any time incident to their pursuits in caring for livestock and poultry on such landowner's lands.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

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

Section 2-b. *Carrying Gun on Landowner's Land.*—

- 2 Notwithstanding any other provisions of this chapter, it
- 3 shall be lawful for a bona fide resident landowner of this
- 4 state, any member of said landowner's family and any

5 bona fide tenant of said landowner, to carry an uncased  
6 gun at any time, whether accompanied by or without a  
7 dog, in their regular pursuits in caring for and looking  
8 after such landowner's livestock or poultry on his land  
9 and on any lands leased or rented by him for livestock or  
10 poultry husbandry purposes.

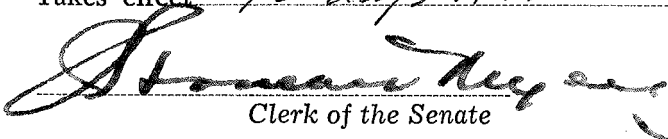
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

  
Chairman Senate Committee

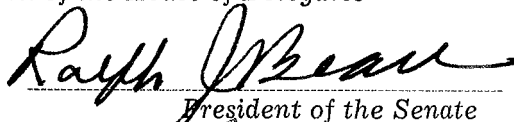
  
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Originated in the House of Delegates

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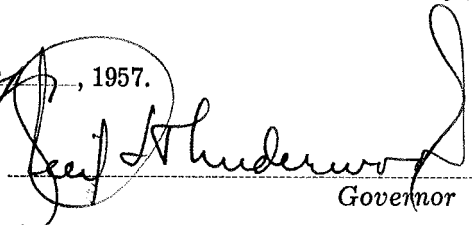
  
Clerk of the Senate

  
Clerk of the House of Delegates

  
President of the Senate

  
Speaker, House of Delegates

The within approved this the 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of February, 1957.

  
Governor



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SECRETARY OF STATE