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(By Mr. Magtid)

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(By Mr. Martin)

[Passed February 13, 1959; in effect from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section four-d, article three, chapter twenty-nine of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the powers and duties of the state fire marshal within certain municipalities.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 4-d. Certain Municipalities Exempt Except as to

- 2 Certain Buildings.—The powers herein granted in sec-
- 3 tions four-a, four-b and four-c shall not be exercised, ex-

cept as to public and private school buildings, including colleges and universities, public and private hospitals and nursing homes and buildings owned or operated by or for 6 the state of West Virginia or any division or agency there-7 of or public corporation performing any function of the state other than municipalities, within any municipality 10 which has adopted, or which shall hereafter upon the re-11 quest of the fire marshal adopt, ordinances by which the 12 fire chief or other appropriate municipal officer is given 13 substantially the same powers contained in said sections four-a, four-b and four-c; but the powers granted the state 14 15 fire marshal by sections four-a, four-b and four-c shall 16 continue to be exercised exclusively by the state fire mar-17 shal within each such municipality with respect to public 18 and private school buildings, including colleges and uni-19 versities, public and private hospitals and nursing homes, 20 and buildings owned or operated by or for the state of 21 West Virginia or any division or agency thereof or public 22 corporation performing any function of the state other 23 than municipalities, located within each such municipality. Any fire hazard found within any excepted building 24

- 25 by any municipal fire department shall be reported by it
- 26 to the state fire marshal.

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

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