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SENATE BILL NO. 81

(By Mr. Taylor and Mr. Bowers)

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AN ACT to amend article two, chapter seven of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section designated section six, relating to the establishment, recognition and preservation of boundary lines between the several counties of the state and requiring the filing of certain maps in connection therewith.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 6. *Establishment of County Boundary Lines; Filing of Maps; Changes.*—The boundary lines between the several counties of the state shall be established in the following manner: Topographic quadrangle maps prepared by the United States geological survey and the West Virginia geological and economic survey in conformance with prior acts of the general assembly of Virginia, acts of the Legislature of West Virginia and other applicable provisions of law, shall be filed by the state geologist with the secretary of state of West Virginia and shall thereafter constitute the official boundary lines between the said counties: *Provided, however,* That said boundary lines shall be located, plotted and delineated upon said maps together with any other pertinent information with reference thereto and each of said maps shall be certified as correct by the director and state geologist of the West Virginia geological and economic survey prior to such filing. Certified copies of all such maps shall be filed with the legislative auditor for use in the legislative library and a certified copy of each county map shall be filed in the office of the clerk of the county

22 court of that county and recorded in an appropriate deed
23 book or plat book.

24 All county boundary lines which are or may be estab-
25 lished by metes and bounds (by bearings and distances
26 between monuments) by the Legislature or pursuant to
27 section one of this article shall constitute an official change
28 in such boundary line or lines and the director and state
29 geologist of the West Virginia geological and economic
30 survey shall promptly locate, plat and delineate such
31 change upon the applicable map or maps and certify and
32 file such change as aforesaid.

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

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Originated in the Senate.

Takes effect *90 days from* ----- passage.

Howard Meyer

Clerk of the Senate

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The within *approved* this the *19th*
day of *February*, 1959.

W. H. Anderson

Governor

