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SENATE BILL NO. 4

(By Mr. CARSON, Mr. President,
and Mr. Moreland)

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AN ACT to amend article eleven, chapter eighteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section nine-a, relating to the continuation and operation of a coal research bureau at West Virginia University.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Article II. West Virginia University.

Section 9-a. Coal Research Bureau.—The coal research
2 bureau, heretofore established in the school of mines at
3 West Virginia University, shall be continued. Subject to
4 such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the
5 board of governors, the director and staff of the bureau,
6 under the supervision and direction of the dean of the
7 school of mines, shall initiate and carry on a program of
8 research designed to discover and develop new uses and
9 new markets for West Virginia coal.

10 The costs of financing the research program shall be
11 paid from any funds appropriated by the Legislature for
12 the purpose, from any grants or gifts received by the
13 bureau, and from any income received for research car-
14 ried on by the bureau under contract with any federal or
15 state agency, or with any private corporation, association
16 or individual. Within the limits of available funds, re-
17 search activities may be conducted by the bureau itself,
18 or under contract with some other research group, cor-
19 poration or individual whenever this is deemed advisable.
20 In order to avoid wasteful duplication, the research

21 program shall be carried on in close cooperation with the
22 federal bureau of mines, the state department of mines,
23 the planning and research division of the state depart-
24 ment of commerce, and with other appropriate agencies,
25 research organizations and establishments. The bureau
26 shall from time to time publish and distribute to inter-
27 ested persons and agencies reports of its activities, find-
28 ings and recommendations.

29 An "Advisory Committee on Coal Research", consisting
30 of not less than four members, shall be appointed by the
31 governor to serve at his will and pleasure. It shall be
32 the duty of the committee to advise and counsel with the
33 university concerning the program of the coal research
34 bureau, and to make such recommendations to the gover-
35 nor and the Legislature concerning the support of the
36 program as the committee may deem advisable.

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

James Davis, 2nd
Chairman Senate Committee

Mr J W Withrow
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

Takes effect From passage.

Howard Meyer
Clerk of the Senate

C A Blankenship
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Howard Holman
President of the Senate

Julius Bingleton Jr
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 26th
day of January, 1962.

W W Barron
Governor

