

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1963



ENROLLED

HOUSE BILL No. 525

(By Mr. Poindester & Mr. Corder)



PASSED March 6, 1963

In Effect Ninety Days from Passage



Filed in Office of the Secretary of State
of West Virginia 3-15-63

JOE F. BURDETT
SECRETARY OF STATE

525

ENROLLED
House Bill No. 525
(By MR. POINDEXTER and MR. CORDER)

[Passed March 6, 1963; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section ten, article one, chapter sixteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to authorization of the state department of health, division of dental health, to assume direction and supervision of dental services in state institutions.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 10. Supervision of State Health Institutions.—

- 2 The state department of health shall have the advisory
- 3 medical supervision of Denmark, Berkeley Springs, Pine-

4 crest, Hopemont, and all other state sanitariums for the
5 treatment of tuberculosis or chronic diseases; and Fair-
6 mont and Welch emergency hospitals; and the depart-
7 ment of public institutions shall have the control of the
8 business and fiscal affairs thereof.

9 The director of the bureau of tuberculosis of the state
10 department of health, under the supervision of the state
11 board of health shall encourage measures for the sup-
12 pression of tuberculosis, such as clinics, camps, open-air
13 schools, sanitariums, district nursing, anti-tuberculosis so-
14 cieties, diffusion of knowledge and other means.

15 The state department of health through its division of
16 dental health is authorized by the reenactment of this
17 section to assume the direction and supervision of the
18 dental services of all of the state institutions now directed
19 and supervised by the department of public institutions,
20 and dental services of all state mental hospitals now under
21 the direction and supervision of the department of mental
22 health.

23 The department of public institutions and the depart-
24 ment of mental health are hereby authorized to transfer

25 the funds of their respective departments budgeted and
26 approved by the state Legislature for dental services to
27 the state department of health, division of dental health
28 budget, to provide dentists, dental hygienists, other per-
29 sonnel and for the purchase of equipment and supplies to
30 provide dental services for this population group.

31 The state department of health, division of dental
32 health, is hereby authorized to receive such funds as
33 transferred by the department of public institutions and
34 the department of mental health to be added to other
35 state or federal funds now being used by the state depart-
36 ment of health, division of dental health, for general dental
37 health services.

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

O Ray Parker
Chairman Senate Committee

Ethel L. Crandall
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Howard Myers
Clerk of the Senate

A Blankenship
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Howard Roberson
President of the Senate

Julius W. Slaughter
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 14th
day of March, 1963.

Howard Roberson
Governor

