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AN ACT to amend and reenact section seven, article fifteen, chapter thirty-one of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the West Virginia industrial development authority, and loans to industrial development agencies.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 7. Loans to Industrial Development Agencies.—

2 When it has been determined by the authority upon application of an industrial development agency and upon hearing thereon in the manner hereinafter provided that
the establishment of a particular industrial development project (of such industrial development agency) in a critical economic area has accomplished or will accomplish the public purposes of this article, the authority may contract to loan such industrial development agency an amount not in excess of thirty per cent of the cost, or estimated cost, of such industrial development project, as established or to be established, subject, however, to the following conditions.

(A) Industrial development projects to be established.

1. The authority shall have first determined that the industrial development agency holds funds in an amount equal to, or property of a value equal to, not less than twenty per cent of the estimated cost of establishing the industrial development project, which funds or property are available for and shall be applied to the establishment of such project; and

2. The authority shall have also determined that the industrial development agency has obtained from other independent and responsible sources, such as banks and insurance companies or otherwise, a firm commitment for
all other funds, over and above the loan of the authority
and such funds or property as the industrial development
agency may hold, necessary for payment of all the esti-
mated cost of establishing the industrial development
project, and that the sum of all these funds is adequate
to insure completion and operation of the industrial de-
velopment project.

(B) Industrial development projects established with
initial authority loan participation.

1. The authority shall have first determined that the
industrial development agency has expended funds in
an amount equal to, or has applied property of a value
equal to, not less than twenty per cent of the cost of
establishing the industrial development project; and

2. The authority shall have also determined that the
industrial development agency obtained from other in-
dependent and responsible sources, such as banks and in-
surance companies or otherwise, other funds necessary
for payment of all the cost of establishing the industrial
development project, and that the industrial develop-
ment agency participation and these funds, has been ade-
quate to insure completion and operation of the industrial development project: Provided, That the proceeds of any loan made by the authority to the industrial development agency pursuant to this subsection (B) shall be used only for the establishment of additional industrial development projects in furtherance of the public purposes of this article.

Any such loan of the authority shall be for such period of time and shall bear interest at such rate as shall be determined by the authority and shall be secured by bond of the industrial development agency and by deed of trust on the industrial development project for which such loan was made, such deed of trust to be second and subordinate only to the deed of trust securing the first lien obligation issued to secure the commitment of funds from the aforesaid independent and responsible sources and used in the financing of the industrial development project.

Moneys so loaned by the authority to industrial development agencies shall be withdrawn from the industrial development fund and paid over to the industrial develop-
ment agency in such manner as shall be provided and pre-
scribed by the rules and regulations of the authority.

All payments of interest on said loans and the prin-
cipal thereof shall be deposited by the authority in the
industrial development fund.

Loans by the authority to an industrial development
agency for an industrial development project shall be
made only in the manner and to the extent as in this
section provided, except, however, in those instances
wherein an agency of the federal government participates
in the financing of an industrial development project by
loan, grant, or otherwise, or in those instances where any
bank, insurance company, lending agency, or combination
thereof, participates in any industrial development proj-
ject in an amount equal to sixty per cent of the cost of
the project. Where any bank, insurance company, lend-
ing agency, or combination thereof, participates in an
amount equal to sixty per cent of the cost of the indus-
trial development project, the authority may adjust the
required ratios of financial participation by the local in-
dustrial development agency to an amount not less than
89 ten per cent of the estimated cost of establishing the in-
90 dustrial development project. When any federal agency
91 participates, the authority may adjust the required ratios
92 of financial participation by the industrial development
93 agency, the source of independent funds and the authority
94 in such a manner as to insure the maximum benefit avail-
95 able to the industrial development agency, the authority,
96 or both, by the participation of the federal agency. When
97 ratios are adjusted in the manner set forth above, no such
98 adjustment shall be made which shall cause the authority
99 to grant a loan to the industrial development agency in
100 excess of thirty per cent of the cost, or estimated cost of
101 the industrial development project.
102 Where any federal agency participating in the financ-
103 ing of an industrial development project is not permitted
104 to take as security for such participation a deed of trust
105 the lien of which is junior to the deed of trust of the
106 authority, the authority shall, in such instances, be au-
107 thorized to take as security for its loan to the industrial
108 development agency a deed of trust junior in lien to that
109 of the federal agency.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

Takes effect from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

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

Governor