WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1965

ENROLLED
SENATE BILL NO. 40

(By Mr. Mullins)

PASSED February 10, 1965

In Effect January 1, 1965 Passage

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF
JOE F. BURDETT
SECRETARY OF STATE
THIS DATE 2-17-65
AN ACT to amend and reenact section four-a, article three, chapter thirty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the biennial registration of physicians and surgeons.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Section 4-a. Biennial Registration of Physicians and Surgeons.—Every person who, on or before the thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine, is licensed as a physician or surgeon to practice medicine and surgery in this state, shall, on or before the said
thirty-first day of August, one thousand nine hundred forty-nine, make application to the medical licensing board for registration, and shall be registered by the said board, as the holder of such license, which registration shall be for the period ending on the thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred fifty-one. On or before the said thirtieth day of June, one thousand nine hundred fifty-one, and biennially thereafter, on or before the thirtieth day of June of each biennial period, every person licensed as a physician or surgeon in this state, shall apply to the said board for registration, or a renewal of registration, as such license holder: Provided, That no registration shall be required of any holder of a certificate of licensure for the biennial period, or any portion thereof, during which such certificate is issued.

Each applicant for registration or renewal thereof shall remit to the board, with his application, a fee of five dollars.

The failure of any person to comply with the provisions of this section shall operate automatically, and without further proceedings, to cancel the certificate of such per-
son, and the license issued thereunder. Continued practice
by any such person after such cancellation of his certifi-
cate and license shall constitute practicing without a
license, and any person so practicing shall be subject to
all of the penalties provided by law for practicing without
a license.

Any certificate and license cancelled pursuant to the
provisions of this section, and not for any other reason,
shall be reinstated by the said board upon submission
to it of an application for registration by the person whose
certificate has been cancelled, together with current and
delinquent fees, and ten dollars reinstatement fee.
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 July 1, 1965 Passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 17

day of February, 1965.

Governor
Presented to the Governor's Office

Feb. 16, 1945
10:34 a.m.