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House Bill No. 275
(By Mr. Holliday and Mrs. Withrow)

[Passed February 7, 1966; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section three, article twenty-two, chapter sixteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the detection of phenylketonuria in newborn children.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

Article 22. Detection and Control of Phenylketonuria in Newborn Children.

Section 3. Tests for Phenylketonuria; Reports; Assistance to Afflicted Children.—The physician attending a
newborn child or any person attending a newborn child not under the care of a physician shall cause to be made a test for phenylketonuria approved by the state department of health. Any test found positive for phenylketonuria shall be promptly reported to the state department of health by the director of the laboratory performing such test.

The state department of health, in cooperation with other state departments and agencies, and with attending physicians, is authorized to provide medical, dietary and related assistance to children determined to be afflicted with phenylketonuria.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

O. Roy Parker
Chairman Senate Committee

James W. Hoop
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

J.B. Blankenship
Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

Howard H. Carson
President of the Senate

H. Leman White
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 14th day of February, 1966.

Steuart C. Smith
Governor