WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1967

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HOUSE BILL No. 940

(By Mr. Myles)

PASSED March 9, 1967

In Effect ninety days from Passage

FILED IN THE OFFICE
ROBERT D. BAILEY
SECRETARY OF STATE
THIS DATE 3-20-67
AN ACT to amend article one, chapter four of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section nineteen, and to amend and reenact section six, article eight, chapter fifty-one of said code, all relating to distribution of the acts of the Legislature.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article one, chapter four of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated section nineteen, and that section six, article eight, chapter fifty-one of said code, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:
§4-1-19. Distribution of acts of the Legislature.

1 Free distribution of the acts and resolutions of each
2 session of the Legislature, and other matter directed by
3 law to be published therewith, shall be made as follows
4 by the clerk of the house of delegates: One copy to the
5 judge of each court in this state; one copy each to the
6 judge, clerk and district attorney of every United States
7 district court of this state; one copy to every prosecuting
8 attorney, sheriff, assessor, county superintendent of free
9 schools, president of the county court, circuit clerk,
10 county clerk and justices of the peace; five copies to the
11 governor; six copies to the attorney general; two copies
12 each to the secretary of state, auditor, state superintend-
13 ent of free schools, treasurer and commissioner of agri-
14 culture; four copies to the public service commission;
15 one copy to each executive department head, requesting
16 the same; ten copies to the clerk of the senate, one for
his own use, and the others to be kept in his office for
the use of the senate; ten copies to each member of the
Legislature, one for his own use and others for distribu-
tion; ten copies to the college of law of West Virginia
University; one copy to each public institution of the
state; three copies to the librarian of Congress, one for
the library and one for each house of Congress; one copy
to each senator and representative in Congress from this
state; one copy to each county law library; and one copy
to each college and university in the state. The clerk
shall retain ten copies in his own office, one for his own
use and the others to be kept in his office for the use of
the house.

All of the copies named in this section shall be sent by
mail, express or otherwise as the clerk may deem best.
The acts to which officers of a county may be entitled
shall be forwarded to the clerk of the county court
thereof and shall be delivered by him to the officers en-
titled to receive the same. Upon receipt of such acts by
him, the clerk of the county court shall forward his
37 receipt therefor to the clerk of the house of delegates
38 specifying the number received, and he shall require
39 each person receiving a copy of such acts from him to sign
40 a receipt therefor in a book to be kept by him for that
41 purpose. The remaining copies of the acts shall be in the
42 custody of the division of purchases, department of
43 finance and administration, and be sold and disposed of
44 as provided in section thirty-one, article three, chapter
45 five-a of this code.
46 The clerk may cause a copy of such acts to be furnished
47 to any officer, board, commission, institution or tribunal
48 not named herein.

CHAPTER 51. COURTS AND THEIR OFFICERS
ARTICLE 8. STATE LAW LIBRARIES.
§51-8-6. Distribution of acts of the Legislature.
1 The librarian shall arrange as far as possible with each
2 of the other states for the exchange of two copies of the
3 acts of the West Virginia Legislature for acts of the
4 legislatures of each state, one of which copies received
5 from each state shall be deposited in the state law library
6 at Charleston, one copy in the library of the college of
7 law of West Virginia University, and the other copies
8 if any, so received from any other state, to be disposed
9 of as the supreme court of appeals shall direct.
10 The division of purchases, department of finance and
11 administration, upon requisition of the librarian, shall,
12 without cost, furnish such librarian with sufficient copies
13 of the acts to make the exchanges provided for by this
14 section.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

William Tampas
Chairman Senate Committee

Clayton C. Davidson
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

J. Howard McGee
Clerk of the Senate

C. W. Jarrell
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Howard E. Carro
President of the Senate

W. Jaban White
Speaker House of Delegates

The within ______________________ this the ________
day of ______________, 1967.

Herbert C. Smith
Governor
PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR

Date  3/12/62
Time  3:02 P.M.