

# WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1967

## ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 78

(By Mr. Mc Court)

PASSED March 19 1967

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SECRETARY OF STATE  
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**ENROLLED**

**Senate Bill No. 78**

**(By MR. McCOURT)**

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[Passed March 10, 1967; in effect July 1, 1967.]

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AN ACT to repeal section six-a, article one-a, chapter twenty-five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended; and to amend article eleven, chapter eighteen of said code, by adding thereto a new section, designated section nine-b, relating to the establishment and operation of branch colleges by the board of governors of West Virginia university.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

That section six-a, article one-a, chapter twenty-five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be repealed, and that article eleven, chapter eighteen of said code be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated section nine-b, to read as follows:

**ARTICLE 11. WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY.****§18-11-9b. Establishment and operation of branch colleges.**

The board of governors is hereby authorized and empowered to continue to operate and maintain any branch colleges it has established under the authority of section six-a, article one-a, chapter twenty-five of this code, and to establish, maintain and operate such other branch colleges as it may deem advisable: *Provided*, That programs of education offered in such branch colleges, whether established or continued hereunder, shall not exceed two-year liberal arts programs and/or terminal occupational education and adult education programs.

No funds shall be expended by the board for the operation or maintenance of, or capital improvements for, any such branch college, whether established or continued hereunder, except funds provided by students fees, federal grants, county boards of education, other local governmental bodies, corporations or persons, or funds appropriated by the Legislature expressly for such purpose or purposes. Except for the use of funds provided by student fees, federal grants or those appropriated by the

20 Legislature expressly for such purposes, the burden of  
21 providing satisfactory and acceptable capital improve-  
22 ments for such colleges shall be upon such governmental  
23 bodies, corporations or persons, and the board may enter  
24 into memoranda of agreements with such governmental  
25 bodies, corporations, or persons for the use of local plant  
26 facilities and/or grants or contributions toward the cost  
27 of the acquisition or construction of such facilities. Such  
28 local governmental bodies may convey capital improve-  
29 ments, or lease the same without monetary consideration,  
30 to the board for use as a branch college, and the board  
31 may accept such facilities, or the use or lease thereof, or  
32 such grants or contributions, for such purpose from such  
33 governmental bodies, the federal government or any cor-  
34 poration or person.

35 The board may fix enrollment, tuition and other fees to  
36 be charged students enrolling in such branch colleges,  
37 retaining the same in a revolving fund for the partial or  
38 full support of the branch at which they were collected,  
39 including the making of capital improvements.

40 The board may also charge any one or more of the fol-

41   lowing fees at such branches: (1) health service fees;  
42   (2) infirmary fees; and (3) student activities, recreational,  
43   athletic and extra-curricular fees. All fees collected under  
44   (1), (2) and (3) shall be paid into special funds and shall  
45   be used only for the purposes for which they were col-  
46   lected.

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

William Tongan  
Chairman Senate Committee

Clayton C. Davidson  
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

To take effect July 1, 1967.

John H. Meyer  
Clerk of the Senate

C. A. Blankenship  
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Howard E. Carson  
President of the Senate

H. Laban White  
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 17  
day of March, 1967.

Hullett C. Smith  
Governor



PRESENTED TO THE  
GOVERNOR

Date

3/17/67

Time

9:30 am