

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
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ENROLLED

HOUSE BILL No. 564

(By Mrs. Wethrow and Mr. Burke)



PASSED Feb. 28, 1969

In Effect Thirty days from Passage



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JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, IV
SECRETARY OF STATE
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[Passed February 28, 1969; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact article nine, chapter twenty-six of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to Hopemont State Hospital.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 9. HOPEMONT STATE HOSPITAL.

§26-9-1. Establishment; name and location; management; qualification and appointment of superintendent.

- 1 Hopemont State Hospital, heretofore established, shall
- 2 be continued as a hospital for both chronically ill and

3 infirm, which hospital shall be managed, directed and
4 controlled as prescribed in article one, chapter twenty-
5 five of this code. The chief executive officer thereof shall
6 be the superintendent, who shall be a regularly qualified
7 physician, shall be a person of good executive ability and
8 shall be appointed by the governor by and with the ad-
9 vice and consent of the Senate.

§26-9-2. Eligibility for admission of patients.

1 All persons meeting requirements for admission to
2 Denmar State Hospital pursuant to the provisions of
3 section two, article six of this chapter, or requirements
4 for admission to Andrew S. Rowan Memorial Home, pur-
5 suant to the provisions of section two, article three of
6 this chapter, shall be eligible for admission to Hopemont
7 State Hospital pursuant to such rules and regulations
8 regarding admissions as may be promulgated by the
9 commissioner of public institutions.

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

William Tompa
Chairman Senate Committee

Clayton C. Davidson
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Howard Keyes
Clerk of the Senate

W. A. Blankenship
Clerk of the House of Delegates

L. B. Johnson
President of the Senate

Sam F. Ruess
Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved this the 11th
day of March, 1969.

Arch. A. Shaver, Jr.
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE
GOVERNOR

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