WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
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HOUSE BILL No. 737

(By Mr. Perry)

PASSED March 11, 1972

In Effect 90 days from Passage
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AN ACT to amend article one, chapter seven of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section three-p, authorizing and empowering the county court of any county to require permits for the occupancy of any mobile home or house trailer; providing for the issuance of such permits by the assessor of any such county; authorizing the assessor to prescribe forms; authorizing fees for such permits; specifying that such fees shall become a part of the county treasury; and providing criminal offenses and penalties.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article one, chapter seven of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated section three-p, to read as follows:

ARTICLE 1. COUNTY COURTS GENERALLY.

§7-1-3p. Authority of county court to require permits for mobile homes or house trailers; penalty.

1 The county court of any county is hereby authorized 2 and empowered to require by order entered of record 3 that no person shall locate, place or maintain for resi- 4 dency purposes a mobile home or house trailer, excluding 5 motor homes, travel trailers and camper vehicles, in such
county for more than thirty days until the owner of
such mobile home or house trailer shall have first obtained
a permit to do so from the assessor of such county. Such
permit shall be for information purposes and an appli-
cation for any such permit shall be made upon such forms
as may be prescribed by the assessor. A fee not exceeding
two dollars, to be fixed by the county court by order
entered of record, may be charged by the assessor for
the issuance of any such permit. All fees so collected
shall become a part of the county treasury.
Any person violating any such county court order shall
be guilty of a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof,
shall be fined not less than ten nor more than one hundred
dollars. Justices of the peace shall have concurrent juris-
diction with courts of record with criminal jurisdiction
of any offense under this section.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Russell F. Beall
Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Howard McIvor
Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

E. H. McComas
President of the Senate

Lewis M. Massey
Speaker House of Delegates

The within _______ Approved ______ this the 27th day of _______ March ______, 1972.

Governor