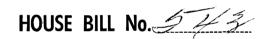


### WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

**REGULAR SESSION, 1973** 

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## House Bill No. 543

(By Mr. Speaker, Mr. McManus)

[Passed April 14, 1973; in effect ninety days from passage.]

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 ten-a, relating to filling vacancies in the offices of president of the Senate and speaker of the House of Delegates.

#### 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 ten-a, to read as follows:

#### ARTICLE 1. OFFICERS, MEMBERS AND EMPLOYEES; APPROPRIA-TIONS; INVESTIGATIONS; DISPLAY OF FLAGS; RECORDS; USE OF CAPITOL BUILDING.

## §4-1-10a. Filling vacancies in the office of presiding officer of the two houses.

- 1 In case of a vacancy in the office of president of the Senate
- 2 or speaker of the House of Delegates, when the Legislature is

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- not in session, resulting from death, resignation or any othercause, the governor shall by proclamation convene the house
- 5 in which the vacancy exists in session within ten days after such
- vacancy occurs for the purpose of choosing a presiding officer as provided by section twenty-four, article six of the constitu-6
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The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

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