

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1973



ENROLLED

HOUSE BILL No. 734

By Mr. McCuskey and
(By Mr. Shingleton)



PASSED March 21, 1973

In Effect Ninety days from Passage



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FILED IN THE OFFICE
REGAR F. HEISKELL III
SECRETARY OF STATE
THIS DATE 3-29-73

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AN ACT to amend article six, chapter sixteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section twenty-five, relating to public health; regulation of microwave ovens; notice to persons having heart pacemakers; powers and duties of state director of health and county and combined local ~~and municipal health departments~~ boards of health.

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W. B. Lamberson
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Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 6. HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS.

§16-6-25. Microwave ovens.

- 1 Any restaurant, hotel, motel, dining room, hospital, snack
- 2 bar or any food dispensing facility utilizing a microwave oven
- 3 shall prominently display a public notice in the following
- 4 words:
- 5 "NOTICE TO PERSONS HAVING HEART PACEMAK-
- 6 ERS: This Establishment Uses A Microwave Oven."
- 7 The state director of health shall be responsible for admin-
- 8 istering this section. He may delegate the duties to any county

9 boards of health or combined local boards of health.

10 The state health department shall purchase such notices
11 assuring a uniform size and color of the notices.

12 Any person, firm or corporation who shall violate any pro-
13 vision of this section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and,
14 upon conviction thereof, shall be fined not less than one hun-
15 dred dollars nor more than five hundred dollars.

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

H. Merrill Darby
Chairman Senate Committee

Lawrence H. Chastant, Jr.
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Howard W. Barron
Clerk of the Senate

C. A. Blankenship
Clerk of the House of Delegates

H. T. Brotherton, Jr.
President of the Senate

Lewis H. McManus
Speaker House of Delegates

The within *approved* this the *28th*
March
day of _____, 1973.

Arch A. Shouse, Jr.
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE
GOVERNOR

Date 3/26/73

Time 12:40 p.m.