WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1974

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HOUSE BILL No. 1032

(By Mr. Shaw)

PASSED March 9, 1974

In Effect 90 days after Passage

Filed in the office of Edgar F. Heiskell, III, Secretary of State, this date 3-19-74
AN ACT to amend and reenact section seventeen, article fifteen, chapter seventeen-c of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the equipping of public utility maintenance vehicles with more than one spot lamp.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 15. EQUIPMENT.

§17C-15-17. Spot lamps and other auxiliary lamps.

1 (a) **Spot lamps.**—Any motor vehicle except a public utility company maintenance vehicle may be equipped with not to exceed one spot lamp and every lighted spot lamp shall be so aimed and used upon approaching another vehicle that no part of the high-intensity portion of the beam will be directed to the left of the prolongation of the extreme left side of the vehicle nor more than one hundred feet ahead of the vehicle. A public utility company maintenance vehicle may be equipped with more than one spot lamp but all lighted spot lamps shall be aimed and used in conformity to the requirements of this subsection.

12 (b) **Fog lamps.**—Any motor vehicle may be equipped with
not to exceed two fog lamps mounted on the front at a
height not less than twelve inches nor more than thirty inches
above the level surface upon which the vehicle stands and
so aimed that when the vehicle is not loaded none of the
high-intensity portion of the light to the left of the center
of the vehicle shall at a distance of twenty-five feet ahead
project higher than a level of four inches below the level
of the center of the lamp from which it comes.

(c) **Auxiliary passing lamp.**—Any motor vehicle may be
equipped with not to exceed one auxiliary passing lamp
mounted on the front at a height not less than twenty-four
inches nor more than forty-two inches above the level
surface upon which the vehicle stands and every auxiliary
passing lamp shall meet the requirements and limitations set
forth in this article.

(d) **Auxiliary driving lamp.**—Any motor vehicle may be
equipped with not to exceed one auxiliary driving lamp
mounted on the front at a height not less than sixteen
inches nor more than forty-two inches above the level surface
upon which the vehicle stands and every such auxiliary driving
lamp shall meet the requirements and limitations set forth
in this article.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the House.
Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within approved) this the 18th
day of March, 1974.

Governor
PRESENTED TO THE
GOVERNOR

Date  3/15/74
Time  2:50 p.m.