WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1974

ENROLLED
Committee Substitute for
SENATE BILL NO. 81

(By Mr. Hamilton and Mr. Williams)

PASSED March 7, 1974

In Effect from Passage

FILED IN THE OFFICE
EDGAR F. NISSELL III
SECRETARY OF STATE
THIS DATE 3-28-74
AN ACT to amend chapter eighteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated article twenty-two-c, relating to state aid to eligible students attending Greenbrier College of Osteopathic Medicine, and declaration of legislative policy.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 22C. STATE AID FOR STUDENTS ATTENDING GREENBRIER COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE.

§18-22C-1. Legislative intent.

1 The Legislature declares that there exists within the state of West Virginia the Greenbrier College of Osteopathic Medicine which is an accredited, private institution of graduate study for the purpose of training doctors of osteopathic medicine. This article, therefore, is adopted as a measure of providing additional graduate education opportunities to citizens of the state of West Virginia.

§18-22C-2. State aid for students of osteopathy.

1 The board of regents is hereby authorized to enter into a contract with the Greenbrier College of Osteopathic Medicine to offer training in osteopathic medicine, by the
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terms of which the board of regents may obligate itself to pay such institution within the limits of any appropriation made for the purpose, a stated amount per year for each West Virginia student the institution will agree to accept for training in osteopathic medicine.

The board of regents shall each year send to the Greenbrier College of Osteopathic Medicine a certified list of all persons, applying to the board for training in osteopathic medicine, who are bona fide citizens and residents of this state prior to the filing of their applications, and who have completed either within or without the state the course of study required by such institution as a prerequisite to the study of osteopathic medicine.

Any person who receives state aid under this section shall, upon graduation from an educational institution for study of osteopathic medicine, be required to practice osteopathic medicine for a period of two years in this state, or in lieu thereof shall, within sixty days from the date of graduation, reimburse the board of regents for any tuition advance by it in his behalf.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within __________ this the __________
day of __________ 1974.

Governor
PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR

Date 3/11/14
Time 3:50 p.m.