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SENATE BILL NO. 514
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The House of Delegates, upon reconsideration, has again passed Enr. S. B. 514, notwithstanding the objections of the Governor.

Mr. Burke to the Senate.

Clerk of the House of Delegates

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Delegates of the State of West Virginia:

PASSED Senate 13, 1976

A message from the Senate, by Mr. , announced that upon reconsideration of Enr. S. B. 514, as returned by His Excellency, the Governor, with his objections, the Senate had again passed the same.

Clerk of the Senate
AN ACT to amend chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new article, designated article one-a; to amend and reenact section three, article one, chapter five-a of said code; to amend and reenact sections three, five, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, twenty-one, twenty-six, twenty-seven and thirty-four, article two of said chapter five-a; to further amend article two of said chapter five-a by adding thereto a new section, designated section thirty-six; and to amend and reenact section three, article four, chapter twelve of said code, all relating to implementation of the modern budget amendment; relating to submission of the budget bill to the Legislature by the governor; statement of legislative findings and purposes; requiring the proposed appropriations of the budget bill to be itemized and classified as prescribed by said article; prescribing the form and detail for the submission of appropriations for the legislative and judicial branches; creating a system of uniform itemization for the proposed appropriations for spending units of the executive department, and defining the uniform items; permitting the governor to submit sub-classifications and sub-items under such uniform items; permitting the governor to submit separate line items for specific programs of a spending unit; permitting an “unclassified” item; permitting the governor to submit proposed appropriations for a single spending unit under more than one account number; prescribing the itemization of proposed appropriations for the state department of highways and state aid to schools; relating to the
council of finance and administration, quarterly meetings to be called; site of meetings; requests for appropriations; requiring spending officers to transmit copies of such requests to legislative auditor; funds of spending unit withheld until copies forthcoming; forms of requests; tentative budget to be prepared by commissioner of finance and administration and submitted to governor; commissioner to submit copies to Legislature; treasurer's certification to accompany tentative budget; itemization of tentative budget; definitions of uniform items; requiring commissioner to certify revenue estimates and reports on revenue collections to governor and legislative auditor; funds of department withheld until certifications forthcoming; expenditure schedules; requiring spending officers to transmit copies to legislative auditor; funds of spending unit withheld until copies forthcoming; expenditure schedule to provide information on positions budgeted under personal services; requiring copies of requested amendments and approved amendments in such schedules to be transmitted to legislative auditor; requiring commissioner to transmit copies of reports from spending units to legislative auditor; requiring state agencies to send copies of requests for federal aid to legislative auditor; requiring commissioner to send copies of federally-approved requests to legislative auditor; requiring commissioner to submit consolidated report of federal funds to legislative auditor; eliminating authority of governor to make transfers of appropriations; personnel classification of offices and employments in state government; providing a criminal penalty for failure to transmit copies of requests, tentative budget, schedules, reports, etc., to legislative auditor, and requiring certification by treasurer of the condition of state revenues and funds.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new article, designated article one-a; that section three, article one, chapter five-a of said code be amended and reenacted; that sections three, five, ten, eleven, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, twenty-one, twenty-six,
twenty-seven and thirty-four, article two of said chapter five-a be amended and reenacted; that article two of said chapter five-a be further amended by adding thereto a new section, designated section thirty-six, and that section three, article four, chapter twelve of said code be amended and reenacted, all to read as follows:

CHAPTER 5.

GENERAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE GOVERNOR, SECRETARY OF STATE AND ATTORNEY GENERAL; BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS; STATE BUILDING COMMISSION; SOCIAL SECURITY AGENCY; PUBLIC RECORDS MANAGEMENT AND PRESERVATION ACT; DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE; WEST VIRGINIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT ACT; HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION; WEST VIRGINIA ANTIQUITIES COMMISSION; PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' AND TEACHERS' RECIPROCAL SERVICE CREDIT ACT; WHITE CANE LAW; WEST VIRGINIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES INSURANCE ACT; WEST VIRGINIA COMMISSION ON ENERGY, ECONOMY AND ENVIRONMENT.

ARTICLE 1A. ITEMIZATION OF PROPOSED APPROPRIATIONS IN BUDGET BILL SUBMITTED BY GOVERNOR TO LEGISLATURE.

§5-1A-1. Legislative findings and purposes.

1 The Legislature finds and declares that section fifty-one, article six of the constitution, known as the "modern budget amendment", authorizes the Legislature to prescribe by law the form and detail of the itemization and classification of the proposed appropriations of the budget bill submitted to it by the governor, and that said section further authorizes the Legislature to enact such laws, not inconsistent with said section, as may be necessary and proper to carry out its provisions. The Legislature further finds and declares that said section makes the Legislature solely responsible for enacting all appropriations needed for the operation of state government, and that in carrying out such responsibility, the Legislature requires a continuous and timely flow of accurate in-
formation relative to the financial condition of the state, the needs and operations of the various agencies and departments of the state, and the amounts and purposes of all funds, including federal funds, being requested, received, or expended by such agencies and departments from sources other than the revenues of the state. Therefore, it is the purpose of this article to implement the aforementioned provisions of the constitution, to enable the Legislature to carry out its constitutional responsibility by prescribing the form and detail of the itemization and classification of the proposed appropriations of the budget bill submitted to the Legislature by the governor, and in conjunction with the provisions of this act amending certain sections of articles one and two, chapter five-a, and section three, article four, chapter twelve, to ensure that the Legislature will be furnished the information needed to discharge such responsibility.

§5-1A-2. Submission of budget bill.

Pursuant to section fifty-one, article six of the constitution of West Virginia, the governor shall deliver to the presiding officer of each house the budget and a bill for all the proposed appropriations of the budget. The proposed appropriations in such bill shall be clearly itemized and classified in the form and detail prescribed by this article.

§5-1A-3. Proposed appropriations for legislative and judicial branches.

(a) The proposed appropriations in such bill for the legislative branch shall be itemized and classified by the governor in the identical amounts, language, form and detail as certified by the presiding officer of each house and transmitted to the governor.

(b) The proposed appropriations in such bill for the judicial branch shall be itemized and classified by the governor in the identical amounts, language, form and detail as certified by the auditor and transmitted to the governor.
§5-1A-4. Uniform itemization; definitions; sub-classifications and sub-items; separate line items for specific programs or purposes; separate account numbers for single spending units permitted.

(a) With the exception of the spending units or purposes mentioned in section five of this article, the proposed appropriations submitted by the governor for the spending units of the executive department shall be itemized and classified according to the provisions of this section. The budget bill shall itemize appropriations separately for:

1. "Personal services", which shall mean salaries, wages, and other compensation paid to full-time, part-time, and temporary employees of the spending unit, but shall not include fees or contractual payments paid to consultants or to independent contractors engaged by the spending unit. Unless otherwise specified in the budget bill, appropriations for personal services shall include salaries of heads of spending units. Where a salary of a head of a spending unit, including a constitutional officer, is separately stated, all other personal services for the spending unit shall be designated in the bill as "Other Personal Services".

2. "Current expenses", which shall mean operating costs other than personal services, and shall not include equipment, repairs and alterations, buildings, or lands.

3. "Equipment", which shall mean equipment items which have an appreciable and calculable period of usefulness in excess of one year.

4. "Repairs and alterations", which shall mean repairs to structures and improvements to property which do not increase the capital asset.

5. "Buildings", which shall include construction and alteration of structures and the improvement of lands and shall include shelter, support, storage, protection, or the improvement of a natural condition.

6. "Lands", which shall mean the purchase of real property or interests in real property.

Nothing in this section shall prohibit the governor from listing in the budget bill any sub-classifications and sub-
proposed expenditure under any or all of the above uniform items: *Provided*, That a total proposed expenditure for each uniform item shall be stated, and such total shall include the proposed expenditure for each sub-classification and sub-item, if any, listed under such uniform item.

(b) Notwithstanding the uniform items set forth in subsection (a) of this section, when the governor deems it necessary or convenient to establish separate line items for specific programs proposed to be undertaken or continued by a spending unit, or for specific purposes which do not fall within such uniform items, such separate line items may be included in the appropriations for the spending unit, and need not be itemized in accordance with the requirements of subsection (a). In such event, there shall be a separate line item for each such specific program or purpose. All other proposed appropriations for a spending unit or account shall be included within the uniform items prescribed in subsection (a): *Provided*, that there may be included in the itemization for any spending unit an item designated “unclassified”, in an amount not exceeding one percent of the total amount of the proposed appropriations for such spending unit.

(c) Nothing in this section shall prohibit the governor from submitting proposed appropriations for a single spending unit under more than one account number, provided that such appropriations are itemized and classified in accordance with the requirements of this article.

§5-1A-5. Itemization of appropriations for state department of highways; state aid to schools.

(a) Proposed appropriations for the state department of highways shall be itemized separately for:

1) “Debt service”, which shall mean the payment of principal and interest due on all state bonds issued for the benefit of the state road fund;

2) “General operations”, which shall include all expenses of administration of the Department of Highways;

3) “Federal Aid Construction—Interstate Program”;

4) “Non-Federal Aid Construction”;

5) “Appalachian Program”;

6) “State Aid to Schools”;

7) “Local Aid to Schools”;

8) “State Educational Grants”;

9) “Education and Cultural Programs”;

10) “Miscellaneous”.

(b) The governor shall include in each spending unit any item designated “unclassified”, in an amount not exceeding one percent of the total amount of the proposed appropriations for such spending unit.

(c) Nothing in this section shall prohibit the governor from submitting proposed appropriations for a single spending unit under more than one account number, provided that such appropriations are itemized and classified in accordance with the requirements of this article.
(b) Proposed appropriations for "State Aid to Schools" shall be itemized separately for each allowance set forth in section three, article nine-a, chapter eighteen of this code, for each allowance mentioned elsewhere in said article and chapter, and for any other purpose mentioned in said article and chapter for which an appropriation must be made from the general revenue fund.

CHAPTER 5A. DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION.

ARTICLE 1. DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION.


The council of finance and administration is hereby created and shall be composed of ten members, four of whom shall serve ex officio and six of whom shall be appointed as herein provided. The ex officio members shall be the governor, attorney general, the state treasurer and the state auditor. From the membership of the Legislature, the president of the Senate shall appoint three senators as members of the council, not more than two of whom shall be members of the same political party, and the speaker of the House shall appoint three delegates as members of the council, not more than two of whom shall be members of the same political party. Members of the council appointed by the president of the Senate and the speaker of the House shall serve at the will and pleasure of the officer making their appointment. The commissioner of finance and administration shall serve as chairman of the council. Meetings of the council shall be upon call of the chairman or a majority of the members thereof. It shall be the duty of the chairman to call at least four
meetings in each fiscal year, one in each quarter, and all
meetings shall be open to the public. All meetings of the
council shall be held at the capitol building in a suitable
committee room which shall be made available by the
Legislature for such purpose: Provided, That the second
quarterly meeting in each fiscal year shall be held on the
first Monday in November and shall be a joint meeting
with the joint committee on government and finance of
the Legislature.
The council shall serve the department of finance and
administration in an advisory capacity for purposes of
reviewing the performance of the administrative and fiscal
procedures of the state and shall have the following
duties:

(1) To review and advise with the commissioner as to
all budget proposals to be submitted to the governor;
(2) At the time of the submission of the proposed
budget to the governor, to report to the governor its
conclusions concerning the proposed budget and any
additions, modifications or adjustments that it may care to
suggest;
(3) To advise with the commissioner concerning such
studies of government and administration as it may con-
sider appropriate; and
(4) To advise with the commissioner in the preparation
of studies designed to provide long-term capital planning
and finance for state institutions and agencies. Members
of the council shall be paid all necessary expenses in-
curred in the discharge of their duties.

ARTICLE 2. BUDGET DIVISION.

§5A-2-3. Requests for appropriations; copies to legislative
auditor.
The spending officer of each spending unit, other than
the Legislature and the judicial branch of state govern-
ment, shall on or before the fifteenth day of August of
each year, submit to the commissioner a request for ap-
propriations for the fiscal year next ensuing. On or before
the same date, the spending officer shall also transmit two
copies of such request to the legislative auditor for the use of the finance committees of the Legislature.

If the spending officer of any spending unit fails to transmit to the legislative auditor two copies of the request for appropriations within the time specified in this section, the legislative auditor shall notify the commissioner, auditor and treasurer of such failure, and thereafter no funds appropriated to such spending unit shall be encumbered or expended until the spending officer thereof has transmitted such copies to the legislative auditor.

If a spending officer submits to the commissioner an amendment to the request for appropriations, two copies of such amendment shall forthwith be transmitted to the legislative auditor.

§5A-2-5. Forms of requests.

The commissioner shall specify the form and detail of itemization of requests for appropriations and statements to be submitted by a spending unit: Provided, That such request for appropriations must include at a minimum the information required by section four of this article. The commissioner shall furnish blank forms for this purpose.

§5A-2-10. Preparation of tentative budget and submission to the governor; copies to Legislature.

The commissioner shall prepare for the consideration of the governor a tentative budget for the fiscal year next ensuing. The budget shall state actual receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year next preceding, estimated receipts and expenditures for the current fiscal year, recommended expenditures for the current fiscal year as shown in the legislative digest, and it shall state also the requested amounts, or estimates for the fiscal year next ensuing with respect to:

(1) Appropriations requested by each spending unit and requested general appropriations;

(2) The amount of the total of each appropriation to be paid out of collections;

(3) Amounts and purposes of appropriations requested other than for spending units of the state;
(4) Revenue of each of the funds of the state;
(5) A summary statement of requests and revenues showing the amount of an anticipated surplus or deficit;
(6) Balances carried forward to the first day of July, from fiscal year next preceding on all reappropriated accounts from general revenue fund and general school fund;
(7) Percentage of increase or decrease by comparison of recommended appropriation for next ensuing year with current fiscal year.
On or before the fifteenth day of November, the commissioner shall submit the tentative budgets to the governor. The commissioner shall convey to the governor all explanatory and justification statements and statements of personnel requirements of spending units as reported and filed in his office, together with the certification of the state treasurer verifying the condition of the state revenues and the several funds of the state as required to be provided to the commissioner under the provisions of section three, article four, chapter twelve of this code.
At the time the commissioner submits the tentative budget to the governor, he shall also submit copies thereof to the president of the Senate, the speaker of the House of Delegates and the legislative auditor. At any time thereafter that a change or supplement to the tentative budget is submitted to the governor by the commissioner, the commissioner shall submit a copy thereof to the legislative auditor.
The tentative budget submitted by the commissioner shall itemize appropriations separately for:
(1) "Personal services" which shall mean salaries, wages, and other compensation paid to full-time, part-time, and temporary employees of the spending unit, but shall not include fees or contractual payments paid to consultants or to independent contractors engaged by the spending unit: Provided, That the total expenditure shown for personal services shall reflect the actual expenditure for each line item under this classification;
11. (2) "Current expenses" which shall mean operating costs other than personal services, and shall not include equipment, repairs and alterations, buildings or lands;

(3) "Equipment" which shall mean equipment items which have an appreciable and calculable period of usefulness in excess of one year;

(4) "Repairs and alterations" which shall mean repairs to structures and improvements to property which do not increase the capital asset;

(5) "Buildings" which shall include construction and alteration of structures and the improvement of lands and shall include shelter, support, storage, protection, or the improvement of a natural condition; and

(6) "Lands" which shall mean the purchase of real property or interests in real property.

A spending unit or other person requesting an appropriation may submit a different itemization with the prior approval of the commissioner, if the uniform itemization does not apply.


The commissioner shall supervise and control the expenditure of appropriations made by the Legislature excluding those made to the Legislature and those made to the judicial branch of the state government. The expenditure of an appropriation made by the Legislature except that made for the Legislature itself and the judicial branch of the state government shall be conditioned upon compliance by the spending unit with the provisions of this article. An appropriation made by the Legislature except that made for the Legislature itself and the judicial branch of the state government shall be expended only in accordance with this article.

§5A-2-13. Estimates of revenue; reports on revenue collections; withholding department funds on noncompliance.

At the beginning of each fiscal year the commissioner shall estimate the revenue to be collected month by month by each classification of tax for that fiscal year as it relates to the official estimate of revenue for each
tax for that fiscal year and the commissioner shall cer-
tify this estimate to the governor and the legislative
auditor by the thirty-first day of July for that fiscal
year.

The commissioner shall ascertain the collection of the
revenue of the state and shall determine for each month
of the fiscal year the proportion which the amount ac-
tually collected during a month bears to the collection
estimated by him for that month. The commissioner
shall certify to the governor and the legislative auditor,
as soon as possible after the close of each month, and
not later than the fifteenth day of each month, and at
such other times as the governor or legislative auditor
may request, the condition of the state revenues and
of the several funds of the state and the proportion
which the amount actually collected during the pre-
ceding month bears to the collection estimated by him
for that month. The commissioner shall include in this
certification the same information previously certified
for prior months in each fiscal year. For the purposes
of this section, the commissioner shall have the authority
to require all necessary estimates and reports from any
spending unit of the state government.

If the commissioner fails to certify to the governor
and the legislative auditor the information required by
this section within the time specified herein, the legis-
lative auditor shall notify the auditor and treasurer of
such failure, and thereafter no funds appropriated to
the department of finance and administration shall be
expended until the commissioner has certified the infor-
mation required by this section.

§5A-2-14. Submission of expenditure schedules; contents;
copies to legislative auditor.

Prior to the beginning of each fiscal year, the spending
officer of a spending unit shall submit to the commissioner
a detailed expenditure schedule for the ensuing fiscal year.
The schedule shall be submitted in such form and at such
time as the commissioner may require.

The schedule shall show:
(1) A proposed monthly rate of expenditure for amounts appropriated for personal services;

(2) Each and every position budgeted under personal services for the next ensuing fiscal year, with the monthly salary or compensation of each such position;

(3) A proposed quarterly rate of expenditure for amounts appropriated for current expenses, equipment and repairs and alterations;

(4) A proposed yearly plan of expenditure for amounts appropriated for buildings and lands.

The commissioner may accept a differently itemized expenditure schedule from a spending unit to which the above itemizations are not applicable.

The commissioner shall consult with and assist spending officers in the preparation of expenditure schedules.

When a spending officer submits an expenditure schedule to the commissioner as required by this section, the spending officer shall at the same time transmit a copy thereof to the legislative auditor. If a spending officer of a spending unit fails to transmit such copy to the legislative auditor on or before the beginning of the fiscal year, the legislative auditor shall notify the commissioner, auditor and treasurer of such failure, and thereafter no funds appropriated to such spending unit shall be encumbered or expended until the spending officer thereof has transmitted such copy to the legislative auditor.

§5A-2-15. Examination and approval of expenditure schedules; amendments; copies to legislative auditor.

The commissioner shall examine the expenditure schedule of each spending unit, and if he finds that it conforms to the appropriations made by the Legislature, the requirements of this article, and is in accordance with sound fiscal policy, he shall approve the schedule.

The expenditure of the appropriations made to a spending unit shall be only in accordance with the approved expenditure schedule unless the schedule is amended with the consent of the commissioner, or unless appropriations are reduced in accordance with the provisions of sections twenty-two to twenty-five, inclusive,
of this article. The spending officer of a spending unit shall transmit to the legislative auditor a copy of each and every requested amendment to such schedule at the same time that such requested amendment is submitted to the commissioner. The commissioner shall send to the legislative auditor copies of any schedule amended with the commissioner's approval.

§5A-2-21. Reports by spending units; copies to legislative auditor.

A spending unit shall submit to the commissioner such reports with respect to the work and expenditures of the unit as the commissioner may request for the purpose of this article. Upon receipt thereof, the commissioner shall immediately send copies of all such reports to the legislative auditor.

§5A-2-26. Approval by commissioner of requests for federal aid; copies to legislative auditor; consolidated report of federal funds.

Every agency of the state government when making requests or preparing budgets to be submitted to the federal government for funds, equipment, material or services, the grant or allocation of which is conditioned upon the use of state matching funds, shall have such request or budget approved in writing by the commissioner before submitting it to the proper federal authority. At the time such agency submits such a request or budget to the commissioner for his approval, it shall send a copy thereof to the legislative auditor. When such federal authority has approved the request or budget, the agency of the state government shall resubmit it to the commissioner for recording before any allotment or encumbrance of the federal funds can be made and the commissioner shall send a copy of the federally approved request or budget to the legislative auditor. Whenever any agency of the state government shall receive from any agency of the federal government a grant or allocation of funds which do not require state matching, the state agency shall report to the commissioner and the legislative auditor for their information the amount of the federal funds so granted or allocated.
In addition to the other requirements of this section, the commissioner shall, as soon as possible after the end of each fiscal year but no later than the first day of September of each year, submit to the governor and the legislative auditor a consolidated report which shall contain a detailed itemization of all federal funds received by the state during the preceding and current fiscal years, as well as those scheduled or anticipated to be received during the next ensuing fiscal year. Such itemization shall show: a) each spending unit which has received or is scheduled or expected to receive federal funds in either of such fiscal years, b) the amount of each separate grant or distribution received or to be received, c) a brief description of the purpose of every such grant or other distribution, with the name of the federal agency, bureau or department making such grant or distribution:

Provided, That it shall not be necessary to include in such report an itemization of federal revenue sharing funds deposited in and appropriated from the revenue sharing trust fund, or federal funds received for the benefit of the department of highways and the state road fund.

The commissioner is authorized and empowered to obtain from the spending units any and all information necessary to prepare such report.


The commissioner shall formulate the requirements of a system of management accounting for the planning, management, reporting and control of state expenditures. The requirements shall include methods for recording the collection of all income, amounts available for expenditure, obligations, encumbrances and disbursements for each spending unit, and publication of a detailed statement of receipts and expenditures of state moneys. The system shall include the accounts to be kept by the commissioner, the auditor and the treasurer. The commissioner shall, after the system has been approved by the governor, require its use by all spending units.

§5A-2-34. Personnel classification of offices and employments in state government and agencies.

With the exception of those institutions under the
control of the state board of education and the West Virginia board of regents and with the exception of classified service positions and pay provided for in section eight, article six, chapter twenty-nine of this code, the commissioner, with the approval of the governor, shall classify the offices and employments in the state government and its agencies, into a personnel classification which reflects the differences in training, experience, ability and responsibility required for different types or kinds of service or employment and shall establish uniform salary and wage scales within each class.

The governor shall require the state board of education and the West Virginia board of regents to prepare and apply personnel classifications to the institutions under their control.

§5A-2-36. Submission of requests, amendments, reports, etc., to legislative auditor; penalty for noncompliance.

The provisions of sections three, ten, thirteen, fourteen, fifteen, twenty-one, twenty-six and twenty-eight of this article requiring the commissioner, or the spending officer of the spending units, as the case may be, to supply copies of the documents specified therein to the legislative auditor, shall be strictly adhered to by all such persons. Any failure by any person to do so shall be a misdemeanor, and, upon conviction thereof, such person shall be fined the sum of one thousand dollars. Such penalty shall be in addition to other penalties provided elsewhere in this article and other remedies provided by law.

CHAPTER 12. PUBLIC MONEYS AND SECURITIES.

ARTICLE 4. ACCOUNTS, REPORTS AND GENERAL PROVISIONS.

§12-4-3. Accounts of appropriations; treasurer to certify condition of revenues and funds of the state.

The auditor and treasurer shall each keep in books to be used for that purpose exclusively an account of every appropriation made by law, and of the several sums drawn thereon, so that such books may show at all times the balance undrawn on each appropriation. The account so
kept shall be compared every quarter-year and the errors, if any, be corrected.

In addition to the other requirements of this section, the treasurer shall certify annually to the commissioner of finance and administration the condition of the state revenues and the several funds of the state. Such certification shall be used by such commissioner in the preparation of a tentative state budget as required of him by article two, chapter five of this code.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

James L. Davis
Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect ninety days from passage.

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Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Lewis T. M. Mann
Speaker House of Delegates

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