

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1977



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SENATE BILL NO. 590

(By Mr. Horton E. Hinkle)



PASSED April 7 1977

In Effect from Passage



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Senate Bill No. 590

(By MR. HANLON and MR. HINKLE)

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AN ACT finding and declaring certain claims against the state and its agencies to be moral obligations of the state, and directing the auditor to issue warrants for the payments thereof.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE.

§1. Finding and declaring certain claims against the department of public institutions; board of regents; department of public safety; adjutant general; department of mental health; department of highways; workmen's compensation fund; department of mines; board of vocational education, division of vocational rehabilitation; and the department of commerce, to be moral obligations of the state and directing payment thereof.

1 The Legislature has considered the findings of fact and
2 recommendations reported to it by the court of claims
3 concerning various claims against the state and agencies
4 thereof, and in respect to each of the following claims the
5 Legislature adopts those findings of fact as its own, and
6 hereby declares it to be the moral obligation of the state
7 to pay each such claim in the amount specified below,
8 and directs the auditor to issue warrants for the payment
9 thereof out of any fund appropriated and available for
10 the purpose.

11 (a) Claims against the Department of Public Institu-
12 tions:

13 (To be paid from General Revenue Fund)

14 (1) Randy R. Adams	\$	73.15
15 (2) Louis E. Gilbert		375.63

16	(3) John Gough	982.70
17	(4) Lacy Gwinn	477.27
18	(5) Beecher D. Hamons	135.85
19	(6) William E. Hefner	252.06
20	(7) Edward L. Hill	125.40
21	(8) Robert L. Hill	39.54
22	(9) Robert Miller	296.55
23	(10) Carl Mitchell	828.72
24	(11) Clyde Moats	227.35
25	(12) William Mullins	621.36
26	(13) North-Central Dairy Herd	
27	Improvement Association, Inc.	82.04
28	(14) Ralston Purina Company	620.96
29	(15) Charles Reynolds	212.52
30	(16) Homer Reynolds	291.60
31	(17) Ronald Robinson	271.70
32	(18) Southern States Morgantown	
33	Cooperative, Inc.	7,425.98
34	(19) Melvin Stemple	683.36
35	(20) Harold Sybolt	33.00
36	(21) Tri-State Builders Hardware, Inc.	131.40
37	(22) Charles Wilson	222.41
38	(b) Claims against the Board of Regents:	
39	(To be paid from General Revenue Fund)	
40	(1) Marvin E. DeBoer	1,605.00
41	(2) Elizabeth Ann Hedges, Executrix of the	
42	Estate of A. Bruce Hedges, deceased	8,756.00
43	(3) Deborah Ann Landes	3,144.65
44	(c) Claims against the Department of Public Safety:	
45	(To be paid from General Revenue Fund)	
46	(1) Montgomery General Hospital	2,898.59
47	(d) Claims against the Adjutant General:	
48	(To be paid from General Revenue Fund)	
49	(1) Stonewall Casualty Company,	
50	subrogee of Lloyd Fox	894.00
51	(2) Louis Tabit, father and	
52	next friend of Mary Janet Tabit	12,150.00
53	(3) Louis Tabit	2,204.89
54	(e) Claims against the Department of Mental Health:	
55	(To be paid from General Revenue Fund)	

56	(1) Janice M. Neal	52.48
57	(f) Claims against the Department of Highways:	
58	(To be paid from State Road Fund)	
59	(1) Chester Murphy	350.00
60	(2) The Potomac Edison Company	93.41
61	(3) Harold L. Pittsenbarger	149.35
62	(4) Florence I. Stephy	1,281.53
63	(5) Lois Mullins	300.00
64	(6) James P. Foster, d/b/a	
65	Western Virginia Demolition Company	499.00
66	(7) Grover A. Harmon	12,039.52
67	(8) Ralph Wilson	3,000.00
68	(9) National Engineering & Contracting Co.	5,059.01
69	(10) Ernest L. White and Florence White	2,500.00
70	(11) Betty H. Dunlap	750.00
71	(12) Black Rock Contracting, Inc.	30,759.09
72	(13) State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance	
73	Co., subrogee of Monroe Hamon	289.69
74	(14) Verla R. Anderson	15.45
75	(15) The Chesapeake and Potomac	
76	Telephone Co. of W. Va.	11,039.69
77	(16) James D. Linville	306.00
78	(17) Larry McConaha	31.93
79	(18) State Farm Fire & Casualty Company,	
80	subrogee of Edgar & Bessie Damewood	1,200.00
81	(19) Robert B. Dorsey	89.55
82	(20) Chloe Thompson	174.10
83	(21) Spencer Toppings	710.00
84	(22) Raymond Peak	9,000.00
85	(23) Liberty Mutual Insurance Company,	
86	subrogee of Charles C. Simpson	1,775.00
87	(24) Aetna Casualty & Surety Co.,	
88	subrogee for Jimmy L. McKinney	989.55
89	(25) Charles C. Simpson	125.00
90	(26) The American Road Insurance Company,	
91	subrogee of Shellie Morgan, Jr.	199.26
92	(27) Lane S. Bohrer and Barbara S. Bohrer	9,750.00
93	(28) Richard L. Mason and Jeanne Mason	9,750.00
94	(29) W. E. Durig and Minnie Durig	28,000.00
95	(30) Kenneth L. Block and Patricia A. Block	2,500.00
96	(31) Virginia F. Asbury	89.26

97	(32) Nelson Gilbert Casto	
98	and Patricia Joyce Casto	15,000.00
99	(33) Robert England	1,000.00
100	(34) Twila Jean Giles	107.84
101	(35) Ina M. Hamrick	1,800.00
102	(36) Helen M. Kelly	6,000.00
103	(37) Lang Brothers, Inc.	27,458.16
104	(38) Romeo G. Perkins	
105	and Shelva Jean Perkins	3,500.00
106	(39) Alan MacKenzie Roberts	80.70
107	(40) Mike Romeo	190.00
108	(41) Fred E. Sloane, Jr.	
109	and Minnie Arlene Sloane	194.22
110	(42) Christine Ambrosone Smith	16,000.00
111	(43) Wilmer W. Teets	
112	and Sharon J. Teets	9,216.51
113	(44) William N. Williams	1,128.66
114	(45) Robert Woodley	55.00
115	(46) Jesse Wray	542.00
116	(47) Marie Yanasy	79.25
117	(48) Paul W. Sowards	11,000.00
118	(49) Gail Sowards	250.00
119	(50) Paul W. Sowards, as father and	
120	next friend of Christina Gail Sowards	500.00
121	(51) Paul Sowards, as father and	
122	next friend of Christopher Sowards	250.00
123	(52) Larry G. Conley and Bonita E. Conley	278.52
124	(g) Claims against the Workmen's Compensation Fund:	
125	(To be paid from Workmen's Compensation Fund)	
126	(1) Peck Brogan Building & Remodeling	14,695.00
127	(h) Claims against the Department of Mines:	
128	(To be paid from General Revenue Fund)	
129	(1) Ralph Underwood, Jr.	1,754.35
130	(i) Claims against the Board of Vocational Education,	
131	Division of Vocational Rehabilitation:	
132	(To be paid from General Revenue Fund)	
133	(1) Gambro, Inc.	536.40
134	(j) Claims against the Department of Commerce:	
135	(To be paid from General Revenue Fund)	
136	(1) Warner P. Simpson Co.	406.18
137	Total of all claims	290,954.34

138 The Legislature finds that the above moral obligations
139 and the appropriation made in satisfaction thereof shall
140 be the full compensation for all claimants, and that prior
141 to the payments to any claimant provided for in this bill,
142 the court of claims shall receive a release from said
143 claimant releasing any and all claims for moral obliga-
144 tions arising from the matters considered by the Legis-
145 lature in the finding of the moral obligations and the
146 making of the appropriations for said claimant. The court
147 of claims shall deliver all releases obtained from claim-
148 ants to the department against which the claim was
149 allowed.

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

James L. Davis
Chairman Senate Committee

Clarence C. Christensen Jr.
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

To take effect from passage.

William J. Tillon Jr.
Clerk of the Senate

C. A. Blankenship
Clerk of the House of Delegates

W. B. Brotherton Jr.
President of the Senate

Donald L. Kopp
Speaker House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 26
day of April, 1977.

Philip J. Relyea
Governor



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APPROVED AND SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR

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