WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1982

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HOUSE BILL No. 1025

(By Mr. Steptoe)

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Passed February 5, 1982

In Effect Ninety Days From Passage
AN ACT to amend and reenact section sixteen, article one, chapter fifty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to supervisory rules for magistrate courts prepared by judges of the circuit courts; rules promulgated by the supreme court of appeals.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 1. COURTS AND OFFICERS.


1 The supreme court of appeals is hereby authorized to promulgate rules to carry out the intent of this chapter and to exercise rule-making authority granted by Article VIII of the constitution of West Virginia. Rules promulgated by the judge of a circuit court, or the chief judge thereof, pursuant to the provisions of this chapter shall be subordinate and subject to the rules of the supreme court of appeals or the orders of the chief justice thereof. Rules promulgated by the judge of a circuit court, or the chief judge thereof, shall be made by order entered upon the order book of the circuit court, as hereinafter provided, and shall be effective when filed with the clerk of the supreme court of appeals and the
13 magistrate court clerk for the magistrate court in which such rules apply. All rules promulgated under this section by the supreme court of appeals, or by the judge of a circuit court, or the chief judge thereof, shall be entered upon an order book designated for the purpose of magistrate court rules by the clerk of the circuit court.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Tony E. Whitlow
Chairman House Committee

Originating 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 is approved this the 16th day of February, 1982.

Governor