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SENATE BILL NO. 356

(By Mr. Nelson & Mr. Jones)

PASSED March 9, 1983

In Effect from Passage
AN ACT to amend the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new chapter, designated chapter sixty-four, relating generally to legislative authorization for the promulgation of certain legislative rules by various executive agencies; authorizing certain agencies to promulgate certain legislative rules in the form that such rules were filed in the state register; authorizing certain agencies to promulgate legislative rules as amended; providing the effective dates for such rules and waiving any technical deficiencies which may have occurred when such rules proceeded through the rule-making process; providing for authorization to the employee suggestion award board to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of governing the operation of the public employee suggestion program; providing for authorization to the state board of health to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of regulating waste water treatment works operators, for the purpose of requiring laboratories to report positive or reactive serologic and other tests for syphilis and positive laboratory examinations for neisseria gonorrhea to the state department of health, for the purpose of regulating public water supply operators, for the purpose of regulating sewage systems, for the purpose of setting forth the requirements for licensure of nonprofit corporations for guardianship service, for the purpose of governing methods and standards relating to implied consent for chemical test for intoxication, for the purpose of regulating the approval of laboratories for syphilis serology, for the purpose of regulating nursing home licensure, for the purpose of regulating fees for permits, for the purpose of regulating the
certificate of need program, for the purpose of regulating instillation of medication in the eyes of the newborn and the dissemination of advice and information concerning the dangers of inflammation of the eyes of the newborn, and for the purpose of establishing a controlled substance therapeutic research program and certification of patients, practitioners and hospital pharmacies; providing for authorization to the air pollution control commission to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of preventing and controlling particulate air pollution from manufacturing process operations, and for the purpose of setting requirements for preconstruction review, determination of emissions offsets for proposed new or modified stationary sources of air pollutants and bubble concept for intrasource pollutants; providing for authorization to the commissioner of motor vehicles to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of regulating the denial of driving privileges for medical reasons; providing for authorization to the teachers retirement board to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of governing the state teachers retirement system; providing for authorization to the West Virginia racing commission to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of regulating the use of medication in racehorses, regulating minimum purses for greyhound races, for the purpose of regulating tip sheet vendors at horse racing tracks, for the purpose of regulating tip sheet vendors at greyhound racing tracks, and for the purpose of regulating simulcast races; providing for authorization to the state water resources board to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of regulating underground injection control; providing for authorization to the department of labor to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of regulating the operation of steam boilers, permit fees, annual reports and inspectors; providing for authorization to the department of mines to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of governing the submission and approval of a comprehensive mine safety program for coal mining operations; providing for authorization to the West Virginia housing development fund to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of administration of single-family mortgage loans for the West Virginia state board of investments under the state mortgage and industrial development investment pool; providing for authorization
to the commissioner of banking to promulgate legislative rules pertaining to the installation, operation and sharing of customer bank communication terminals and the utilization of nonexclusive access interchange systems; providing for authorization to the alcohol beverage control commissioner to promulgate legislative rules for the purpose of regulating the transportation of alcoholic beverages, for the purpose of regulating the suitability of kitchen and dining facilities for the purpose of stating grounds for refusal to license private clubs, and for the purpose of regulating lighting of licensed premises.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:
That the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new chapter, designated chapter sixty-four, to read as follows:

CHAPTER 64. LEGISLATIVE RULES.

ARTICLE 1. GENERAL LEGISLATIVE AUTHORIZATION.

§64-1-1. Legislative authorization.
Under the provisions of article three, chapter twenty-nine-a of the code of West Virginia, the Legislature expressly authorizes the promulgation of the rules described in article two of this chapter, subject only to the limitations set forth with respect to each such rule in the section or sections of this chapter authorizing its promulgation.

§64-1-2. Effective date of rules.
The effective date of the legislative rules authorized in article two of this chapter shall be governed by the provisions of section thirteen, article three, chapter twenty-nine-a, unless the agency promulgating the rules establishes an effective date which is earlier than that provided by section thirteen, article three, chapter twenty-nine-a in which case the effective date established by the agency shall control unless the Legislature in the bill authorizing the rules establishes an effective date for such rules in which case the effective date established by the Legislature shall control.

§64-1-3. Technical deficiencies waived.
The Legislature further declares each legislative rule now or hereafter authorized under article two of this chapter to
have been validly promulgated notwithstanding any failure to comply with any requirement of chapter twenty-nine-a for the promulgation of rules at any stage of the promulgation process prior to authorization by the Legislature in article two of this chapter.

ARTICLE 2. EXECUTIVE AGENCY AUTHORIZATION TO PROMULGATE LEGISLATIVE RULES.

§64-2-5a(1a)(3). Employee suggestion award board.
1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the twenty-third day of July, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the employee suggestion award board (public employee suggestion program) are authorized.

1 (a) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the state board of health (waste water treatment works operations) are authorized.
2 (b) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the state board of health (laboratory reporting of syphilis and gonorrhea) are authorized.
3 (c) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the state board of health (public water supply operators) with the modification of §11.02 as presented to the legislative rule-making review committee on the ninth day of November, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, are authorized.
4 (d) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the twenty-second day of October, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the state board of health (sewage systems) with the modifications presented to the legislative rule-making review committee on the sixth day of December, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, are authorized except lines ten through seventeen, page eight of the rules shall be stricken in their entirety and the remaining paragraphs renumbered. These rules were proposed by the state board of health pursuant to sections seven and nine, article one, chapter sixteen of this code.
(e) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the second day of June, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the state board of health (approval of laboratories) are authorized. These rules were proposed by the state board of health pursuant to section one, article seven, chapter sixteen and section six-a, article one, chapter forty-eight of this code.

(f) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, and filed with amendments on the eleventh day of January, one thousand nine hundred eighty-three, relating to the state board of health (nursing home licensure) are authorized with the amendment of §5.15.02 of those rules as set forth below:

By striking the word “and” at the end of subdivision (f), by changing the period at the end of subdivision (g) to a semicolon, and by adding the following after subdivision (g): “(h) one (1) member who represents social work services.”

These rules were proposed by the state board of health pursuant to section seven, article one, chapter sixteen and section three, article five-c, chapter sixteen of this code.

1 The rules authorized by the Legislature in section sixteen (1)(7)(d) of this article were also proposed by the state board of health pursuant to section nine, article one, chapter sixteen of this code.

§64-2-16(2a)(6). State board of health.
1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the twenty-fourth day of November, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the state board of health (permit fees) are authorized.

§64-2-16(2d)(5). State board of health.
1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the third day of June, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the state board of health (certificate of need) are authorized. These rules were proposed by the state board of health pursuant to sections five and eight, article two-d, chapter sixteen of this code.
§64-2-16(2d)(8). State board of health.
1 The rules authorized by the Legislature in section sixteen
2 (2d)(5) of this article were also proposed by the state board
3 of health pursuant to section eight, article two-d, chapter
4 sixteen of this code.

1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
2 sixteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred eighty-
3 two, relating to the state board of health (eyes of newborn
4 children) are authorized. These rules were proposed by the
5 state board of health pursuant to sections ten and twelve,
6 article three, chapter sixteen of this code.

1 The rules authorized by the Legislature in section sixteen
2 (3)(10) of this article were also proposed by the state board
3 of health pursuant to section twelve, article three, chapter
4 sixteen of this code.

1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the third
2 day of June, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two,
3 relating to the state board of health (controlled substances
4 research program and certification) are authorized.

1 The rules authorized by the Legislature in section sixteen
2 (1)(7)(f) of this article were also proposed by the state board
3 of health pursuant to section three, article five-c, chapter
4 sixteen of this code.

§64-2-16(20)(5). Air pollution control commission.
1 (a) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
2 thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two,
3 relating to the air pollution control commission
4 (series VII) are authorized.
5 (b) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
6 thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two,
7 relating to air pollution control commission
8 (series XIX) are authorized.

1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
2 second day of December, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the commission of motor vehicles
(denial of driving privileges) are authorized with the amendments set forth below:
By inserting the words "licensed in the United States" after the phrase "physician of the applicant's choice", on page five, line two, and page seven, line one; and by striking out the words "licensed vision specialist" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "an optometrist or ophthalmologist licensed in the United States", on page five, line three, and on page seven, line two.
These rules were proposed by the commissioner pursuant to section nine, article two, chapter seventeen-a and section six, article three-c, chapter seventeen-b of this code.

The rules authorized by the Legislature in section seventeen-a (2)(9) of this article were also proposed by the commissioner of motor vehicles pursuant to section six, article three-c, chapter seventeen-b of this code.

§64-2-17c(5)(8). State board of health.
The legislative rules filed in the state register on the fifth day of November, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the state board of health (chemical test for intoxication) are authorized.

The legislative rules filed in the state register on the eleventh day of August, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the teachers retirement board are authorized with the following amendments:
Section VI, subsection 6, D, (a) (ii), of the rules, is to be amended on line two by striking out the words "(3) thru (7)" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "(3) thru (13)";
Section VII, subsection 7, B, (c) of the rules is to be amended on line three after the word "100", by striking out the word "consecutive", and by redesignating the subsection as subsection "(a)"; and Section X, subsection 10, A, (c), of the rules is to be amended on line one, after the word "physicians," by striking out the words "of member's choice," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one selected by the Board and one selected by the member,"

(a) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the West Virginia racing commission (Rule 795) are authorized.

(b) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the West Virginia racing commission (Rule 107) are authorized.

(c) The legislative rules filed with the legislative rule-making review committee on the tenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred eighty-three, relating to the West Virginia racing commission (Rule 471) are authorized.

(d) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the tenth day of January, one thousand nine hundred eighty-three, relating to the West Virginia racing commission (Rule 526) are authorized.

(e) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the twenty-third day of April, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the West Virginia racing commission (Rule 819) are authorized.

§64-2-20(5a)(3). Water resources board.

The legislative rules filed in the state register on the sixth day of January, one thousand nine hundred eighty-three, relating to the state water resources board (underground injection control program) are authorized.

§64-2-21(3)(7). Department of labor.

The legislative rules filed in the state register on the tenth day of May, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the department of labor (steam boiler rules) as modified by the legislative rule-making review committee are authorized.

§64-2-22(1)(34a). Department of mines.

The legislative rules filed in the state register on the thirty-first day of March, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the department of mines (mine safety program) are authorized.

§64-2-31(18b)(7). West Virginia housing development fund.

The legislative rules filed in the state register on the twenty-seventh day of December, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the West Virginia housing development fund (single-family mortgage loans) are authorized.
1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
2 eleventh day of June, one thousand nine hundred eighty-
3 two, relating to the commissioner of banking
4 (communication terminals and interchange systems) are
5 authorized.

1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
2 twenty-fourth day of November, one thousand nine
3 hundred eighty-two, relating to the state board of health
4 (guardianship service) are authorized with the exception of
5 section 9.3 of those rules which may not be promulgated.

1 The rules authorized by the Legislature in section sixteen
2 (1)(7)(e) of this article were proposed by the state board of
3 health pursuant to section six-a, article one, chapter forty-
4 eight of this code.

1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
2 thirtieth day of December, one thousand nine hundred
3 eighty-two, relating to the alcohol beverage control
4 commission (transportation of alcoholic beverages) are
5 authorized.

§64-2-60(7)(2). Alcohol beverage control commission.
1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
2 thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred
3 eighty-two, relating to the alcohol beverage control
4 commission (kitchen and dining facilities) are authorized.
5 These rules were proposed by the alcohol beverage control
6 commission pursuant to sections two and ten, article seven,
7 chapter sixty of this code.

§64-2-60(7)(5). Alcohol beverage control commission.
1 The legislative rules filed in the state register on the
2 twenty-fourth day of August, one thousand nine hundred
3 eighty-two, relating to the alcohol beverage control
4 commission (refusal to license private clubs) are authorized
5 with the exception of subsection (a) of the rules which shall
6 be promulgated as set forth below in this section as follows:
7 (a) For purposes of this regulation, the commissioner
8 may refuse to grant any license if he has reasonable cause to
believe, as indicated by documented evidence, that the applicant, or any officer, director or manager thereof, or shareholder owning twenty percent or more of its capital stock, beneficial or otherwise, or other person conducting or managing the affairs of the applicant or of the proposed licensed premises, in whole or part:

(1) Is not a person of good moral character or repute;

(2) Has maintained a noisy, loud, disorderly or unsanitary establishment;

(3) Has demonstrated, either by his police record or by his record as former licensee under chapter sixty or chapter eleven, article sixteen of the West Virginia code, a lack of respect for law and order, generally, or for the laws and rules governing the sale and distribution of alcoholic beverages or nonintoxicating beer;

(4) Has the general reputation of drinking alcoholic beverages to excess, or is addicted to the use of narcotics;

(5) Has misrepresented a material fact in applying to the commissioner for a license.

For purposes of this regulation, the commissioner shall refuse to grant any license if he has reasonable cause to believe, as indicated by documented evidence that the applicant, or any officer, director of manager thereof, or shareholder owning twenty percent or more of its capital stock, beneficial or otherwise, or other person conducting or managing the affairs of the applicant or of the proposed licensed premises, in whole or part:

(1) Is not eighteen years of age or older;

(2) Has been convicted of a felony or other crime involving moral turpitude, and upon such conviction the applicant shall not be eligible for licensure within five years next preceding successful completion of all conditions of probation, discharge from parole supervision or expiration of sentence;

(3) Has been convicted of violating liquor laws of any state or the United States, and upon such conviction the applicant shall not be eligible for licensure within five years next preceding successful completion of all conditions of probation, discharge from parole supervision or expiration of sentence;

(4) Has had any license revoked under the liquor laws of
any state or the United States within five years next preceding the filing date of the application;

' (5) Is not the legitimate owner of the business proposed to be licensed, or other persons have ownership interests in the business which have not been disclosed;

(6) Is a person to whom alcoholic beverages may not be sold under the provisions of chapter sixty of the West Virginia code;

(7) Has been adjudicated an incompetent;

(8) Is an officer or employee of the alcohol beverage control commissioner of West Virginia; or

(9) Is violating or allowing the violation of any provision of chapter sixty, chapter sixty-one or chapter eleven, article sixteen of the code in its establishment at the time its application for a license is pending.

These rules were proposed by the alcohol beverage control commission pursuant to sections five and ten, article seven, chapter sixty of this code.

§64-1-60(7)(10). Alcohol beverage control commission.

(a) The legislative rules filed in the state register on the thirteenth day of August, one thousand nine hundred eighty-two, relating to the alcohol beverage control commissioner (lighting of licensed premises) are authorized.

(b) The rules authorized by the Legislature in section sixty (7) (2) of this article were also proposed by the alcohol beverage control commission pursuant to section ten, article seven, chapter sixty of this code.

(c) The rules authorized by the Legislature in section sixty (7)(5) of this article were also proposed by the alcohol beverage commission pursuant to section five, article seven, chapter sixty of this code.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

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Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

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President of the Senate

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Speaker House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 29 day of March, 1983.

[Signature]
Governor