WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1984

ENROLLED

House Bill No. 1069

Passed March 7, 1984

In Effect Ninety Days From Passage

(Com. Sub. for)

Delegate Love

(By Mr.)
AN ACT to amend and reenact section eight-b, article fifteen, chapter eight of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to fire companies and departments; and providing that revenues allocated to volunteer and part volunteer fire companies from the municipal pensions and protection fund may be expended for capital improvements, retirement of debts and payment of utility bills.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 15. FIRE FIGHTING; FIRE COMPANIES AND DEPARTMENTS; CIVIL SERVICE FOR PAID FIRE DEPARTMENTS.

§8-15-8b. Authorized expenditures of revenues from the municipal pensions and protection fund.

1 Revenues allocated to volunteer and part volunteer fire companies and departments may be expended only for the items listed in subsections (a) through (g) of this section.
2 Such expenditures may be made for the following:
(a) Personal protective equipment, including protective head gear, bunker coats, pants, boots, combination of bunker pants and boots, coats and gloves;

(b) Equipment for compliance with the national fire protection standard or automotive fire apparatus, NFPA-1901;

(c) Compliance with insurance service office recommendations relating to fire departments;

(d) Rescue equipment, communications equipment and ambulance equipment: Provided, That no moneys received from the municipal pensions and protection fund may be used for equipment for personal vehicles owned or operated by volunteer fire company or department members;

(e) Capital improvement;

(f) Retirement of debts; and

(g) Payment of utility bills.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

James L. Davis  
Chairman Senate Committee

Donald Free  
Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Told C. Welles  
Clerk of the Senate

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

Glenn R. Warner  
President of the Senate

J. Millard Tawes  
Speaker House of Delegates

The within ......... improved this the ....... day of ......... March ........., 1984.

John R. Rippon  
Governor

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