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AN ACT to amend and reenact section twenty-one, article ten, chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended; and to amend and reenact sections three, fourteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, twenty-two, twenty-five, thirty-four and thirty-five, article seven-a, chapter eighteen of said code, all relating to the state public employees retirement act and the state teachers retirement system; providing for certain early retirement provisions for both public employees, under their act, and teachers, under their system, with actuarial reduction of benefits therefor; providing for generally updating the state teachers retirement system including: defining teacher member and nonteaching member; removing the continuous service requirements from the definition of "present teacher"; amending the definition of "average final salary" to mean the average of the member's five highest fiscal year salaries within the last fifteen years of total service on which contributions were made; allowing exceptions to the limit on contributions by members employed by the West Virginia board of regents at institutions of higher education; removing the requirement that all employer contributions be credited to the employer's accumulation fund; requiring state contributions and employer contributions to the teachers retirement system to be deposited in the employer's ac-

cumulation fund; requiring deficits in the benefit fund to be met by transfers from the employer's accumulation fund and, if necessary, from the teachers accumulation fund; requiring all gifts, bequests and interest earnings from investment received by the teachers retirement board to be deposited in the reserve fund; specifying persons who are eligible for prior service pensions; providing increased loans to members and exceptions thereto; and granting service credit toward teachers retirement to cooperative extension service employees employed for thirty hours or more per week and providing for payment.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section twenty-one, article ten, chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted; and that sections three, fourteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, twenty-two, twenty-five, thirty-four and thirty-five, article seven-a, chapter eighteen of said code be amended and reenacted, all to read as follows:

§5-10-21. Deferred retirement and early retirement.

1 (a) Any member, who has five or more years of credited
2 service in force, of which at least three years are contributing
3 service, and who leaves the employ of a participating public
4 employer prior to his attainment of age sixty years, for any rea-
5 son except his disability retirement or death, shall be entitled
6 to an annuity computed according to section twenty-two hereof,
7 as the said section was in force as of the date of his said
8 separation from the employ of a participating public employer;
9 *Provided*, That he does not withdraw his accumulated contri-
10 butions from the members' deposit fund. His said annuity shall
11 begin the first day of the calendar month next following the
12 month in which his application for same is filed with the
13 board of trustees on or after his attainment of age sixty-two
14 years.

15 (b) Any member who qualifies for deferred retirement
16 benefits in accordance with subsection (a) of this section,
17 and has ten or more years of credited service in force and
18 who has attained age fifty-five as of the date of his separa-

19 tion may, prior to the effective date of his retirement, but
 20 not thereafter, elect to receive the actuarial equivalent of his
 21 deferred retirement annuity as a reduced annuity commencing
 22 on the first day of any calendar month between his date of
 23 separation and his attainment of age sixty-two years and pay-
 24 able throughout his life.

25 (c) Any member who qualifies for deferred retirement bene-
 26 fits in accordance with subsection (a) of this section, and
 27 has twenty or more years of credited service in force may
 28 elect to receive the actuarial equivalent of his deferred
 29 retirement annuity as a reduced annuity commencing on the
 30 first day of any calendar month between his fifty-fifth birth-
 31 day and his attainment of age sixty-two years and payable
 32 throughout his life.

33 (d) Notwithstanding any of the other provisions of this
 34 section or of this article and pursuant to regulations pro-
 35 mulgated by the board, any member who has thirty or more
 36 years of credited service in force, at least three of which
 37 are contributing service, and who elects to take early retire-
 38 ment, which for the purposes of this subsection shall mean
 39 retirement prior to age sixty, whether an active employee or
 40 a separated employee at the time of application, shall be
 41 entitled to the full computation of annuity according to sec-
 42 tion twenty-two of this article, as the said section was in force
 43 as of the date of retirement application, but with the reduced
 44 actuarial equivalent of the annuity the member would have
 45 received if his benefit had commenced at age sixty when he
 46 would have been entitled to full computation of benefit without
 47 any reduction.

ARTICLE 7A. STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM.

§18-7A-3. Definitions.

1 "Teacher member" includes the following persons, if re-
 2 gularly employed for at least half-time service: (a) Any per-
 3 son employed for instructional service in the public schools
 4 of West Virginia; (b) principals; (c) public school librarians;
 5 (d) superintendents of schools and assistant county superin-
 6 tendents of schools; (e) any county school attendance director
 7 holding a West Virginia teacher's certificate; (f) the executive

8 secretary of the retirement board; (g) members of the research,
9 extension, administrative or library staffs of the public schools;
10 (h) the state superintendent of schools, heads and assistant
11 heads of the divisions under his supervision, or any other
12 employee thereunder performing services of an educational
13 nature; (i) employees of the state board of education who
14 are performing services of an educational nature; (j) any
15 person employed in a nonteaching capacity by the state board
16 of education, the West Virginia board of regents, any county
17 board of education, the state department of education or the
18 teachers retirement board, if such person was formerly
19 employed as a teacher in the public schools; (k) all class-
20 room teachers, principals and educational administrators in
21 schools under the supervision of the department of cor-
22 rections, the department of health or the department of human
23 services; (l) employees of the state board of school finance
24 if such person was formerly employed as a teacher in the
25 public schools.

26 "Nonteaching member" means any person, except a teacher
27 member, who is regularly employed for full-time service by
28 (a) any county board of education, (b) the state board of
29 education, (c) the West Virginia board of regents or (d) the
30 teachers retirement board.

31 "Members of the administrative staff of the public school"
32 includes deans of instruction, deans of men, deans of women,
33 and financial and administrative secretaries.

34 "Members of the extension staff" of the public schools in-
35 cludes every agricultural agent, boys' and girls' club agent,
36 and every member of the agricultural extension staff whose
37 work is not primarily stenographic, clerical or secretarial.

38 "Retirement system" means the state teachers retirement
39 system provided for in this article.

40 "Present teacher" means any person who was a teacher
41 within the thirty-five years beginning July one, one thousand
42 nine hundred thirty-four, and whose membership in the
43 retirement system is currently active.

44 "New entrant" means a teacher who is not a present
45 teacher.

46 "Present member" means a present teacher who is a mem-
47 ber of the retirement system.

48 "Total service" means all service as a teacher while a
49 member of the retirement system since last becoming a member
50 and, in addition thereto, his credit for prior service, if any.

51 "Prior service" means: All service as a teacher completed
52 prior to July first, one thousand nine hundred forty-one,
53 and all service of a present member who was employed as a
54 teacher, and did not contribute to a retirement account be-
55 cause he was legally ineligible for membership during such
56 service.

57 "Average final salary" means the average of the five highest
58 fiscal year salaries earned as a member within the last fifteen
59 fiscal years of total service credit, including military service
60 as provided herein, or if total service is less than fifteen
61 years, the average annual salary for the period on which
62 contributions were made.

63 "Accumulated contributions" means all deposits and all de-
64 ductions from the earnable compensation of a contributor
65 minus the total of all supplemental fees deducted from his
66 compensation.

67 "Regular interest" means interest at three percent com-
68 pounded annually, or a higher earnable rate if approved by the
69 retirement board.

70 "Refund interest" means interest compounded annually at
71 a rate of three percent.

72 "Employer" means the agency of and within the state
73 which has employed or employs a member.

74 "Contributor" means a member of the retirement system
75 who has an account in the teachers accumulation fund.

76 "Beneficiary" means the recipient of annuity payments made
77 under the retirement system.

78 "Refund beneficiary" means the estate of a deceased con-
79 tributor, or such person as he shall have nominated as bene-

80 ficiary of his contributions by written designation duly executed
81 and filed with the retirement board.

82 "Earnable compensation" means the full compensation
83 actually received by members for service as teachers whether
84 or not a part of such compensation is received from other
85 funds, federal or otherwise, than those provided by the
86 state or its subdivisions. Allowances from employers for
87 maintenance of members shall be deemed a part of earnable
88 compensation for such members whose allowances were ap-
89 proved by the teachers retirement board and contributions to
90 the teachers retirement system were made, in accordance
91 therewith, on or before the first day of July, one thousand nine
92 hundred eighty.

93 "Annuities" means the annual retirement payments for life
94 granted beneficiaries in accordance with this article.

95 "Member" means a member of the retirement system.

96 "Public schools" means all publicly supported schools,
97 including normal schools, colleges, and universities in this
98 state.

99 "Deposit" means a voluntary payment to his account by a
100 member.

101 The masculine gender shall be construed so as to include
102 the feminine.

103 Age in excess of seventy years shall be deemed to be
104 seventy years.

§18-7A-14. Contributions by members.

1 At the end of each month every member of the retirement
2 system shall contribute six percent of his monthly earnable
3 compensation to the retirement board: *Provided*, That any
4 member employed by the West Virginia board of regents at
5 an institution of higher education under its control shall con-
6 tribute on his full earnable compensation, unless otherwise
7 provided in section fourteen-a of this article.

8 Annually, the contributions of each member shall be credited
9 to his account in the teachers accumulation fund. The con-

10 tributions shall be deducted from the salaries of the mem-
 11 bers as herein prescribed, and every member shall be deemed
 12 to have given his consent to such deductions. No deductions,
 13 however, shall be made from the earnable compensation of
 14 any member who retired because of age or service, and then
 15 resumed service unless as provided in section thirteen-a of
 16 this article.

17 The aggregate of employer contributions, due and payable
 18 under this article, shall equal annually the total deductions
 19 from the earnable compensation of members required by this
 20 section.

21 Payment by an employer to a member of the sum specified
 22 in the employment contract minus the amount of the em-
 23 ployee's deductions shall be deemed to be a full discharge of
 24 the employer's contractual obligation as to earnable com-
 25 pensation.

26 Each contributor shall file with the retirement board or with
 27 the employer to be forwarded to the retirement board an en-
 28 rollment form showing his date of birth and other data needed
 29 by the retirement board.

§18-7A-16. Transfer of appropriations.

1 The retirement board, on receipt of contributions from
 2 teachers deducted and remitted by employers as provided in
 3 section fifteen of this article, shall make requisition on the
 4 state auditor for an amount equaling such contributions. On
 5 receipt of the requisitions duly certified, the state auditor
 6 shall transfer the amount so requisitioned from the general
 7 state revenue fund to the employers accumulation fund.

8 At the beginning of each quarter the governor shall trans-
 9 fer to the employers accumulation fund one fourth of the
 10 annual appropriations therefor.

§18-7A-17. Statement and computation of teachers' service.

1 Under such rules and regulations as the retirement board
 2 may adopt, each teacher shall file a detailed statement of his
 3 length of service as a teacher for which he claims credit. The
 4 retirement board shall determine what part of a year is the

5 equivalent of a year of service. In computing such service,
6 however, it shall credit no period of more than a month's
7 duration during which a member was absent without pay,
8 nor shall it credit for more than one year of service performed
9 in any calendar year.

10 For the purpose of this article, the retirement board shall
11 grant prior service credit to new entrants and other members of
12 the retirement system for service in any of the armed forces
13 of the United States in any period of national emergency
14 within which a Federal Selective Service Act was in effect.
15 For purposes of this section, "armed forces" shall include
16 Women's Army Corps, Women's Appointed Volunteers for
17 Emergency Service, Army Nurse Corps, Spars, Women's Re-
18 serve and other similar units officially parts of the military
19 service of the United States. Such military service shall be
20 deemed equivalent to public school teaching, and the salary
21 equivalent for each year of such service shall be the actual
22 salary of the member as a teacher for his first year of teaching
23 after discharge from military service. Prior service credit for
24 military service shall not exceed ten years for any one mem-
25 ber, nor shall it exceed twenty-five percent of total service
26 at the time of retirement.

27 For service as a teacher in the employment of the federal
28 government, or a state or territory of the United States, or a
29 governmental subdivision of such state or territory, the re-
30 tirement board shall grant credit to the member: *Provided,*
31 That the member shall pay to the system double the amount
32 he contributed during the first full year of current employment,
33 times the number of years for which credit is granted, plus
34 interest at a rate to be determined by the retirement board.
35 Such interest shall be deposited in the reserve fund and service
36 credit so granted at the time of retirement shall not exceed
37 the lesser of ten years or fifty percent of the member's total
38 service as a teacher in West Virginia. Any transfer of out-of-
39 state service, as provided in this article, shall not be used
40 to establish eligibility for a retirement allowance and the
41 retirement board shall grant credit for such transferred service
42 as additional service only: *Provided, however,* That a trans-
43 fer of out-of-state service shall be prohibited if such service is

44 used to obtain a retirement benefit from another retirement
 45 system: *Provided further*, That salaries paid to members for
 46 service prior to entrance into the retirement system shall not
 47 be used to compute the average final salary of such member
 48 under the retirement system.

49 No member shall be deemed absent from service as a teacher
 50 while serving as a member of the Legislature of the state of
 51 West Virginia during any duly constituted session of that
 52 body: *Provided*, That the member makes contributions to
 53 the system equal to what would have been contributed during
 54 the period of absence had he performed his duties as a
 55 teacher.

56 No member shall be deemed absent from service as a teacher
 57 while serving on leave of absence as an officer with a state-
 58 wide professional teaching association, or who has served
 59 in such capacity, and no retired teacher, who served on such
 60 leave of absence while a member, shall be deemed to have
 61 been absent from service as a teacher by reason of such service
 62 on leave of absence: *Provided*, That the period of service
 63 credit granted for such service on leave of absence shall not
 64 exceed two years: *Provided, however*, That a member or
 65 retired teacher who is serving or has served as an officer of a
 66 statewide professional teaching association shall make deposits
 67 to the teachers retirement board, for the time of any such
 68 absence, in an amount double the amount which he would have
 69 contributed in his regular assignment for a like period of
 70 time.

71 The teachers retirement board shall grant service credit to
 72 any former or present member of the West Virginia public
 73 employees retirement system who has been a contributing
 74 member for more than three years, for service previously cred-
 75 ited by the public employees retirement system, and (1) shall
 76 require ^{for} ~~and~~ transfer of the member's contributions to the
 77 teachers retirement system or (2) shall require a repayment of
 78 the amount withdrawn any time prior to the member's retire-
 79 ment: *Provided*, That there shall be added by the member to
 80 the amounts transferred or repaid under this paragraph an
 81 amount which shall be sufficient to equal the contributions he
 82 would have made had the member been under the teachers re-

83 tirement system during the period of his membership in the
84 public employees retirement system plus interest at a rate
85 of six percent compounded annually from the date of with-
86 drawal to the date of payment. The interest paid shall be de-
87 posited in the reserve fund.

88 If a member is not eligible for prior service credit or pension
89 as provided in this article, then his prior service shall not be
90 deemed a part of his total service.

91 A member who withdrew from membership shall be per-
92 mitted to regain his former membership rights as specified in
93 section thirteen of this article only in case he has served
94 two years since his last withdrawal.

95 Subject to the above provisions, the board shall verify as
96 soon as practicable, the statements of service submitted. The
97 retirement board shall issue prior service certificates to all
98 persons eligible therefor under the provisions of this article.
99 Such certificates shall state the length of such prior service
100 credit, but in no case shall the prior service credit exceed
101 forty years.

§18-7A-18. Funds created; fund transfers.

1 The funds created are the teachers accumulation fund, the
2 employers accumulation fund, the benefit fund, the reserve
3 fund, and the expense fund. Each fund shall constitute a
4 separate trust.

5 (a) The teachers accumulation fund shall be the fund in
6 which the contributions of members shall be accumulated.
7 The accumulated contributions of a member returned to him
8 upon his withdrawal, or paid to his estate or designated
9 beneficiary in the event of death, shall be paid from the
10 teachers accumulation fund. Any accumulated contributions
11 forfeited by failure to claim such contributions shall be trans-
12 ferred from the teachers accumulation fund to the reserve
13 fund.

14 (b) Beginning on the first day of July, one thousand nine
15 hundred eighty-four, contributions of employers, equalling
16 annually the members' contributions, shall be deposited in the

17 employers accumulation fund through state appropriations,
18 and such amounts shall be included in the budget bill sub-
19 mitted annually by the Governor.

20 (c) The benefit fund shall be the fund from which annuities
21 shall be paid. Upon the retirement of a member, his ac-
22 cumulated contributions shall be transferred from the teachers
23 accumulation fund to the benefit fund; the accumulated em-
24 ployers' contribution shall be transferred from the employers
25 accumulation fund to the benefit fund; and annually a sum
26 for prior service pension and disability credits, if needed,
27 shall be transferred from the reserve fund to the benefit
28 fund. Any deficit occurring in the benefit fund which is not
29 automatically met by payments to that fund, as provided for
30 by this article, shall be met by additional transfers from the
31 employers accumulation fund and, if necessary, by transfers
32 from the teachers accumulation fund.

33 (d) The retirement board is hereby authorized to accept
34 gifts and bequests. All gifts, bequests and interest earnings
35 from investment received by the board shall be deposited in
36 the reserve fund. Any funds that may come into possession
37 of the retirement system in this manner or which may be
38 transferred from the teachers accumulation fund by reason
39 of the lack of a claimant or because of a surplus in any
40 of the funds; or any other moneys the disposition of which
41 is not otherwise provided for shall be credited to the reserve
42 fund. The retirement board shall allow interest on the con-
43 tributions in the teachers accumulation fund. Such inter-
44 est shall be paid from the reserve fund and credited to
45 the teachers accumulation fund. Any deficit occurring in
46 any fund which would not be automatically covered by the
47 payments to that fund as otherwise provided by this article
48 shall be met by transfers from the reserve fund to such
49 fund. In the reserve fund shall be accumulated moneys from
50 retirement board appropriations to pay the accrued liabilities
51 of the system, caused by the granting of prior service, ad
52 hoc increases granted prior to the first day of July, one
53 thousand nine hundred eighty and disability pensions. Costs
54 associated with board investments such as premiums, accrued
55 interest, and commissions, shall be paid from the reserve fund.

56 (e) The expense fund shall be the fund from which shall
57 be paid the expense incurred in the administration of the
58 retirement system. The retirement board is herewith authorized
59 to pay, from the expense fund, membership fees in such
60 voluntary organizations as the national council on teacher
61 retirement, anything in this code to the contrary notwith-
62 standing. Interest on loans to members shall be deposited
63 in the expense fund.

64 The retirement board is herewith given sole authority to
65 direct and approve the making of any and all fund transfers
66 as provided herein, anything in this code to the contrary not-
67 withstanding.

§18-7A-22. Persons eligible for prior service pensions.

1 The following shall be eligible for prior service pensions:

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2 (a) Present member upon retirement;

3 (b) Any person who has served at least twenty-five years
4 as a teacher prior to July one, one thousand nine hundred
5 forty-one; and

6 (c) A new entrant who becomes a present teacher.

§18-7A-25. Eligibility for retirement allowance.

1 Any member who has attained the age of sixty years or
2 who has had thirty-five years of total service as a teacher
3 in West Virginia, regardless of age, shall be eligible for
4 an annuity. No new entrant nor present member shall be
5 eligible for an annuity, however, if either has less than
6 five years of service to his credit.

7 Any member who has attained the age of fifty-five years
8 and who has served thirty years as a teacher in West Virginia
9 shall be eligible for an annuity.

10 Any member who has served at least thirty but less than
11 thirty-five years as a teacher in West Virginia and is less
12 than fifty-five years of age shall be eligible for an annuity,
13 but the same shall be the reduced actuarial equivalent of the
14 annuity the member would have received if such member were
15 age fifty-five at the time such annuity was applied for.

16 The request for any annuity shall be made by the member
17 in writing to the retirement board, but in case of retirement for
18 disability, the written request may be made by either the
19 member or the employer.

20 A member shall be eligible for annuity for disability, if he
21 satisfies the conditions in both (a) and (b) as follows:

22 (a) His service as a teacher in West Virginia must total at
23 least ten years, and service as a teacher must have been termi-
24 nated because of disability, which disability must have caused
25 absence from service for at least six months before his appli-
26 cation for disability annuity is approved.

27 (b) An examination by a physician or physicians selected
28 by the retirement board must show that the member is at
29 the time mentally or physically incapacitated for service
30 as a teacher, that for such service the disability is total and
31 likely to be permanent, and that he should be retired in con-
32 sequence thereof.

33 Continuance of the disability of the retired teacher shall be
34 established by medical examination, as prescribed in the pre-
35 ceding paragraph, annually for five years after retirement, and
36 thereafter at such times as the retirement board may require.
37 Payment of the disability annuity provided in this article
38 shall cease immediately, if the retirement board finds that the
39 disability of the retired teacher no longer exists, or if the
40 retired teacher refuses to submit to medical examination as
41 required by this section.

§18-7A-34. Loans to members.

1 A member of the retirement system upon written applica-
2 tion may borrow from his individual account in the teachers
3 accumulation fund, subject to these restrictions:

4 (1) Loans shall be made in multiples of ten dollars, the
5 minimal loan being one hundred dollars and the maximum
6 being eight thousand dollars except if the total amount of
7 loaned money outstanding exceeds twenty million dollars, the
8 maximum will be three thousand dollars until the teachers re-
9 tirement board determines that loans outstanding have been
10 reduced to an extent that eight thousand dollar loans are again
11 authorized.

12 (2) Loans to any one member shall not exceed one half of
13 his contributions to his individual account in the teachers
14 accumulation fund.

15 (3) Interest charged on the amount of the loan shall be
16 six percent per annum, or a higher rate as set by the
17 teachers retirement board. If repayable in installments, the
18 interest shall not exceed the annual rate so established upon
19 the principal amount of the loan, for the entire period of
20 the loan, and such charge shall be added to the principal
21 amount of the loan. The minimal interest charge shall be
22 for six months.

23 (4) No member shall be eligible for more than one loan
24 in any one year.

25 (5) If a refund or benefit is payable to the borrower or
26 his beneficiary before he repays the loan with interest, the
27 balance due with interest to date shall be deducted from
28 such benefit or refund.

29 (6) From his monthly salary as a teacher the member
30 shall pay the loan and interest by deductions which will pay
31 the loan and interest in not more than sixty nor less than six
32 months. Upon notice of loan granted and payment due, the
33 employer shall be responsible for making such salary deductions
34 and reporting them to the retirement board. At the option
35 of the retirement board, loan deductions may be collected as
36 prescribed herein for the collection of members' contribution,
37 or may be collected through issuance of warrant by employer.
38 If the borrower decides to make loan payments while not paid
39 for service as a teacher, the retirement board must accept such
40 payments."

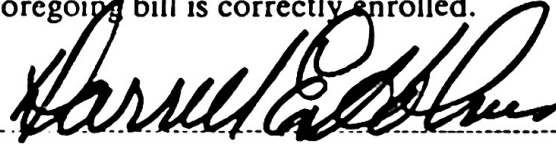
§18-7A-35. Coverage for nonteaching employees; prior service credit.

1 (a) Nonteaching employees shall mean all persons, except
2 teachers, regularly employed for full-time service by the
3 following educational agencies: (a) Any county board of
4 education, (b) the state board of education, (c) the West
5 Virginia board of regents, (d) and the teachers retirement
6 board.

7 (b) Such nonteaching employees shall be entitled to all
8 the rights, privileges and benefits provided for teachers by
9 this article, upon the same terms and conditions as are
10 herein prescribed for teachers. Any member who was em-
11 ployed as a regular full-time employee in a nonteaching
12 capacity by a board of education, school principal or school
13 administrator, prior to the time he became eligible for mem-
14 bership in the state teachers retirement system, shall be
15 granted prior service credit for such service upon making
16 application to the retirement board and providing satisfactory
17 evidence of such service.

18 (c) Except as provided in section thirteen-b of this article,
19 employees of the cooperative extension service and its pre-
20 decessors in title, (agricultural extension division, West Vir-
21 ginia extension agency, and West Virginia University Co-
22 operative extension service) shall be entitled to all the rights,
23 privileges and benefits provided for teachers by this article,
24 upon the same terms and conditions as are herein prescribed
25 for teachers. Any member of the extension service or its
26 predecessors in title, who was employed for thirty hours or
27 more per week, prior to the time he became eligible for mem-
28 bership in the state teachers retirement system, shall be granted
29 service credit for such service upon making application to the
30 retirement board and providing satisfactory evidence of such
31 service. When the prior service is credited, each member of
32 the retirement system so credited shall contribute an amount
33 equal to the amount he would have contributed had he been a
34 member of the retirement system during the period credited.

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



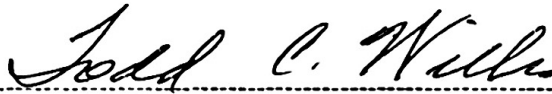
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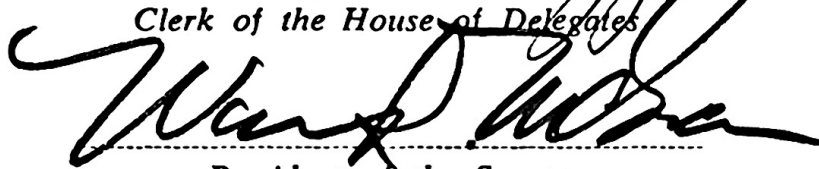
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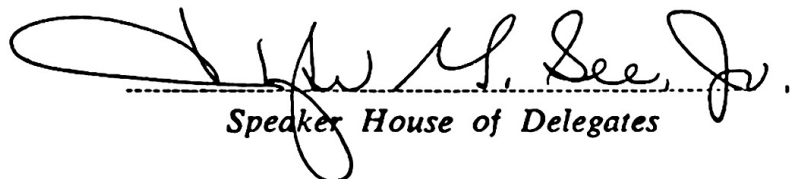
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The within is approved this the 26
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