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SENATE BILL NO. 174

(By Senator Luce, M. Resident)

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#### COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

FOR

## Senate Bill No. 174

(By Senator Tucker, Mr. President, By request)

[Passed April 6, 1989; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section seven, article sixteen, chapter thirty of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the fee for renewal of a chiropractic license and to requirements for continuing chiropractic education.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

#### ARTICLE 16. CHIROPRACTORS.

# §30-16-7. License; annual renewal fee; effect of failure to renew; reinstatement.

- 1 All holders of certificates of license to practice
- $2\,\,$  chiropractic in this state shall renew them annually on
- 3 or before the first day of July of each year: (1) By
- 4 paying the board an annual renewal fee not exceeding
- 5 one hundred dollars as determined by the board; and

- 6 (2) by presenting to the board evidence of attendance 7 of at least twelve classroom hours of continuing 8 education each year. The West Virginia board of 9 chiropractic examiners shall approve the fulfillment of 10 the continuing education requirement. The board shall 11 notify each certificate holder by mail, at least thirty 12 days prior to the first day of July of each year, of the 13 necessity of renewing his or her certificate. The first 14 annual renewal fee shall be due on the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred sixty-five.
- The failure to renew a certificate of license to practice chiropractic shall operate as an automatic suspension of the rights and privileges granted by its issuance.

20 A certificate of license suspended by a failure to 21 make an annual renewal may be reinstated by the board upon presentation of evidence of attendance of 2223at least twelve classroom hours of continuing 24 education for each year such license has been suspended; payment of all fees that would have been paid had the certificate holder maintained his certifi-27cate in good standing and the payment to the board of a reinstatement fee of not to exceed fifty dollars as determined by the board; but no certificate shall be 30 reinstated after a lapse of three years. After a lapse of three years, license may be issued only after the 32 former certificate holder subsequent to said lapse has 33 passed the examination provided for in this article.

## 3 [Enr. Com. Sub. for S. B. No. 174

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

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Bernar V. Kelly
Chairman House Completee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect ninety days from passage.

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