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REGULAR SESSION, 1989



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SENATE BILL NO. 188

*Originating in the Committee*  
*[Redacted] or in Finance*



PASSED April 1, 1989

In Effect from Passage

**ENROLLED**

**Senate Bill No. 188**

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(Originating in the Committee on Finance.)

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[Passed April 1, 1989; in effect from passage.]

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section twelve, article three, chapter twelve of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to expiration of appropriations; and clarifying authority of the Legislature to expire appropriations prior to the end of a fiscal year.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

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

**ARTICLE 3. APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES.**

**§12-3-12. Expiration of unexpended appropriations.**

1 Every appropriation which is payable out of the  
2 general revenue, or so much thereof as may remain  
3 undrawn at the end of the year for which made, shall  
4 be deemed to have expired at the end of the year for  
5 which it is made, and no warrant shall thereafter be  
6 issued upon it: *Provided*, That warrants may be drawn  
7 through the thirty-first day of July after the end of

8 the year for which the appropriation is made if the  
9 warrants are in payment of bills for such year and  
10 have been encumbered by the budget office prior to  
11 July first; but appropriations for buildings and land or  
12 capital outlay shall remain in effect, and shall not be  
13 deemed to have expired until the end of three years  
14 after the passage of the act by which such  
15 appropriations are made: *Provided, however,* That if  
16 such thirty-first day of July is on Saturday, then  
17 warrants may only be drawn through the Friday  
18 immediately preceding such Saturday, but if such  
19 thirty-first day of July is on Sunday, the warrants  
20 may be drawn through the Monday immediately  
21 following such Sunday.

22 The Legislature may expire or provide for the  
23 expiration of any appropriation prior to the end of the  
24 fiscal year for which it is made.

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

*Frederick L. Parker*  
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Chairman Senate Committee

*Bernard V. Kelly*  
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Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect from passage.

*Paul C. Mills*  
.....  
Clerk of the Senate

*Donald D. Kopp*  
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Clerk of the House of Delegates

*John A. Stender*  
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President of the Senate

*W. H. R. [Signature]*  
.....  
Speaker House of Delegates

The within *is approved* this the *7<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *April* 19*49*.  
*Gaston Caperton*  
.....  
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 4/6

Time 9:29