

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1990



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Com. Sub. for
HOUSE BILL No. 2609

(By ~~MR.~~ *Del. Murphy*)



Passed *March 8,* 1990

In Effect *ninety days from* Passage

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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR
H. B. 2609
(By DELEGATE MURPHY)

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AN ACT to amend article three, chapter twenty-nine of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section sixteen-b, relating to the fire prevention and control act; and authorizing the use of live trees in public buildings.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article three, chapter twenty-nine of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated section sixteen-b, to read as follows:

ARTICLE 3. FIRE PREVENTION AND CONTROL ACT.

§29-3-16b. Use of live trees in public buildings; exceptions.

1 Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the
2 contrary, live trees may be displayed in public buildings
3 if the trees are not decorated with electrical lights or
4 are decorated with U.L. approved miniature lights. The
5 provisions of this section do not apply to public buildings
6 used for education, health care, nursing homes or
7 correctional facilities.

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

Frederick J. Perre
Chairman Senate Committee

Bernard V. Kelly
Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

Warren E. Alden
Clerk of the Senate

Daniel L. Stopp
Clerk of the House of Delegates

Kathy Gundette
President of the Senate

Robert C. Palmer
Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within is approved this the *26th*
day of *March*, 1990.

Gaston Caperton
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

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