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HOUSE BILL No. 4594

(By DelegateS Kiss and Conley)

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Passed March 3, 1992

In Effect From Passage

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H. B. 4594

(By DELEGATES KISS AND CONLEY)

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AN ACT finding and declaring certain claims for compensation of innocent victims of crimes occurring in West Virginia to be moral obligations of the state and directing the auditor to issue warrants for the payment thereof.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

COMPENSATION AWARDS TO VICTIMS OF CRIMES.

§1. Finding and declaring certain crime victims claims for compensation to be moral obligations of the state and directing payment thereof.

1 The Legislature has duly considered the findings of
2 fact and recommendations for awards reported to it by
3 the court of claims in respect to the following named
4 claimants who were innocent victims of crime within
5 this state and entitled to compensation; and in respect
6 to each of such named claimants the Legislature adopts
7 those findings of fact as its own, hereby declares it to
8 be the moral obligation of the state to pay each such
9 claimant in the amount specified below, and directs the
10 auditor to issue warrants for the payment thereof out
11 of any fund appropriated and available for the purpose.

12 *Claims for Crime Victims Compensation Awards:*

13 (TO BE PAID FROM CRIME VICTIMSCOMPENSATION FUND)

14	(1)	Adams, Elizabeth M. and Robert C., as	
15		guardians of Timothy Dean Adams	\$ 5,000.00
16	(2)	Adams, Elizabeth M. and Robert C.,	
17		as guardians of Lorie Ann Miller ...	\$ 5,000.00
18	(3)	Allen, Fred L	\$ 5,000.00
19	(4)	Baldwin, Arminta T.	\$ 15,000.00
20	(5)	Barker, Linda L.	\$ 2,500.00
21	(6)	Barker, Paul E.	\$ 2,500.00
22	(7)	Cornwell, Edward P., Sr.	\$ 10,000.00
23	(8)	Cyfers, Melvin, Jr., as guardian of	
24		Cassandra Faith Vance	\$ 5,000.00
25	(9)	Cyfers, Melvin, Jr., as guardian of	
26		Gideon Lee Vance, II.....	\$ 5,000.00
27	(10)	Cyfers, Melvin, Jr., as guardian of	
28		Joseph Louis Vance	\$ 5,000.00
29	(11)	Cyfers, Melvin, Jr., and Myrtle Cyfers,	
30		as guardians of Joseph L. Vance	\$ 15,000.00
31	(12)	Darby, Billie J.	\$ 2,500.00
32	(13)	Edens, Mildred K.	\$ 2,500.00
33	(14)	Fleming, Vernon & Jeannette,	
34		guardians of Shayna K. Rinker	\$ 5,000.00
35	(15)	Fleming, Vernon & Jeannette,	
36		guardians of Timber J. Rinker	\$ 5,000.00
37	(16)	Fraker, Michael A.....	\$ 15,000.00
38	(17)	Haddix, Helen, as guardian of	
39		Ryan Zirkle	\$ 5,000.00
40	(18)	Hager, Dottie	\$ 5,000.00
41	(19)	Hager, Dottie, as guardian of	
42		Lanny Hager	\$ 5,000.00
43	(20)	Hager, Dottie, as guardian of	
44		Orla Ray Hager	\$ 5,000.00
45	(21)	Hager, Dottie, as guardian of	
46		Walter Lee Hager	\$ 5,000.00
47	(22)	Helms, Darren L.	\$ 15,000.00
48	(23)	Hornsby, Tex A.	\$ 5,000.00
49	(24)	Hornsby, Tex A., as guardian of	
50		Aaron James Hornsby	\$ 5,000.00
51	(25)	Hornsby, Tex A., as guardian of	
52		Amanda Dawn Hornsby	\$ 5,000.00
53	(26)	Hornsby, Tex A., as guardian of	
54		Christopher Allen Hornsby	\$ 5,000.00
55	(27)	Kimble, Tessie A., as guardian of	

56		Christine April Day.....	\$ 5,000.00
57	(28)	Kimble, Tessie A., as guardian of	
58		Paul Michael Day.....	\$ 5,000.00
59	(29)	King, John B.	\$ 15,000.00
60	(30)	Lewis, Thomas G.	\$ 15,000.00
61	(31)	Lucas, John L.	\$ 10,000.00
62	(32)	McCoy, Yvonne	\$ 15,000.00
63	(33)	McGuire, Ronald C.	\$ 5,000.00
64	(34)	Messenger, Wilson N.	\$ 15,000.00
65	(35)	Mooney, Ann M.	\$ 5,000.00
66	(36)	Mooney, Ann M., as guardian of	
67		Erin Denise Mooney	\$ 5,000.00
68	(37)	Mooney, Ann M., as guardian of	
69		Jeremy Richard Mooney	\$ 5,000.00
70	(38)	Nalley, Amanda I.	\$ 10,000.00
71	(39)	Neace, Melvin	\$ 15,000.00
72	(40)	Patrick, Larry S., Jr.	\$ 10,000.00
73	(41)	Pauley, Cynthia White Sanson, as	
74		guardian of Billy Lee Sanson, III ...	\$ 2,500.00
75	(42)	Pauley, Kevin, guardian of	
76		Victoria K. Pauley	\$ 5,000.00
77	(43)	Perry, Judith A.	\$ 5,000.00
78	(44)	Powell, Harry C.	\$ 5,000.00
79	(45)	Prunty, Kevin W.	\$ 15,000.00
80	(46)	Roberts, Dennis R.	\$ 15,000.00
81	(47)	Rose, Jesse J.	\$ 15,000.00
82	(48)	Sovine, Connie J.	\$ 5,000.00
83	(49)	Sovine, Connie J., as guardian of	
84		Robert S. Sovine	\$ 5,000.00
85	(50)	Steele, Boyd, Jr.	\$ 5,000.00
86	(51)	Steele, Boyd, Jr., as parent for and on	
87		behalf of Angela Pearl Meadows ...	\$ 5,000.00
88	(52)	Stout, Timothy E.	\$ 10,000.00
89	(53)	Swanson, Debra J., as guardian of	
90		Theodore Honaker, Jr.	\$ 5,000.00
91	(54)	Swanson, Debra J., as guardian of	
92		Walter Lee Honaker	\$ 5,000.00
93	(55)	Thompson, Betty A.	\$ 5,000.00
94	(56)	Watkins, Ronald C.	\$ 15,000.00
95	(57)	White, Brenda	\$ 5,000.00
96	(58)	White, Brenda, as guardian of	
97		Frances Renee White	\$ 2,500.00

98	(59)	White, Brenda, as guardian of	
99		Louis White	\$ 2,500.00
100	(60)	Wilson, Kimberly R. Beavers	\$ 5,000.00
101	(61)	Wilson, William C.	\$ 15,000.00
102	(62)	Wiseman, Linda C.	\$ 15,000.00
103	(63)	Wolford, Mark L.	<u>\$ 10,000.00</u>
104		TOTAL	\$477,500.00
105		The Legislature finds that the above moral obligations	
106		and the appropriations made in satisfaction thereof shall	
107		be the full compensation for all claimants herein.	

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

Homer Leck

Chairman Senate Committee

Ernest C. Moore

Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect from passage.

Narrell E. Holmes

Clerk of the Senate

Donald L. Kopp

Clerk of the House of Delegates

Walter F. Rudette

President of the Senate

Robert C. Call

Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within *is approved* this the *17th*
day of *March* 1992.

Gaston Caperton

Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 3/12/92
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