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SENATE BILL NO. 295

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Senate Bill No. 295

(By Senator Tomblin)

[Passed March 7, 1992; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section nine, article sixteen, chapter seventeen-c of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the misdemeanor crime of operating a motor vehicle without a current and valid inspection; making certain technical revisions; setting forth exceptions; providing criminal penalties; and setting forth exceptions to the imposition of criminal penalties.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 16. INSPECTION OF VEHICLES.

§17C-16-9. Operation without certificate or failure to produce certificate; penalty for misdemeanor.

- 1 It is a misdemeanor for any owner or operator, or
- $2\,\,$ both owner and operator, of any vehicle required to be
- 3 inspected under subsection (a), section four of this 4 article, to operate or permit to be operated such
- 5 vehicle without having displayed thereon a current
- 6 and valid certificate of inspection and approval or fail

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7 to produce same upon demand of any authorized 8 person as designated under said subsection: *Provided*, 9 That a dealer licensed to sell new vehicles under the 10 provision of article six, chapter seventeen-a of this 11 code shall not be required to display a certificate of 12 inspection and approval upon any new vehicle if the 13 vehicle is driven for an operational purpose including 14 all activities associated with dealer preparation for sale 15 of a motor vehicle belonging to such dealer when such 16 vehicle has not been titled or delivered to a purchaser, 17 and when such car is not to be used in the demonstra-18 tor fleet or otherwise routinely driven on the high-19 ways or roads of this state.

Unless another penalty is by the laws of this state 21 provided, every person convicted of a misdemeanor 22 for operating a vehicle without having displayed 23 thereon a current and valid certificate of inspection and approval or for failure to produce such certificate 25 upon demand of an authorized person shall be pun-26 ished by a fine of not more than one hundred dollars: 27 Provided, That any person who obtains an inspection 28 and a current and valid certificate of inspection and 29 who, within five days of the issuance of a citation for 30 a violation of the provisions of this section, provides a 31 receipt of inspection to and makes the vehicle so 32operated available for examination by a court of 33 competent jurisdiction, shall not be guilty of a viola-34 tion of the provisions of this section: Provided, how-35 ever, That the misdemeanor penalty shall be imposed 36 if the certificate of inspection has not been valid for a period exceeding three months prior to the date of the 38 issuance of a citation.

The Joint Committee on			hereby	certifies
that the foregoing bill is corr	ectly enro	lled.		
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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

Senate Bill No. 297

(By Senator Spears, original sponsor)

[Passed March 3, 1992; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section two, article one, chapter five-f of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended; and to amend and reenact section one, article two of said chapter, relating to the reorganization of the executive branch of state government; seven departments; changing the name of the department of public safety to department of military affairs and public safety; the office of secretary as the head of each department; transfer to such departments of numerous state agencies and boards and their allied, advisory, affiliated and related entities and funds; removing and correcting transfer references to certain agencies and boards; retaining the existence, powers, authority, duties and status of administrators, agencies and boards; providing for code references elsewhere; and removing the crime victims compensation fund from reorganization of the executive branch of state government.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section two, article one, chapter five-f of the code of

West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted; and that section one, article two of said chapter be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS.

§5F-1-2. Executive departments created; offices of secretary created.

- 1 (a) There are hereby created, within the executive
- 2 branch of the state government, the following
- 3 departments:
- 4 (1) Department of administration;
- 5 (2) Department of commerce, labor and environ-
- 6 mental resources:
- 7 (3) Department of education and the arts;
- 8 (4) Department of health and human resources;
- 9 (5) Department of military affairs and public safety;
- 10 (6) Department of tax and revenue; and
- 11 (7) Department of transportation.
- 12 (b) Each department shall be headed by a secretary
- 13 who shall be appointed by the governor by and with
- 14 the advice and consent of the Senate and who shall
- 15 serve at the will and pleasure of the governor.

ARTICLE 2. TRANSFER OF AGENCIES AND BOARDS.

§5F-2-1. Transfer and incorporation of agencies and boards; funds.

- 1 (a) The following agencies and boards, including all
- 2 of the allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and
- 3 funds associated with any such agency or board, are
- 4 hereby transferred to and incorporated in and shall be
- 5 administered as a part of the department of
- 6 administration:
- 7 (1) Building commission provided for in article six,
- 8 chapter five of this code;
- 9 (2) Public employees insurance agency and public

- 10 employees insurance agency advisory board provided
- 11 for in article sixteen, chapter five of this code;
- 12 (3) Council of finance and administration provided
- 13 for in article one, chapter five-a of this code;
- 14 (4) Employee suggestion award board provided for in
- 15 article one-a, chapter five-a of this code;
- 16 (5) Governor's mansion advisory committee pro-
- 17 vided for in article four-a, chapter five-a of this code;
- 18 (6) Commission on uniform state laws provided for 19 in article one-a, chapter twenty-nine of this code;
- 20 (7) Education and state employees grievance board
- 21 provided for in article twenty-nine, chapter eighteen
- 22 and article six-a, chapter twenty-nine of this code;
- 23 (8) Board of risk and insurance management pro-
- 24 vided for in article twelve, chapter twenty-nine of this 25 code:
- 26 (9) Boundary commission provided for in article 27 twenty-three, chapter twenty-nine of this code;
- 28 (10) Public defender services provided for in article
- 29 twenty-one, chapter twenty-nine of this code;
- 30 (11) Division of personnel provided for in article six,
- 31 chapter twenty-nine of this code;
- 32 (12) The West Virginia ethics commission provided
- 33 for in article two, chapter six-b of this code; and
- 34 (13) Consolidated public retirement board provided
- 35 for in article ten-d, chapter five of this code.
- 36 (b) The following agencies and boards, including all
- 37 of the allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and
- 38 funds associated with any such agency or board, are
- 39 hereby transferred to and incorporated in and shall be
- 40 administered as a part of the department of com-
- 41 merce, labor and environmental resources:
- 42 (1) Forest management review commission provided
- 43 for in article twenty-four, chapter five of this code;
- 44 (2) Division of tourism and parks provided for in

- 45 article one, chapter five-b of this code;
- 46 (3) Office of community and industrial development
- 47 or successor agency provided for in article two,
- 48 chapter five-b of this code;
- 49 (4) Enterprise zone authority provided for in article 50 two-b, chapter five-b of this code;
- 51 (5) Office of federal procurement assistance provided 52 for in article two-c, chapter five-b of this code;
- 53 (6) Labor-management council provided for in 54 article four, chapter five-b of this code;
- 55 (7) Public energy authority and board provided for 56 in chapter five-d of this code;
- 57 (8) Air pollution control commission provided for in 58 article twenty, chapter sixteen of this code;
- 59 (9) Solid waste management board provided for in 60 article twenty-six, chapter sixteen of this code;
- 61 (10) Division of forestry and forestry commission 62 provided for in article one-a, chapter nineteen of this 63 code:
- 64 (11) Division of natural resources and natural 65 resources commission provided for in article one, 66 chapter twenty of this code;
- 67 (12) Water resources board provided for in article 68 five, chapter twenty of this code;
- 69 (13) Water development authority and board pro-70 vided for in article five-c, chapter twenty of this code;
- 71 (14) Division of labor provided for in article one, 72 chapter twenty-one of this code;
- 73 (15) Occupational safety and health review commis-74 sion provided for in article three-a, chapter twenty-75 one of this code;
- 76 (16) Board of manufactured housing construction 77 and safety provided for in article nine, chapter 78 twenty-one of this code;
- 79 (17) Division of environmental protection provided

- 80 for in article one, chapter twenty-two of this code;
- 81 (18) Reclamation board of review provided for in 82 article four, chapter twenty-two of this code;
- 83 (19) Board of appeals provided for in article five, 84 chapter twenty-two of this code;
- 85 (20) Board of coal mine health and safety and coal 86 mine safety and technical review committee provided 87 for in article six, chapter twenty-two of this code;
- 88 (21) Shallow gas well review board provided for in 89 article seven, chapter twenty-two of this code;
- 90 (22) Oil and gas conservation commission provided 91 for in article eight, chapter twenty-two of this code;
- 92 (23) Board of miner training, education and certifi-93 cation provided for in article nine, chapter twenty-two 94 of this code;
- 95 (24) Mine inspectors' examining board provided for 96 in article eleven, chapter twenty-two of this code;
- 97 (25) Oil and gas inspectors' examining board pro-98 vided for in article thirteen, chapter twenty-two of 99 this code;
- 100 (26) Geological and economic survey provided for in article two, chapter twenty-nine of this code;
- 102 (27) Blennerhassett historical state park commission 103 provided for in article eight, chapter twenty-nine of 104 this code;
- 105 (28) Economic development authority provided for in 106 article fifteen, chapter thirty-one of this code;
- 107 (29) Division of banking provided for in article two, 108 chapter thirty-one-a of this code;
- 109 (30) Board of banking and financial institutions 110 provided for in article three, chapter thirty-one-a of 111 this code;
- 112 (31) Lending and credit rate board provided for in 113 chapter forty-seven-a of this code; and
- 114 (32) Bureau of employment programs provided for

- 115 in article one, chapter twenty-one-a of this code.
- 116 (c) The following agencies and boards, including all
- 117 of the allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and
- 118 funds associated with any such agency or board, are
- 119 hereby transferred to and incorporated in and shall be
- 120 administered as a part of the department of education
- 121 and the arts:
- 122 (1) Library commission provided for in article one,
- 123 chapter ten of this code;
- 124 (2) Educational broadcasting authority provided for
- 125 in article five, chapter ten of this code;
- 126 (3) University of West Virginia board of trustees
- 127 provided for in article two and board of directors of
- 128 the state college system provided for in article three,
- 129 chapter eighteen-b of this code; and
- 130 (4) Division of culture and history provided for in
- 131 article one, chapter twenty-nine of this code.
- 132 (d) The following agencies and boards, including all
- 133 of the allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and
- 134 funds associated with any such agency or board, are
- 135 hereby transferred to and incorporated in and shall be
- 136 administered as a part of the department of health and
- 137 human resources:
- 138 (1) Human rights commission provided for in article
- 139 eleven, chapter five of this code;
- 140 (2) Division of human services provided for in article
- 141 two, chapter nine of this code;
- 142 (3) Division of health provided for in article one,
- 143 chapter sixteen of this code;
- 144 (4) Office of emergency medical services and advi-
- 145 sory council thereto provided for in article four-c,
- 146 chapter sixteen of this code;
- 147 (5) Hospital finance authority provided for in article
- 148 twenty-nine-a, chapter sixteen of this code;
- 149 (6) Health care cost review authority provided for in
- 150 article twenty-nine-b, chapter sixteen of this code;

- 151 (7) Structural barriers compliance board provided 152 for in article ten-f, chapter eighteen of this code;
- 153 (8) Commission on aging provided for in article 154 fourteen, chapter twenty-nine of this code;
- 155 (9) Commission on mental retardation provided for 156 in article fifteen, chapter twenty-nine of this code; and
- 157 (10) Women's commission provided for in article 158 twenty, chapter twenty-nine of this code.
- 159 (e) The following agencies and boards, including all 160 of the allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and 161 funds associated with any such agency or board, are 162 hereby transferred to and incorporated in and shall be 163 administered as a part of the department of military 164 affairs and public safety:
- 165 (1) Adjutant general's department provided for in 166 article one-a, chapter fifteen of this code;
- 167 (2) Armory board provided for in article six, chapter 168 fifteen of this code;
- 169 (3) Military awards board provided for in article one-170 g, chapter fifteen of this code;
- 171 (4) Division of public safety provided for in article two, chapter fifteen of this code;
- 173 (5) Office of emergency services and disaster recov-174 ery board provided for in article five and emergency 175 response commission provided for in article five-a, 176 chapter fifteen of this code;
- 177 (6) Sheriffs' bureau provided for in article eight, 178 chapter fifteen of this code;
- 179 (7) Division of corrections provided for in chapter 180 twenty-five of this code;
- 181 (8) Fire commission provided for in article three, 182 chapter twenty-nine of this code;
- 183 (9) Regional jail and correctional facility authority 184 provided for in article twenty, chapter thirty-one of 185 this code:

- 186 (10) Board of probation and parole provided for in 187 article twelve, chapter sixty-two of this code; and
- 188 (11) Division of veterans' affairs and veterans' 189 council provided for in article one, chapter nine-a of 190 this code.
- 191 (f) The following agencies and boards, including all 192 of the allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and 193 funds associated with any such agency or board, are 194 hereby transferred to and incorporated in and shall be 195 administered as a part of the department of tax and 196 revenue:
- 197 (1) Tax division provided for in article one, chapter 198 eleven of this code;
- 199 (2) Appraisal control and review commission pro-200 vided for in article one-a, chapter eleven of this code;
- 201 (3) Municipal bond commission provided for in 202 article three, chapter thirteen of this code;
- 203 (4) Racing commission provided for in article 204 twenty-three, chapter nineteen of this code;
- 205 (5) Lottery commission and position of lottery 206 director provided for in article twenty-two, chapter 207 twenty-nine of this code;
- 208 (6) Agency of insurance commissioner provided for 209 in article two, chapter thirty-three of this code;
- 210 (7) Office of alcohol beverage control commissioner 211 provided for in article sixteen, chapter eleven and 212 article two, chapter sixty of this code; and
- 213 (8) Division of professional and occupational licenses 214 which may be hereafter created by the Legislature.
- 215 (g) The following agencies and boards, including all 216 of the allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and 217 funds associated with any such agency or board, are 218 hereby transferred to and incorporated in and shall be 219 administered as a part of the department of 220 transportation:
- 221 (1) Road commission provided for in article two,

- 222 chapter seventeen of this code;
- 223 (2) Division of highways provided for in article two-224 a, chapter seventeen of this code;
- 225 (3) Parkways, economic development and tourism 226 authority provided for in article sixteen-a, chapter 227 seventeen of this code;
- 228 (4) Division of motor vehicles provided for in article 229 two, chapter seventeen-a of this code;
- 230 (5) Driver's licensing advisory board provided for in article two, chapter seventeen-b of this code;
- 232 (6) Aeronautics commission provided for in article 233 two-a, chapter twenty-nine of this code;
- 234 (7) Railroad maintenance authority provided for in 235 article eighteen, chapter twenty-nine of this code; and
- 236 (8) Port authority provided for in article sixteen-b, chapter seventeen of this code.
- (h) Except for such powers, authority and duties as have been delegated to the secretaries of the departments by the provisions of section two of this article, the existence of the position of administrator and of the agency and the powers, authority and duties of each administrator and agency shall not be affected by the enactment of this chapter.
- 245 (i) Except for such powers, authority and duties as have been delegated to the secretaries of the depart-246247 ments by the provisions of section two of this article, 248 the existence, powers, authority and duties of boards 249 and the membership, terms and qualifications of 250 members of such boards shall not be affected by the 251 enactment of this chapter, and all boards which are 252appellate bodies or were otherwise established to be 253independent decisionmakers shall not have their 254appellate or independent decision-making status 255affected by the enactment of this chapter.
- 256 (j) Any department previously transferred to and 257 incorporated in a department created in section two, 258 article one of this chapter by prior enactment of this

section in chapter three, acts of the Legislature, first extraordinary session, one thousand nine hundred 260 261 eighty-nine, and subsequent amendments thereto, 262 shall henceforth be read, construed and understood to 263 mean a division of the appropriate department so 264 created. Wherever elsewhere in this code, in any act, 265 in general or other law, in any rule or regulation, or 266 in any ordinance, resolution or order, reference is made to any department transferred to and incorpo-267 268 rated in a department created in section two, article one of this chapter, such reference shall henceforth be 269 270 read, construed and understood to mean a division of 271 the appropriate department so created, and any such 272 reference elsewhere to a division of a department so 273 transferred and incorporated shall henceforth be read, 274 construed and understood to mean a section of the 275 appropriate division of the department so created.

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

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