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SENATE BILL NO. 464

(By Senator James, et al)



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Senate Bill No. 464

(BY SENATORS JONES, PLYMALE AND HOLLIDAY)

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section six, article twenty-six, chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the purpose of the children's fund.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 26. GOVERNOR'S CABINET ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES.

§5-26-6. Children's fund created; purpose.

1 (a) The cabinet shall establish a children's fund for
2 the sole purpose of awarding grants, loans and loan
3 guaranties for child abuse and neglect prevention
4 activities. Gifts, bequests or donations for this purpose,
5 in addition to appropriations to the fund, shall be
6 deposited in the state treasury in a special revenue
7 account that is independent from any executive or
8 other department of government, other than the office
9 of the governor. Any moneys deposited in the child-
10 ren's trust fund created pursuant to article six-c,
11 chapter forty-nine of this code on the effective date of
12 this section, and any interest accruing to such fund,
13 shall be deposited in the children's fund created

14 pursuant to this section, and the children's trust fund
15 shall thereafter be discontinued.

16 (b) Each state taxpayer may voluntarily contribute a
17 portion of the taxpayer's state income tax refund to
18 the children's fund by so designating the contribution
19 on the state personal income tax return form. The
20 cabinet shall approve the wording of the designation
21 on the income tax return form, which designation
22 shall appear on tax forms as of the first day of
23 January, one thousand nine hundred ninety-one. The
24 tax commissioner shall determine by the first day of
25 July of each year the total amount designated pursu-
26 ant to this subsection and shall report that amount to
27 the state treasurer, who shall credit that amount to the
28 children's fund.

29 (c) All interest accruing from investment of moneys
30 in the children's fund shall be credited to the fund,
31 and the legislative auditor shall conduct an annual
32 audit of the fund.

33 (d) Grants, loans and loan guaranties may be
34 awarded from the children's fund by the cabinet for
35 child abuse and neglect prevention activities.

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

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Chairman Senate Committee

Ernest C Moore
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Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect ninety days from passage

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Clerk of the Senate

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

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President of the Senate

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Speaker House of Delegates

The within is approved..... this the *2nd*.....
day of *April*....., 1993.

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Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 4/19/93

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