WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
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SENATE BILL NO. 574

(By Senator {\textit{Winston et al}})

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PASSED \underline{March 11}, 1995
In Effect \underline{90 days from Passage}
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Senate Bill No. 574

(By Senators Wooton, Bowman, Dittmar, Buckalew, White, Wagner, Anderson, Deem, Scott, Ross, Miller and Oliverio)

[Passed March 11, 1995; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend article three, chapter sixty-one of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section twenty-four-d, relating to fraudulent schemes; cumulation of amounts where common scheme exists; and penalties.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 3. CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY.

§61-3-24d. Fraudulent schemes; cumulation of amounts where common scheme exists; penalties.

1 (a) Any person who willfully deprives another of any money, goods, property or services by means of fraudulent pretenses, representations or promises shall be guilty of the larceny thereof.
(b) In determining the value of the money, goods, property or services referred to in subsection (a) of this section, it shall be permissible to cumulate amounts or values where such money, goods, property or services were fraudulently obtained as part of a common scheme or plan.

(c) A violation of law may be prosecuted under this section notwithstanding any other provision of this code.
That Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect ninety days from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 24th day of March, 1995.

Governor