WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
REGULAR SESSION, 1997

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HOUSE BILL No. __2236.

(Douglas, Collins, Tucker, Prunty,
Claypole, Stalnaker and Capito)

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Passed ___________________________ April 1, 1997

In Effect __________________________ July 1, 1997
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H. B. 2236

(By Delegates Douglas, Collins, Tucker, Prunty, Claypole, Stalnaker and Capito)

[Passed April 1, 1997; in effect July 1, 1997.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section eleven, article three-a, chapter twenty-nine-a of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to striking language calling for sunset review of the legislative oversight commission on education accountability.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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


1 (a) There is hereby created a joint commission of the Legislature known as the legislative oversight commission on education accountability to review all legislative rules of the board and such other rules as the commission deems appropriate. The commission shall be composed of six members of the Senate appointed by the president of the Senate and six members of the House of Delegates appointed by the speaker of the House of Delegates. No more than five of the six members appointed by the president of the Senate and the speaker of the House of Delegates, respectively, may be members of the same political party. In addition, the president of the Senate
and the speaker of the House of Delegates shall be ex officio nonvoting members of the commission and shall designate the cochairs. At least one of the Senate members and one of the House members shall be members of the committee on education of the Senate and House, respectively, and at least one of the Senate members and at least one of the House members shall be a member of the committee on finance of the Senate and House, respectively. The members shall serve until their successors shall have been appointed as heretofore provided. Members of the commission shall receive such compensation and expenses as provided in article two-a, chapter four of this code. Such expenses and all other expenses including those incurred in the employment of legal, technical, investigative, clerical, stenographic, advisory and other personnel shall be paid from an appropriation to be made expressly for the legislative oversight commission on education accountability, but if no such appropriation be made, such expenses shall be paid from the appropriation under “Account No. 103 for Joint Expenses”, but no expense of any kind whatever payable under said account for joint expenses shall be incurred unless first approved by the joint committee on government and finance. The commission shall meet at any time both during sessions of the Legislature and in the interim.

(b) The commission may adopt such rules of procedure as it considers necessary for the submission, presentation and consideration of rules.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Randy Selover
Chairman Senate Committee

Nick Fantasia
Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect July 1, 1997.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 15th day of April, 1997.

Governor
PRESENTED TO THE
GOVERNOR

Date 4/14/7
Time 10:00 a.m.