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HOUSE BILL No. 2786

(By Delegate Mezzatesta, Jenkins and Michael )



Passed April 12, 1997

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# **H. B. 2786**

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[Passed April 12, 1997; in effect from passage.]

AN ACT to amend article ten, chapter eighteen-b of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section four-b, relating to fee waivers for students in health science and technology academy programs.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

That article ten, chapter eighteen-b of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated section four-b, read as follows:

**§18B-10-4b. Additional fee waivers for health sciences and technology academy programs.**

1           (a) In addition to the number of fee waivers  
2 permitted in sections five and six of this article for  
3 undergraduate, graduate and professional schools, each  
4 state institution of higher education may waive all fees or  
5 any part thereof for students who are residents of West  
6 Virginia and who successfully complete the health  
7 sciences and technology academy affiliated programs, as  
8 defined in chapter eighteen-b, article one, section two of  
9 the code of West Virginia.

10           (b) For purposes of section four-b, article ten,

11 chapter eighteen-b of this code, "Health Sciences and  
12 Technology Academy Programs" means programs for  
13 health sciences to assist junior high and high school  
14 students, in conjunction with their parents and teachers, to  
15 enhance their knowledge and abilities in subject matters  
16 which would further a career in the field of health  
17 sciences.

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

*Randy Schooner*  
Chairman Senate Committee

*Nick Fontana*  
Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect from passage.

*Dennis P. Blund*  
Clerk of the Senate

*Bryan M. Burt*  
Clerk of the House of Delegates  
*Carl Ray Tomblini*  
President of the Senate

*[Signature]*  
Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within *is approved* this the *7<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *May*, 1997.

*[Signature]*  
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 4/29/97

Time 3:00 pm