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House Bill No. 2252

(By Mr. Speaker, Mr. Kiss, and Delegates Clements, Walters, Frederick, Warner, Michael and Miller)

Passed March 14, 1998

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section twenty, article one, chapter five of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to reports to the governor from officers of the executive departments and state institutions; requiring all state officers, boards, commissions, departments and institutions to report to the governor, speaker of the House and president of the Senate; notice of disallowance or potential disallowance of federal funds.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section twenty, article one, 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 1. THE GOVERNOR.

§5-1-20. Reports to the governor; form and contents; transmission to the Legislature; special reports; reports of disallowance of federal funds.

1 The subordinate officers of the executive department and the officers of all public institutions of the state shall make an annual report to the governor as soon as possible after the close of each fiscal year, notwithstanding any
other provision of law to the contrary. All state officers, boards, commissions, departments and institutions required by law to make reports to the governor, the Legislature, or any administrative board or state official, shall cover fiscal year periods, and such reports shall be submitted in typewritten form or any legible form produced by mechanical means.

The governor shall by executive order prescribe the general contents of the reports to be submitted to him or her. The form and format of such reports shall be as prescribed in section twenty-eight, article three, chapter five-a of this code.

The governor shall transmit copies of the report to the Legislature and lodge a copy of all such reports with the department of archives and history where the same shall be kept as permanent records.

The governor may at any time require information in writing under oath, from any officer, board, department or commission of the executive department or the principal officer or manager of any state institution, upon any subject relating to the condition, management and expense of their respective offices or institutions.

All such state officers, boards, commissions, departments and institutions which receive, manage or disperse federal funds in connection with any state activity are required to report to the governor, the speaker of the House and the president of the Senate within sixty days of receipt of written notice of a disallowance or potential disallowance of federal funds from any department of the government of the United States, which disallowance shall in any way affect or possibly affect the fiscal condition of this state. The specific format and content of such reports shall be prescribed by the governor by executive order.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originating in the House.

Takes effect ninety days from passage.

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, 1998.

Governor
PRESENTED TO THE
GOVERNOR
Date 3/26/48
Time 10:05 AM