WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION, 1998

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(By Senator Supper, ET AL)

In Effect NINETY DAYS FROM Passage

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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR

Senate Bill No. 444

(SENATORS SNYDER, MINEAR, KESSLER, LOVE, BUCKALEW, SCHOONOVER AND MACNAUGHTAN, original sponsors)

[Passed March 21, 1998; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section twenty-two, article eighteen, chapter eight of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to municipal authority; and authority to compel sewer connections outside corporate limits.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 18. ASSESSMENTS TO IMPROVE STREETS, SIDEWALKS AND SEWERS; SEWER CONNECTIONS AND BOARD OF HEALTH; ENFORCEMENT OF DUTY TO PAY FOR SERVICE.

PART XII. CONNECTION TO SEWERS; BOARD OF HEALTH; ENFORCEMENT OF DUTY TO PAY FOR SERVICE.

§8-18-22. Connection to sewers; board of health; penalty.

- 1 The owner or owners of any lot or parcel of land abut-
- 2 ting on any street, alley, public way or easement on which
- B a municipal sewer is now located or may hereafter be
- 4 constructed and laid (whether constructed and laid under
- 5 the provisions of this article or any other provisions of
- 6 law) upon which lot or parcel of land any business or
- 7 residence building is now located or may hereafter be
- 8 erected, not connected with a public sewer, may be
- 9 required and compelled by the municipality or by the
- 10 board of health to connect any such building with such
- 11 sewer. Notice so to connect shall be given by the munici-
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- 12 pality or by the board of health to the owner and to the
- lessee or occupant of such building. Each day's failure to comply with such notice and connect with such sewer by
- 15 such owner or owners, after thirty days from the receipt of
- such notice, shall be a misdemeanor and a separate and
- 17 new offense under this section, and each such offense shall
- 11 new offense under this section, and each such offense shah
- be punishable by a fine of not less than five nor more than twenty-five dollars. Jurisdiction to hear, try, determine
- 20 and sentence for any violation of this section is hereby
- 21 vested in the police or municipal court thereof, or, where
- 22 no police court exists, in the mayor thereof.

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