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SENATE BILL NO. 722

(By Senator Wooten et. al.)



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Senate Bill No. 722

(BY SENATORS WOOTON, CRAIGO, JACKSON,
WALKER, WHITE, BUCKALEW AND SCOTT)

[Passed March 10, 1998; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend article five-e, chapter forty-nine of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated section six, relating to authorizing the director of the division of juvenile services, or his or her designee, to consent to medical treatment of any juvenile in the director's custody.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article five-e, chapter forty-nine of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated section six, to read as follows:

ARTICLE 5E. DIVISION OF JUVENILE SERVICES.

§49-5E-6. Director authorized to consent to treatment of juveniles in custody of the division.

1 Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the
2 contrary, the director, or his or her designee, is hereby
3 authorized to consent to the medical treatment of any
4 juvenile in the legal or physical custody of the director or
5 the division.

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

Ray Schover
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Chairman Senate Committee

Nick Fontana
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Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect ninety days from passage

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

Earl Ray Tomblin
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President of the Senate

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Speaker House of Delegates

The within *approved* this the *19th*
day of *March*, 1998.

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Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

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