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(By Senator Nooton et al.)

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Senate Bill No. 765

(By Senators Wooton, Ball, Bowman, Dittmar, Hunter, Ross, Schoonover, Snyder and Buckalew)

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

AN ACT to amend and reenact section one, article eleven, chapter sixty-four of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating generally to the promulgation of administrative rules by the various executive and administrative agencies; and authorizing certain agencies to modify certain legislative rules for the limited purpose of updating and making technical corrections to those legislative rules.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 11. TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE CODE OF STATE RULES.

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§64-11-1. Division of environmental protection, office of oil and gas.

(a) The legislative rule filed in the state register on the
 first day of July, one thousand nine hundred ninety-three,
 authorized under the authority of section two, article six,
 chapter twenty-two of this code, relating to the division of
 environmental protection (abandoned wells, 38 CSR 22,
 renumbered as 35 CSR 6), is authorized with the following
 amendments:

8 "Beginning on page 1, and continuing throughout the 9 text of the rule, by renumbering the text breakdown as 10 necessary to conform with the rule of the secretary of state 11 relating to format (standard size and format for rules and 12 procedures for publication of the state register or parts of 13 the state register, 153 CSR 6);"

(b) The legislative rule filed in the state register on the
first day of June, one thousand nine hundred ninety-six,
authorized under the authority of section two, article six,
chapter twenty-two of this code, relating to the division of
environmental protection (coalbed methane wells, 38 CSR
23, renumbered as 35 CSR 3), is authorized with the
following amendments:

21 "Beginning on page 1, and continuing throughout the 22 text of the rule, by renumbering the text breakdown as 23 necessary to conform with the rule of the secretary of state 24 relating to format (standard size and format for rules and 25 procedures for publication of the state register or parts of 26 the state register, 153 CSR 6);"

(c) The legislative rule filed the first day of July, one
thousand nine hundred ninety-three, authorized under the
authority of section two, article six, chapter twenty-two
of this code, relating to the division of environmental
protection (designation of future use and inactive status)

for oil and gas wells, 38 CSR 21, renumbered as 35 CSR 5),is authorized with the following amendments:

34 "Beginning on page 1, and continuing throughout the 35 text of the rule, by renumbering the text breakdown as 36 necessary to conform with the rule of the secretary of state 37 relating to format (standard size and format for rules and 38 procedures for publication of the state register or parts of 39 the state register, 153 CSR 6);"

(d) The legislative rule filed in the state register on the
first day of July, one thousand nine hundred ninety-three,
authorized under the authority of section two, article six,
chapter twenty-two of this code, relating to the division of
environmental protection (oil and gas wells and other
wells, 38 CSR 18, renumbered as 35 CSR 4), is authorized
with the following amendments:

47 "Beginning on page 1, and continuing throughout the 48 text of the rule, by renumbering the text breakdown as 49 necessary to conform with the rule of the secretary of state 50 relating to format (standard size and format for rules and 51 procedures for publication of the state register or parts of 52 the state register, 153 CSR 6);"

(e) The legislative rule filed in the state register on the
twelfth day of June, one thousand nine hundred eightyseven, authorized under the authority of section two,
article six, chapter twenty-two of this code, relating to the
division of environmental protection (oil and gas operations - solid waste, 38 CSR 12, renumbered as 35 CSR 2),
is authorized with the following amendment:

60 "Beginning on page 1, and continuing throughout the 61 text of the rule, by renumbering the text breakdown as 62 necessary to conform with the rule of the secretary of state 63 relating to format (standard size and format for rules and 64 procedures for publication of the state register or parts of 65 the state register, 153 CSR 6);"

66 (f) The legislative rule filed in the state register on the

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67 first day of June, one thousand nine hundred ninety-one,
68 authorized under the authority of section two, article six,
69 chapter twenty-two of this code, relating to the division of
70 environmental protection (miscellaneous Water Pollution
71 Control 38 CSR 11, renumbered as 35 CSR 1), is autho72 rized with the following amendment:

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"Beginning on page 1, and continuing throughout the text of the rule, by renumbering the text breakdown as necessary to conform with the rule of the secretary of state relating to format (standard size and format for rules and procedures for publication of the state register or parts of the state register, 153 CSR 6);"

(g) The legislative rule filed in the state register on the
thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred
ninety-seven, authorized under the authority of section
two, article six, chapter twenty-two of this code, relating
to the division of environmental protection (dam control,
38 CSR 14), is repealed.

(h) The legislative rule filed in the state register on the
thirty-first day of July, one thousand nine hundred
ninety-seven, authorized under the authority of section
two, article six, chapter twenty-two of this code, relating
to the division of environmental protection (certification
of gas wells, 38 CSR 16), is repealed.

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

Chairman Senate Committee asia Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

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