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(By Senator Sumner, et al)



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(BY SENATORS BOWMAN, BAILEY, BALL, KESSLER, MCCABE,
MINARD, REDD, WOOTON, BOLEY AND MINEAR)

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section seven, article one, chapter twenty-two of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to continuing the office of water resources within the division of environmental protection.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

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

ARTICLE 1. DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.

§22-1-7. Offices within division; continuation of the office of water resources.

- 1 Consistent with the provisions of this article the director
- 2 shall, at a minimum, maintain the following offices within
- 3 the division:

4 (1) The office of abandoned mine lands and reclamation,
5 which is charged, at a minimum, with administering and
6 enforcing, under the supervision of the director, the
7 provisions of article two of this chapter;

8 (2) The office of mining and reclamation, which is
9 charged, at a minimum, with administering and enforcing,
10 under the supervision of the director, the provisions of
11 articles three and four of this chapter;

12 (3) The office of air quality, which is charged, at a
13 minimum, with administering and enforcing, under the
14 supervision of the director, the provisions of article five of
15 this chapter;

16 (4) The office of oil and gas, which is charged, at a
17 minimum, with administering and enforcing, under the
18 supervision of the director, the provisions of articles six,
19 seven, eight, nine and ten of this chapter;

20 (5) The office of water resources, which is charged, at a
21 minimum, with administering and enforcing, under the
22 supervision of the director, the provisions of articles
23 eleven, twelve, thirteen and fourteen of this chapter; and

24 (6) The office of waste management, which is charged, at
25 a minimum, with administering and enforcing, under the
26 supervision of the director, the provisions of articles
27 fifteen, sixteen, seventeen, eighteen, nineteen and twenty
28 of this chapter.

29 Pursuant to the provisions of article ten, chapter four of
30 this code, the office of water resources within the division
31 of environmental protection shall continue to exist until
32 the first day of July, two thousand one.

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

Wesley A. Johnson

Chairman Senate Committee

J. F. Smith
Chairman House Committee

Originating in the Senate.

In effect ninety days from passage.

Harriet E. Thomas
Clerk of the Senate

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

Earl Ray Tomblin
President of the Senate

[Signature]
Speaker House of Delegates

The within *approved* this the *11th*
Day of *March*, 1899

[Signature]
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

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