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## House Bill No. 4541

(By Delegates Jenkins, Campbell, Williams,  
J. Smith, Harrison, Hubbard and Hall)



Passed March 11, 2000

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AN ACT to amend and reenact section twenty-four, article seven-a, chapter eighteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to the disposition of accumulated contributions in the teachers retirement system.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:*

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

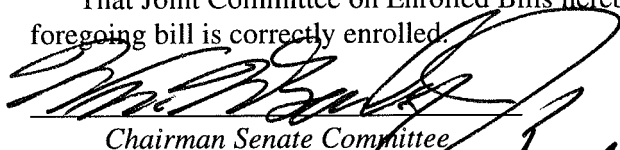
#### **ARTICLE 7A. STATE TEACHERS RETIREMENT SYSTEM.**

#### **§18-7A-24. Disposition of accumulated contributions upon cessation of membership.**

1       When a contributor with fewer than five years of service  
2 ceases to be a member because of absence from service as a  
3 teacher, his or her accumulated contributions with refund  
4 interest up to and including the fiscal year in which his or her

5 membership ceased, shall be returned to him or her, or to his or  
6 her legal representative. Five years after cessation of member-  
7 ship, if such contributor or his or her legal representative cannot  
8 be found, his accumulated contributions with refund interest  
9 shall be forfeited to the retirement system and credited to the  
10 reserve fund.

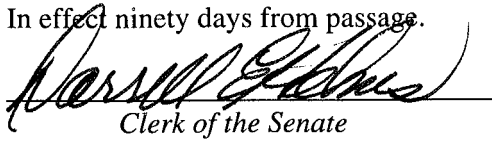
That Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

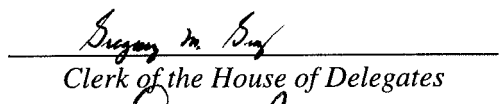
  
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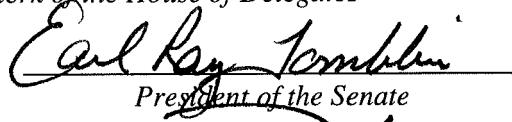
  
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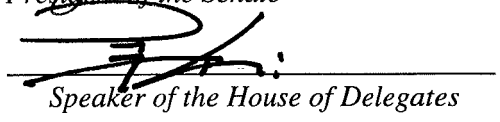
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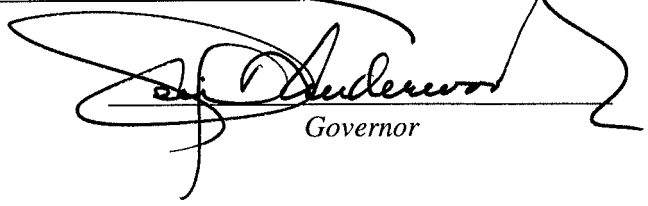
  
Clerk of the Senate

  
Clerk of the House of Delegates

  
President of the Senate

  
Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within approved this the 2/50  
day of March 2000.

  
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date: 3/18/00

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