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House Bill No. 2912

(By Mr. Speaker, Mr. Kiss, and Delegate Trump)
[By Request of the Executive]

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In Effect from Passage
AN ACT to amend and reenact sections two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight, article two-a, chapter four of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended; to amend and reenact section three, article sixteen, chapter five of said code; to amend and reenact section three, article one, chapter five-f of said code; to amend and reenact sections two and two-a, article seven, chapter six of said code; to amend and reenact section six, article four, chapter seven of said code; to amend and reenact section thirteen, article one, chapter ten of said code; to amend and reenact section one, article one, chapter eleven of said code; to amend and reenact section five, article twenty-nine-b, chapter sixteen of said code; to amend and reenact section four, article twenty-three, chapter nineteen of said code; to amend and reenact section five, article two, chapter twenty-one-a of said code; to amend and reenact section six, article one, chapter
twenty-two of said code; to amend and reenact section three, article one, chapter twenty-two-a of said code; to amend and reenact section four, article one, chapter twenty-two-c of said code; to amend and reenact section three, article one, chapter twenty-four of said code; and to amend and reenact section four, article twenty, chapter thirty-one of said code, all relating to salary adjustments for certain public officials.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That sections two, three, four, five, six, seven and eight, article two-a, chapter four of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted; that section three, article sixteen, chapter five of said code be amended and reenacted; that section three, article one, chapter five-f of said code be amended and reenacted; and that sections two and two-a, article seven, chapter six of said code be amended and reenacted; that section six, article four, chapter seven of said code be amended and reenacted; that section thirteen, article one, chapter ten of said code be amended and reenacted; that section one, article one, chapter eleven of said code be amended and reenacted; that section five, article twenty-nine-b, chapter sixteen of said code be amended and reenacted; that section four, article twenty-three, chapter nineteen of said code be amended and reenacted; that section five, article two, chapter twenty-one-a of said code be amended and reenacted; that section six, article one, chapter twenty-two of said code be amended and reenacted; that section three, article one, chapter twenty-two-a of said code be amended and reenacted; that section four, article one, chapter twenty-two-c of said code be amended and reenacted; and that section four, article twenty, chapter thirty-one of said code be amended and reenacted, all to read as follows:

CHAPTER 4. THE LEGISLATURE.

ARTICLE 2A. COMPENSATION FOR AND EXPENSES OF MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE.
PART II. COMPENSATION.

§4-2A-2. Basic compensation for services; proration.

(a) Each member of the Legislature shall receive as basic compensation for his or her services the sum of fifteen thousand dollars per calendar year. In addition to the basic compensation, members shall receive the additional compensations as are expressly provided for in sections three, four and five of this article. Except for the increased basic compensation set forth in this subsection, all other increased amounts or new amounts in respect to the compensation or expenses of members of the Legislature, set forth in the resolution of the citizens legislative compensation commission, dated the eighth day of January, one thousand nine hundred ninety-nine, and implemented in sections two through eight of this article providing for new amounts or amounts increased to new amounts greater than those in force and effect on the first day of January, two thousand, shall all become effective for calendar year two thousand one, and each calendar year thereafter as prescribed in this section.

(b) The basic compensation shall be payable twice a month during each regular session of the Legislature, without regard to any extension of the regular session. In the event of the death, resignation or removal of a member of the Legislature during a regular session of the Legislature and the appointment and qualification of his or her successor during any regular session, the basic compensation provided for in this section shall be prorated between the original member and his or her successor on the basis of the number of days served (including Saturdays and Sundays) as a member of the Legislature by each during the regular session of sixty calendar days.

(c) In the event of the death, resignation or removal of a member of the Legislature and the appointment and qualifica-
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31 tion of his or her successor subsequent to the regular session of
32 the Legislature held in the calendar year in which such succes-
33 sor was appointed and qualified, none of the basic compensa-
34 tion provided for in this section shall be paid to such successor.

§4-2A-3. Compensation for members of the Legislature during
any extension of regular session or during extraor-
dinary session.

1 Each member of the Legislature shall receive, in addition
2 to the basic compensation provided for in section two of this
3 article, additional compensation of one hundred fifty dollars per
4 day for each day of attendance in person upon any business of
5 the Senate or House of Delegates, as the case may be, on each
6 day upon which the Senate or House of Delegates is actually
called to order during each extension of regular session or
7 during extraordinary session of the Legislature. The additional
8 compensation shall be paid from time to time during any
9 extended session or extraordinary session, as prescribed by
10 rules established by the legislative auditor.

§4-2A-4. Additional compensation for president of Senate,
speaker of House of Delegates, majority leaders,
minority leaders, certain committee chairs and
selected members of both houses.

1 (a) In addition to the basic and additional compensation
2 provided for in sections two and three of this article, the
3 president of the Senate and the speaker of the House of Dele-
4 gates shall each receive additional compensation of:

5 (1) Fifty dollars per day for each day actually served during
6 any regular, extension of regular or extraordinary session as
7 presiding officer, including Saturdays and Sundays; and

8 (2) One hundred fifty dollars per day up to a maximum of
9 eighty days per calendar year for attending to legislative
business in their offices in the capitol building when the Legislature is not in regular, extension of regular or extraordinary session and interim committees are not meeting.

(b) In addition to the basic and additional compensation provided for in sections two and three of this article, the majority leaders and minority leaders of the Senate and of the House of Delegates shall each receive additional compensation of twenty-five dollars per day for each day actually served during any regular, extension of regular or during extraordinary session, including Saturdays and Sundays, as the selected legislative leaders of their respective political parties.

(c) The presiding officer and majority and minority leader compensation shall be paid from time to time during any such session or interim period, as the case may be, as may be prescribed by rules established by the legislative auditor.

(d) In addition to the basic and additional compensation provided for in sections two and three of this article, the chairpersons of the committees on finance and committees on the judiciary of the respective houses and up to four additional persons from each house, to be named by the presiding officer, shall each receive an additional compensation of one hundred fifty dollars per day up to a maximum of thirty days for attending to legislative business in their offices in the capitol building when the Legislature is not in regular, extended or extraordinary session and interim committees are not meeting.

§4-2A-5. Interim compensation for members.

(a) In addition to the basic and any additional compensation provided for in sections two, three and four of this article, each member shall receive interim compensation of one hundred fifty dollars per day for each day actually engaged in the performance of interim duties as a member of any interim committee between regular sessions of the Legislature: Pro-
vided, That the total additional interim compensation payable
to any member and his or her replacement, if any, on a commit-
tee or commission under the provisions of this subsection shall
not exceed the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars per
calendar year.

(b) In addition to the basic and any additional compensation
provided for in sections two, three and four of this article and
subsection (a) of this section, each member shall receive
interim compensation of one hundred fifty dollars per day for
each day actually engaged in the performance of legislative
duties at a meeting of any statutorily created legislative
committee which meets between regular sessions of the
Legislature and outside of regular interim meetings when
authorized by the committee cochairs and approved by the
president of the Senate and the speaker of the House of Dele-
gates, not to exceed fifteen days per calendar year.

PART III. EXPENSES.

§4-2A-6. Travel expenses.

(a) Each member of the Legislature is entitled to be
reimbursed, upon submission of an expense voucher, for
expenses incurred incident to travel in the performance of his
or her duties as a member of the Legislature or any committee
of the Legislature, whether the committee is operating under
general law or resolution, including, but not limited to, attend-
dance at party caucuses held in advance of the date of the
assembly of the Legislature in regular session in odd-numbered
years for the purpose of selecting candidates for officers of the
two houses, at a rate equal to that paid by the travel manage-
ment office of the department of administration for the most
direct usually traveled route, if travel is by private automobile,
or for actual transportation costs for direct route travel, if travel
is by public carrier, or for any combination of those means of
transportation actually used, plus the cost of necessary taxi or
limousine service, tolls and parking fees in connection with the
travel, but during any regular, extension of regular or extraordi-
nary session, travel expenses shall not be paid to any member
for more than one round trip to and from the seat of government
and to and from his or her place of residence for each week of
the session.

(b) In addition to the travel expense in subsection (a) of this
section, the president of the Senate and the speaker of the
House of Delegates are entitled to be reimbursed as provided in
subsection (a) of this section, upon submission of an expense
voucher, for expenses incurred incident to travel for up to a
maximum of eighty days per calendar year in connection with
their visits to the capitol building for business which is related
to their duties as presiding officers of the respective houses of
the Legislature, but which takes place when the Legislature is
not in regular, extension of regular or extraordinary session and
interim committees are not meeting.

(c) The rate paid for mileage pursuant to this section may
change from time to time in accordance with changes in the
reimbursement rates established by the travel management
office of the department of administration, or its successor
agency.

§4-2A-7. Reimbursement for expenses incurred during any
session or interim assignment.

(a) Each member of the Legislature who does not commute
daily shall receive the sum of one hundred fifteen dollars per
day as per diem allowance in connection with any regular,
extended, extraordinary session, interim assignment or for any
member authorized by the presiding officer. Any member of the
Legislature who does commute daily shall receive the sum of
fifty-five dollars per day as the per diem allowance and, in
addition to the allowance, shall be reimbursed for overnight commuting expenses at the mileage rate equal to the amount paid by the travel management office of the department of administration for the most direct usually traveled route, if travel is by private automobile, or for actual transportation costs for direct route travel, if travel is by public carrier, or for any combination of the means of transportation actually used, plus the costs of necessary taxi or limousine service, tolls and parking fees in connection with the travel: Provided, That the total of this per diem allowance plus travel expense for a daily commuting member shall not exceed one hundred fifteen dollars per day. The amount for mileage paid pursuant to this subsection may change from time to time in accordance with changes in the level of reimbursement by the travel management office.

(b) The president of the Senate and the speaker of the House of Delegates, the chairman of the house committee on finance, the chairman of the senate committee on finance, the chairman of the house committee on the judiciary, the chairman of the senate committee on the judiciary, and up to four additional persons from each house designated by the presiding officer pursuant to section four of this article, shall be reimbursed for travel at the rate established in subsection (a) of this section, and shall further receive the per diem allowance established in the subsection in connection with their visits to the capitol for business which is related to their duties as officers at the times when the Legislature is not in regular, extended or extraordinary session, and interim committees are not meeting.


In addition to reimbursement for travel expenses as authorized in section six of this article, each member of the Legislature traveling from West Virginia to an out-of-state
point or points and returning incident to the performance of his or her duties as a member of the Legislature or any committee of the Legislature, whether the committee is operating under general law or resolution, where the travel has been duly authorized, is entitled to be reimbursed, upon submission of an expense voucher for the travel, for all reasonable and necessary expenses actually incurred incident to the travel, but the total of any and all reimbursed expenses, exclusive of reimbursement for travel expenses, shall not under any circumstances exceed the actual cost of housing at the least expensive available single rate and meal and miscellaneous expenses of fifty-five dollars per day. A receipt for the amount paid for housing and for travel by any public transportation to and from West Virginia shall be submitted with the expense voucher, but a receipt is not required to be submitted with any expense voucher for meal and miscellaneous expenses.

CHAPTER 5. GENERAL POWERS AND AUTHORITY OF THE GOVERNOR, SECRETARY OF STATE AND ATTORNEY GENERAL; BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS; MISCELLANEOUS AGENCIES, COMMISSIONS, OFFICES, PROGRAMS, ETC.

ARTICLE 16. WEST VIRGINIA PUBLIC EMPLOYEES INSURANCE ACT.

§5-16-3. Public employees insurance agency continued; appointment, qualification, compensation and duties of director of agency; employees; civil service coverage; director vested after specified date with powers of public employees insurance board; expiration of agency.

(a) The public employees insurance agency is continued, and consists of the director, the finance board, the advisory board and any employees who may be authorized by law. The director shall be appointed by the governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate. He or she shall serve at the will and pleasure of the governor, unless earlier removed from office for
cause as provided by law. The director shall have at least three years experience in health insurance administration prior to appointment as director. The director shall receive actual expenses incurred in the performance of official business. The director shall employ such administrative, technical and clerical employees that are required for the proper administration of the insurance programs provided for in this article. The director shall perform the duties that are required of him or her under the provisions of this article and is the chief administrative officer of the public employees insurance agency. The director may employ a deputy director.

(b) All positions in the agency, except for the director, his or her personal secretary, the deputy director and the chief financial officer shall be included in the classified service of the civil service system pursuant to article six, chapter twenty-nine of this code. Any person required to be included in the classified service by the provisions of this subsection who was employed in any of the positions included in this subsection on or after the effective date of this article shall not be required to take and pass qualifying or competitive examinations upon or as a condition to being added to the classified service: Provided, That no person required to be included in the classified service by the provisions of this subsection who was employed in any of the positions included in this subsection as of the effective date of this section shall be thereafter severed, removed or terminated in his or her employment prior to his or her entry into the classified service except for cause as if the person had been in the classified service when severed, removed or terminated.

(c) The director is responsible for the administration and management of the public employees insurance agency as provided for in this article and in connection with his or her responsibility may make all rules necessary to effectuate the
provisions of this article. Nothing in section four or five of this article limits the director's ability to manage on a day-to-day basis the group insurance plans required or authorized by this article, including, but not limited to, administrative contracting, studies, analyses and audits, eligibility determinations, utilization management provisions and incentives, provider negotiations, provider contracting and payment, designation of covered and noncovered services, offering of additional coverage options or cost containment incentives, pursuit of coordination of benefits and subrogation, or any other actions which would serve to implement the plan or plans designed by the finance board.

(d) The public employees insurance agency shall terminate in the manner provided in article ten, chapter four of this code, on the first day of July, two thousand one, unless extended by legislation enacted before the termination date: Provided, That the public employees insurance agency advisory board, created in section six of this article, shall terminate in the manner provided in article ten, chapter four of this code on the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred ninety-six.

CHAPTER 5F. REORGANIZATION OF THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF STATE GOVERNMENT.

ARTICLE 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS.

§5F-1-3. Oath; bond; compensation.

(a) Each person appointed to serve as a secretary shall take the oath or affirmation prescribed by section five, article four of the constitution, and the oath shall be certified by the person who administers the same and filed in the office of the secretary of state.

(b) Each person appointed shall give bond in the penalty of twenty-five thousand dollars conditioned for the faithful
performance of the duties of the office. The bond shall be approved by the attorney general as to form and by the governor as to sufficiency. The surety of the bond may be a bonding or surety company, in which case the premium shall be paid out of the appropriation made for the administration of the department.

CHAPTER 6. GENERAL PROVISIONS RESPECTING OFFICERS.

ARTICLE 7. COMPENSATION AND ALLOWANCES.

§6-7-2. Salaries of certain state officers.

(a) The salaries for each of the state constitutional officers are as follows:

(1) The salary of the governor is ninety thousand dollars per year;

(2) The salary of the attorney general is seventy-five thousand dollars per year;

(3) The salary of the auditor is seventy thousand dollars per year;

(4) The salary of the secretary of state is sixty-five thousand dollars per year;

(5) The salary of the commissioner of agriculture is seventy thousand dollars per year; and

(6) The salary of the state treasurer is seventy thousand dollars per year.

(b) Beginning in the calendar year two thousand five, and for each calendar year thereafter, salaries for each of the state constitutional officers shall be as follows:
(1) The salary of the governor shall be ninety-five thousand dollars per year;

(2) The salary of the attorney general shall be eighty thousand dollars per year;

(3) The salary of the auditor shall be seventy-five thousand dollars per year;

(4) The salary of the secretary of state shall be seventy thousand dollars per year;

(5) The salary of the commissioner of agriculture shall be seventy-five thousand dollars per year; and

(6) The salary of the state treasurer shall be seventy-five thousand dollars per year.

§6-7-2a. Terms of certain appointive state officers; appointment; qualifications; powers and salaries of such officers.

(a) Each of the following appointive state officers named in this subsection shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. Each of the appointive state officers serves at the will and pleasure of the governor for the term for which the governor was elected and until the respective state officers’ successors have been appointed and qualified. Each of the appointive state officers are subject to the existing qualifications for holding each respective office and each has and is hereby granted all of the powers and authority and shall perform all of the functions and services heretofore vested in and performed by virtue of existing law respecting each office.

Prior to the first day of July, two thousand one, each such named appointive state officer shall continue to receive the annual salaries they were receiving as of the effective date of
the enactment of this section in two thousand one, and thereaf-
ter, notwithstanding any other provision of this code to the
contrary, the annual salary of each named appointive state
officer shall be as follows:

Administrator, division of highways, ninety thousand
dollars; administrator, state tax division, sixty-five thousand
dollars; administrator, division of corrections, seventy-five
thousand dollars; administrator, division of natural resources,
seventy thousand dollars; superintendent, state police, seventy-
five thousand dollars; administrator, lottery division, seventy-
five thousand dollars; director, public employees insurance
agency, seventy-five thousand dollars; administrator, division
of banking, sixty thousand dollars; administrator, division of
insurance, sixty thousand dollars; administrator, division of
culture and history, fifty-five thousand dollars; administrator,
alcohol beverage control commission, seventy thousand dollars;
administrator, division of motor vehicles, seventy thousand
dollars; director, division of personnel, fifty-five thousand
dollars; adjutant general, seventy-five thousand dollars;
chairman, health care authority, seventy thousand dollars;
members, health care authority, sixty thousand dollars; director,
human rights commission, forty-five thousand dollars; adminis-
trator, division of labor, sixty thousand dollars; administrator,
division of veterans affairs, forty-five thousand dollars;
administrator, division of emergency services, forty-five
thousand dollars; members, board of parole, forty-five thousand
dollars; members, employment security review board, seven-
teen thousand dollars; members, workers’ compensation appeal
board, seventeen thousand eight hundred dollars; administrator,
bureau of employment programs, seventy thousand dollars;
administrator, bureau of commerce, seventy thousand dollars;
administrator, bureau of environment, seventy thousand dollars;
director, office of miner’s health, safety and training, sixty-five
thousand dollars. Secretaries of the departments shall be paid an
annual salary as follows: Health and human resources, ninety
thousand dollars; transportation, seventy-five thousand dollars; tax and revenue, seventy-five thousand dollars; military affairs and public safety, seventy-five thousand dollars; administration, seventy-five thousand dollars; education and the arts, seventy-five thousand dollars; environmental protection, seventy-five thousand dollars.

(b) Each of the state officers named in this subsection shall continue to be appointed in the manner prescribed in this code, and, prior to the first day of July, two thousand one, each of the state officers named in this subsection shall continue to receive the annual salaries he or she was receiving as of the effective date of the enactment of this section in two thousand one, and shall thereafter, notwithstanding any other provision of this code to the contrary, be paid an annual salary as follows:

Administrator, division of risk and insurance management, fifty-five thousand dollars; director, division of rehabilitation services, sixty thousand dollars; executive director, educational broadcasting authority, sixty thousand dollars; secretary, library commission, sixty-seven thousand dollars; director, geological and economic survey, fifty-two thousand five hundred dollars; executive director, prosecuting attorneys institute, sixty thousand dollars; executive director, public defender services, sixty thousand dollars; commissioner, bureau of senior services, seventy thousand dollars; director, state rail authority, fifty-five thousand dollars; executive secretary, women’s commission, thirty-one thousand dollars; director, hospital finance authority, twenty-six thousand dollars; member, racing commission, five thousand dollars; chairman, public service commission, seventy thousand dollars; members, public service commission, seventy thousand dollars.

(c) No increase in the salary of any appointive state officer pursuant to this section shall be paid until and unless the appointive state officer has first filed with the state auditor and
the legislative auditor a sworn statement, on a form to be
prescribed by the attorney general, certifying that his or her
spending unit is in compliance with any general law providing
for a salary increase for his or her employees. The attorney
general shall prepare and distribute the form to the affected
spending units.

CHAPTER 7. COUNTY COMMISSIONS AND OFFICERS.

ARTICLE 4. PROSECUTING ATTORNEY, REWARDS AND LEGAL
ADVICE.

§7-4-6. West Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute.

(a) There is continued the West Virginia prosecuting
attorneys institute, a public body whose membership shall
consist of the fifty-five elected county prosecuting attorneys in
the state. The institute shall meet at least once each calendar
year and the presence of twenty-eight of the fifty-five prosecu-
tors at any meeting constitutes a quorum for the conduct of the
institute’s business.

(b) There is continued the executive council of the West
Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute which shall consist of
five prosecuting attorneys elected by the membership of the
West Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute at its annual
meeting and two persons appointed annually by the county
commissioner’s association of West Virginia. The executive
council shall elect one member of the council to serve as
chairman of the institute for a term of one year without com-
pensation. The executive council shall serve as the regular
executive body of the institute.

(c) There is continued the position of executive director of
the West Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute to be em-
ployed by the executive council of the institute. The executive
director of the West Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute
shall serve at the will and pleasure of the executive council of
the institute. The executive director shall be licensed to practice
law in the state of West Virginia and shall devote full time to
his or her official duties and may not engage in the private
practice of law.

(d) The duties and responsibilities of the institute, as
implemented by and through its executive council and its
executive director, shall include the following:

(1) The provision for special prosecuting attorneys to
pursue a criminal matter in any county upon the request of a
circuit court judge of that county and upon the approval of the
executive council;

(2) The establishment and implementation of general and
specialized training programs for prosecuting attorneys and
their professional staffs;

(3) The provision of materials for prosecuting attorneys and
their professional staffs, including legal research, technical
assistance and technical and professional publications;

(4) The compilation and dissemination of information on
behalf of prosecuting attorneys and their professional staffs on
current developments and changes in the law and the adminis-
tration of criminal justice;

(5) The establishment and implementation of uniform
reporting procedures for prosecuting attorneys and their
professional staffs in order to maintain and to provide accurate
and timely data and information relative to criminal prosecuto-
rial matters;

(6) The acceptance and expenditure of, grants and gifts and
acceptance of services from any public or private source;
(7) The entering into of agreements and contracts with public or private agencies or educational institutions;

(8) The identification of experts and other resources for use by prosecutors in criminal matters;

(9) The recommendation to the Legislature or the supreme court of appeals of the state of West Virginia on measures required, or procedural rules to be promulgated, to make uniform the processing of juvenile cases in the fifty-five counties of the state; and

(10) The development of a written handbook for prosecutors and their assistants to use which delineates relevant information concerning the elements of various crimes in West Virginia and other information the institute considers appropriate.

(e) Each prosecuting attorney is subject to appointment by the institute to serve as a special prosecuting attorney in any county where the prosecutor for that county or his or her office has been disqualified from participating in a particular criminal case. The circuit judge of any county of this state, who disqualifies the prosecutor or his or her office from participating in a particular criminal case in that county, shall seek the appointment by the institute of a special prosecuting attorney to substitute for the disqualified prosecutor. The executive director of the institute shall, upon written request to the institute by any circuit judge as a result of disqualification of the prosecutor or for other good cause shown, and upon approval of the executive council, appoint a prosecuting attorney to serve as a special prosecuting attorney. The special prosecuting attorney appointed shall serve without any further compensation other than that paid to him or her by his or her county, except that he or she is entitled to be reimbursed for his or her legitimate expenses associated with travel, mileage and room and board.
from the county to which he or she is appointed as a prosecutor. The county commission in which county he or she is special prosecutor is responsible for all expenses associated with the prosecution of the criminal action. No person who is serving as a prosecuting attorney or assistant prosecuting attorney of any county is required to take an additional oath when appointed to serve as a special prosecuting attorney.

(f) The executive director of the institute shall maintain an appointment list that shall include the names of all fifty-five prosecuting attorneys and that shall also include the names of any assistant prosecuting attorney who wishes to serve as a special prosecuting attorney upon the same terms and conditions as set forth in this section. The executive director of the institute, with the approval of the executive council, shall appoint special prosecuting attorneys from the appointment list for any particular matter giving due consideration to the proximity of the proposed special prosecuting attorney’s home county to the county requesting a special prosecutor and giving due consideration to the expertise of the special prosecuting attorney.

(g) Each county commission shall pay, on a monthly basis, a special prosecution premium to the treasurer of the state for the funding of the West Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute. The monthly premiums shall be paid according to the following schedule:

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Upon receipt of a premium, grant, reimbursement or other funding source, excluding federal funds as provided in article two, chapter four of this code, the treasurer shall deposit the funds into a special revenue fund to be known as the “West Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute fund”. All costs of operating the West Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute shall be paid from the West Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute fund upon proper authorization by the executive council or by the executive director of the institute and subject to annual appropriation by the Legislature of the amounts contained within the fund.

(h) The West Virginia prosecuting attorneys institute shall continue to exist until the first day of July, two thousand five, unless continued by an act of the Legislature. The institute shall annually by the first day of the regular legislative session provide the joint committee on government and finance with a report setting forth the activities of the institute and suggestions for legislative action.

(i) Neither the institute nor its employees acting in their employment capacity shall engage in activities before governmental bodies which advocate positions on issues other than those issues consistent with the duties of the institute set forth in subsection (d) of this section.
CHAPTER 10. PUBLIC LIBRARIES; PUBLIC RECREATION; ATHLETIC ESTABLISHMENTS; MONUMENTS AND MEMORIALS; ROSTER OF SERVICEMEN; EDUCATIONAL BROADCASTING AUTHORITY.

ARTICLE 1. PUBLIC LIBRARIES.


(a) The officers of the commission are a chairman, elected from the members of the commission, for a term of one year, and a secretary, who shall be a person trained in modern library methods, not a member of the commission. The secretary shall be appointed by the commission and shall serve at the will of the commission. The commission may establish headquarters or maintain its office at any point in the state determines.

(b) The secretary shall keep a record of the proceedings of the commission, have charge of its work in organizing new libraries and improving those already established, supervise the work of the traveling libraries, and in general perform such duties as may from time to time be assigned to him or her by the commission.

CHAPTER 11. TAXATION.

ARTICLE 1. SUPERVISION.

§11-1-1. Office of tax commissioner continued and designated the state tax division; appointment, term, oath and bond of commissioner; powers and duties generally; sections of division; assistant tax commissioner; assistant attorneys general to assist commissioner.

(a) The office of the tax commissioner is continued in all respects as previously constituted in the state government, but
is hereby designated as the state tax division of the department of tax and revenue.

(b) The tax commissioner is the chief executive officer of the state tax division and shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to serve at the will and pleasure of the governor for the term for which the governor was elected and until a successor has been appointed and has qualified.

(c) The tax commissioner, before entering upon the duties of office, shall take the oath or affirmation prescribed by section 5, article IV of the constitution. The tax commissioner shall give bond with good security, to be approved by the governor, in the penalty of fifteen thousand dollars. The tax commissioner shall be repaid his or her actual disbursements for traveling expenses. The tax commissioner shall be provided with an office in the capitol and with furniture, office equipment and any necessary clerical assistance.

(d) The tax commissioner has control and supervision of the state tax division and is responsible for the work of each of its sections or other subunits. Each section or bureau shall be headed by a director appointed by the tax commissioner and who is responsible to the tax commissioner for the work of his or her section or bureau. The tax commissioner may create any sections or bureaus and employ any necessary staff or employees to administer the state tax laws for which the tax commissioner or tax division is responsible, within the amount of expenditures appropriated for operation of the tax division by the Legislature. The tax commissioner has authority to appoint an assistant tax commissioner who shall be his or her principal assistant. The powers and duties vested in the tax commissioner by this chapter and any other provisions of law may be delegated by the tax commissioner to the assistant or other employ-
ees, but the tax commissioner is responsible for all official acts of his or her delegates.

(e) The tax commissioner, if he or she considers the action necessary, may request the attorney general to appoint assistant attorneys general who shall perform duties as required by the tax commissioner. The attorney general, in pursuance of the request, may select and appoint assistant attorneys general, with the consent of the tax commissioner, to serve during the will and pleasure of the attorney general, and the assistants shall be paid out of any funds made available for that purpose by the Legislature to the state tax division.

CHAPTER 16. PUBLIC HEALTH.

ARTICLE 29B. HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY.

§16-29B-5. West Virginia health care authority; composition of the board; qualifications; terms; oath; expenses of members; vacancies; appointment of chairman, and meetings of the board.

The “West Virginia Health Care Cost Review Authority” is continued as an autonomous division of the department of health and human resources and shall be known as the “West Virginia Health Care Authority”, hereinafter referred to as the board. Any references in this code to the West Virginia health care cost review authority means the West Virginia health care authority.

(a) The board shall consist of three members, appointed by the governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate. The board members shall be citizens and residents of this state. No more than two of the board members may be members of the same political party. One board member shall have a background in health care finance or economics, one board member shall have previous employment experience in human services,
business administration or substantially related fields and one
board member shall be a consumer of health services with a
demonstrated interest in health care issues.

(b) Each board member shall, before entering upon the
duties of his or her office, take and subscribe to the oath
provided by section five, article IV of the constitution of the
state of West Virginia, which oath shall be filed in the office of
the secretary of state. The governor shall designate one of the
board members to serve as chairman at the governor’s will and
pleasure. The chairman shall be the chief administrative officer
of the board. The governor may remove any board member only
for incompetency, neglect of duty, gross immorality, malfea-
sance in office or violation of the provisions of this article.
Appointments are for terms of six years, except that an appoint-
ment to fill a vacancy shall be for the unexpired term only.

(c) No person while in the employ of, or holding any
official relation to, any hospital or health care provider subject
to the provisions of this article, or who has any pecuniary
interest in any hospital or health care provider, may serve as a
member of the board or as an employee of the board. Nor may
any board member be a candidate for or hold public office or be
a member of any political committee while acting as a board
member; nor may any board member or employee of the board
receive anything of value, either directly or indirectly, from any
third-party payor or health care provider. If any of the board
members become a candidate for any public office or for
membership on any political committee, the governor shall
remove the board member from the board and shall appoint a
new board member to fill the vacancy created. No board
member or former board member may accept employment with
any hospital or health care provider subject to the jurisdiction
of the board in violation of the West Virginia governmental
ethics act, chapter six-b of this code: Provided, That the act
(d) The concurrent judgment of two of the board members when in session as the board shall be considered the action of the board. A vacancy in the board shall not affect the right or duty of the remaining board members to function as a board.

CHAPTER 19. AGRICULTURE.

ARTICLE 23. HORSE AND DOG RACING.

§19-23-4. West Virginia racing commission continued as a public corporation; composition; terms; vacancies; qualifications, expenses of members; principal office; meetings; election of officers; quorum; inspection of records; annual report.

(a) The “West Virginia racing commission,” is continued in existence as a public corporation and, as such, may contract and be contracted with, plead and be impleaded, sue and be sued and have and use a common seal.

(b) The racing commission shall consist of three members, not more than two of whom shall belong to the same political party, to be appointed by the governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. The term of office for the members of the racing commission is four years, and until their successors have been appointed and have qualified, and members of the racing commission may serve any number of successive terms. The members of the racing commission in office on the effective date of the amendment and reenactment of this section in two thousand one shall, unless removed by the governor after the effective date of this article, continue to serve until their terms expire and until their successors have been appointed and have qualified. Any vacancy in the office of a member of the racing commission shall be filled by appointment by the governor for the unexpired term of the member whose office
shall be vacant. No person is eligible for appointment to or to
serve upon the racing commission:

(1) Unless he or she is an actual and bona fide resident of
this state, shall have resided in this state for a period of at least
five years next preceding his or her appointment, shall be a
qualified voter of this state and be not less than twenty-five
years of age;

(2) Who directly or indirectly, or in any capacity, owns or
has any interest, in any manner whatever, in any racetrack
where horse or dog race meetings may be held, including, but
not limited to, an interest as owner, lessor, lessee, stockholder
or employee;

(3) While serving as a member of the Legislature or as an
elective officer of this state; or

(4) Who has been or shall be convicted of an offense which,
under the law of this state or any other state or of the United
States of America, constitutes a felony, or is a violation of
article four, chapter sixty-one of this code.

(c) Each member of the racing commission shall be
reimbursed for all reasonable and necessary expenses actually
incurred in the performance of his or her duties as a member of
the racing commission.

(d) The racing commission shall have its principal office at
the seat of government, and shall meet annually at its principal
office in the month of January, and at any other times and
places designated by its chairman. At the annual meeting the
racing commission shall elect from its membership a chairman
and any other officers that are desired. Other meetings of the
racing commission may be called by the chairman on such
notice to the other members prescribed by the racing commis-

(e) A majority of the members of the racing commission constitute a quorum for the transaction of its business or the exercise of any of its powers and authority. No person not a bona fide member of the racing commission shall vote upon or participate in the deliberations of the racing commission on any matter which may come before it. All racing commission records, except as otherwise provided by law, shall be open to public inspection during regular office hours.

(f) As soon as possible after the close of each calendar year, the racing commission shall submit to the governor a report of the transactions of the racing commission during the preceding calendar year.

CHAPTER 21A. UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION.

ARTICLE 2. THE COMMISSIONER OF THE BUREAU OF EMPLOYMENT PROGRAMS.

§21A-2-5. Traveling expenses.

The commissioner of the bureau of employment programs shall receive the necessary traveling expenses incident to the performance of his or her duties. Requisition for traveling expenses shall be accompanied by a sworn itemized statement which shall be filed with the auditor and preserved as a public record.

CHAPTER 22. ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES.

ARTICLE 1. DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION.

§22-1-6. Secretary of the department of environmental protection.

(a) The secretary is the chief executive officer of the department. Subject to section seven of this article and other provisions of law, the secretary shall organize the department into those offices, sections, agencies and other units of activity
found by the secretary to be desirable for the orderly, efficient
and economical administration of the department and for the
accomplishment of its objects and purposes. The secretary may
appoint a deputy secretary, chief of staff, assistants, hearing
officers, clerks, stenographers and other officers, technical
personnel and employees needed for the operation of the
department and may prescribe their powers and duties and fix
their compensation within amounts appropriated.

(b) The secretary may designate supervisory officers or
other officers or employees of the department to substitute for
him or her on any board or commission established under this
code or to sit in his or her place in any hearings, appeals,
meetings or other activities with the substitute having the same
powers, duties, authority and responsibility as the director. The
secretary has the power to delegate, as he or she considers
appropriate, to supervisory officers or other officers or employ-
ees of the department his or her powers, duties, authority and
responsibility relating to issuing permits, hiring and training
inspectors and other employees of the department, conducting
hearings and appeals and any other duties and functions set
forth in this chapter or elsewhere in this code.

(c) The secretary has responsibility for the conduct of the
intergovernmental relations of the department, including
assuring:

(1) That the department carries out its functions in a manner
which supplements and complements the environmental
policies, programs and procedures of the federal government,
other state governments and other instrumentalities of this state;
and

(2) That appropriate officers and employees of the division
consult with individuals responsible for making policy relating
to environmental issues in the federal government, other state
governments and other instrumentalities of this state concerning differences over environmental policies, programs and procedures and concerning the impact of statutory law and rules upon the environment of this state.

(d) In addition to other powers, duties and responsibilities granted and assigned to the secretary by this chapter, the secretary may:

(1) Sign and execute in the name of the state by the “department of environmental protection” any contract or agreement with the federal government or its departments or agencies, subdivisions of the state, corporations, associations, partnerships or individuals: Provided, That the powers granted to the secretary to enter into agreements or contracts and to make expenditures and obligations of public funds under this subdivision may not exceed or be interpreted as authority to exceed the powers granted by the Legislature to the various commissioners, directors or board members of the various departments, agencies or boards that comprise and are incorporated into each secretary’s department pursuant to the provisions of chapter five-f of this code;

(2) Conduct research in improved environmental protection methods and disseminate information to the citizens of this state;

(3) Enter private lands to make surveys and inspections for environmental protection purposes; to investigate for violations of statutes or rules which the division is charged with enforcing; to serve and execute warrants and processes; to make arrests; issue orders, which for the purposes of this chapter include consent agreements; and to otherwise enforce the statutes or rules which the division is charged with enforcing;
(4) Acquire for the state in the name of the “department of environmental protection” by purchase, condemnation, lease or agreement, or accept or reject for the state, in the name of the department of environmental protection, gifts, donations, contributions, bequests or devises of money, security or property, both real and personal, and any interest in property;

(5) Provide for workshops, training programs and other educational programs, apart from or in cooperation with other governmental agencies, necessary to insure adequate standards of public service in the department. The secretary may provide for technical training and specialized instruction of any employee. Approved educational programs, training and instruction time may be compensated for as a part of regular employment. The secretary is authorized to pay out of federal or state funds, or both, as funds are available, fees and expenses incidental to the educational programs, training, and instruction. Eligibility for participation by employees will be in accordance with guidelines established by the secretary;

(6) Issue certifications required under 33 U.S.C. §1341 of the federal Clean Water Act and enter into agreements in accordance with the provisions of section seven-a, article eleven of this chapter. Prior to issuing any certification the secretary shall solicit from the division of natural resources reports and comments concerning the possible certification. The division of natural resources shall direct the reports and comments to the secretary for consideration; and

(7) Notwithstanding any provisions of this code to the contrary, employ in-house counsel to perform all legal services for the secretary and the department, including, but not limited to, representing the secretary, any chief, the department or any office of the department in any administrative proceeding or in any proceeding in any state or federal court. Additionally, the
secretary may call upon the attorney general for legal assistance and representation as provided by law.

(e) The secretary shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and serves at the will and pleasure of the governor.

(f) At the time of his or her initial appointment, the secretary must be at least thirty years old and must be selected with special reference and consideration given to his or her administrative experience and ability, to his or her demonstrated interest in the effective and responsible regulation of the energy industry and the conservation and wise use of natural resources. The secretary must have at least a bachelor’s degree in a related field and at least three years of experience in a position of responsible charge in at least one discipline relating to the duties and responsibilities for which the secretary will be responsible upon assumption of the office. The secretary may not be a candidate for or hold any other public office, may not be a member of any political party committee and shall immediately forfeit and vacate his or her office as secretary in the event he or she becomes a candidate for or accepts appointment to any other public office or political party committee.

(g) The secretary shall be allowed and paid necessary expenses incident to the performance of his or her official duties. Prior to the assumption of the duties of his or her office, the secretary shall take and subscribe to the oath required of public officers prescribed by section five, article IV of the constitution of West Virginia and shall execute a bond, with surety approved by the governor, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars. The executed oath and bond shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state. Premiums on the bond shall be paid from the department funds.
CHAPTER 22A. MINERS’ HEALTH, SAFETY AND TRAINING.

ARTICLE 1. OFFICE OF MINERS’ HEALTH, SAFETY AND TRAINING; ADMINISTRATION; ENFORCEMENT.

§22A-1-3. Director of the office of miners’ health, safety and training.

(a) The director of the office of miners’ health, safety and training is responsible for surface and underground safety inspections of coal mines and the administration of the office of miners’ health, safety and training.

(b) The director is the chief executive officer of the office. Subject to provisions of law, he or she shall organize the office into those offices, sections, agencies and other units of activity found by the director to be desirable for the orderly, efficient and economical administration of the office. The director may appoint any other employees needed for the operation of the office and may prescribe their powers and duties and fix their compensation within amounts appropriated.

(c) The director shall be appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and shall serve at the will and pleasure of the governor.

(d) The director of the office of miners’ health, safety and training shall be a citizen of West Virginia, shall be a competent person of good repute and temperate habits with a demonstrated interest and five years’ experience in underground coal mining and shall have at least three years of experience in a position of responsible charge in at least one discipline relating to the duties and responsibilities for which the director will be responsible upon assumption of the office of director. Special reference shall be given to his or her administrative experience and ability. The director shall devote all of his or her time to the
duties of the position of director and shall not be directly
interested financially in any mine in this or any other state nor
shall the director, either directly or indirectly, be a majority
owner of, or have control of or a controlling interest in, a mine
in this or any other state. The director shall not be a candidate
for or hold any other public office, shall not be a member of any
political party committee and shall immediately forfeit and
vacate his or her office as director in the event he or she
becomes a candidate for or accepts appointment to any other
public office or political party committee.

(e) The director shall be allowed and paid necessary
expenses incident to the performance of his or her official
duties. Prior to the assumption of his or her official duties, the
director shall take the oath required of public officials pre-
scribed by section 5, article IV of the constitution of West
Virginia and shall execute a bond, with surety approved by the
governor, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars. The
executed oath and bond shall be filed in the office of the
secretary of state. Premiums on the bond shall be paid from
office funds.

CHAPTER 22C. ENVIRONMENTAL RESOURCES;
BOARDS, AUTHORITIES, COMMISSIONS
AND COMPACTS.

ARTICLE 1. WATER DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY.

§22C-1-4. Water development authority; water development
board; organization of authority and board; 
appointment of board members; their term of
office, compensation and expenses; director of
authority; compensation.

(a) The water development authority is continued. The
authority is a governmental instrumentality of the state and a
body corporate. The exercise by the authority of the powers
(b) The authority is controlled, managed and operated by the seven-member board known as the water development board. The director of the division of environmental protection, and the commissioner of the bureau of public health and the state officer or employee who in the judgment of the governor is most responsible for economic or community development are members ex officio of the board. The governor shall designate annually the member who is the state officer or employee most responsible for economic or community development. The other four members of the board are appointed by the governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, for terms of two, three, four and six years, respectively. The successor of each such appointed member shall be appointed for a term of six years in the same manner the original appointments were made, except that any person appointed to fill a vacancy occurring prior to the expiration of the term for which his or her predecessor was appointed shall be appointed only for the remainder of such term. Each board member serves until the appointment and qualification of his or her successor. No more than two of the appointed board members shall at any one time belong to the same political party. Appointed board members may be reappointed to serve additional terms.

(c) All members of the board shall be citizens of the state. Each appointed member of the board, before entering upon his or her duties, shall comply with the requirements of article one, chapter six of this code and give bond in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars in the manner provided in article two, chapter six of this code. The governor may remove any board member for cause as provided in article six, chapter six of this code.
(d) Annually the board shall elect one of its appointed members as chair and another as vice chair, and shall appoint a secretary-treasurer, who need not be a member of the board. Four members of the board is a quorum and the affirmative vote of four members is necessary for any action taken by vote of the board. No vacancy in the membership of the board impairs the rights of a quorum by such vote to exercise all the rights and perform all the duties of the board and the authority. The person appointed as secretary-treasurer, including a board member if he or she is appointed, shall give bond in the sum of fifty thousand dollars in the manner provided in article two, chapter six of this code.

(e) The secretary of the division of environmental protection, the commissioner of the bureau of public health and the state officer or employee most responsible for economic or community development shall not receive any compensation for serving as board members. Each of the four appointed members of the board shall receive an annual salary of five thousand dollars, payable in monthly installments. Each of the seven board members shall be reimbursed for all reasonable and necessary expenses actually incurred in the performance of his or her duties as a member of the board. All expenses incurred by the board are payable solely from funds of the authority or from funds appropriated for that purpose by the Legislature and no liability or obligation shall be incurred by the authority beyond the extent to which moneys are available from funds of the authority or from such appropriations.

(f) There shall also be a director of the authority appointed by the board. The compensation of the director shall be fixed by the board.

CHAPTER 24. PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION.

ARTICLE 1. GENERAL PROVISIONS.
§24-1-3. Commission continued; membership; chairman; compensation.

(a) The public service commission of West Virginia is continued and directed as provided by this chapter, chapter twenty-four-a, chapter twenty-four-b and chapter twenty-four-d of this code. After having conducted a performance audit through its joint committee on government operations, pursuant to section nine, article ten, chapter four of this code, the Legislature hereby finds and declares that the public service commission should be continued and reestablished. Accordingly, notwithstanding the provisions of section five, article ten, chapter four of this code, the public service commission shall continue to exist until the first day of July, two thousand one. The public service commission may sue and be sued by that name. The public service commission shall consist of three members who shall be appointed by the governor with the advice and consent of the Senate. The commissioners shall be citizens and residents of this state and at least one of them shall be duly licensed to practice law in West Virginia, with not less than ten years' actual work experience in the legal profession as a member of a state bar. No more than two of the commissioners shall be members of the same political party. Each commissioner shall, before entering upon the duties of his or her office, take and subscribe to the oath provided by section five, article IV of the constitution of this state. The oath shall be filed in the office of the secretary of state. The governor shall designate one of the commissioners to serve as chairman at the governor's will and pleasure. The chairman shall be the chief administrative officer of the commission. The governor may remove any commissioner only for incompetency, neglect of duty, gross immorality, malfeasance in office or violation of subsection (c) of this section.

(b) The unexpired terms of members of the public service commission at the time this subsection becomes effective are
continued. Upon expiration of the terms, appointments are for terms of six years, except that an appointment to fill a vacancy is for the unexpired term only. The commissioners whose terms are terminated by the provisions of this subsection are eligible for reappointment.

(c) No person while in the employ of, or holding any official relation to, any public utility subject to the provisions of this chapter, or holding any stocks or bonds of a public utility subject to the provisions of this chapter, or who is pecuniarily interested in a public utility subject to the provisions of this chapter, may serve as a member of the commission or as an employee of the commission. Nor may any commissioner be a candidate for or hold public office, or be a member of any political committee, while acting as a commissioner; nor may any commissioner or employee of the commission receive any pass, free transportation or other thing of value, either directly or indirectly, from any public utility or motor carrier subject to the provisions of this chapter. In case any of the commissioners becomes a candidate for any public office or a member of any political committee, the governor shall remove him or her from office and shall appoint a new commissioner to fill the vacancy created.

(d) The salaries of members of the public service commission and the manner in which they are paid established by the prior enactment of this section are continued. Effective the first day of July, two thousand one the annual salary of each commissioner provided in section two-a, article seven, chapter six of this code shall be paid in monthly installments from the special funds in the percentages that follow:

(1) From the public service commission fund collected under the provisions of section six, article three of this chapter, eighty percent;
(2) From the public service commission motor carrier fund collected under the provisions of section six, article six, chapter twenty-four-a of this code, seventeen percent; and

(3) From the public service commission gas pipeline safety fund collected under the provisions of section three, article five, chapter twenty-four-b of this code, three percent.

In addition to the salary provided for all commissioners in section two-a, article seven, chapter six of this code, the chairman of the commission shall receive five thousand dollars per annum to be paid in monthly installments from the public service commission fund collected under the provisions of section six, article three of this chapter.

CHAPTER 31. CORPORATION.

ARTICLE 20. WEST VIRGINIA REGIONAL JAIL AND CORRECTIONAL FACILITY AUTHORITY.

§31-20-4. Governing body; organization and meetings; quorum; administrative expenses.

(a) The governing body of the authority shall consist of the voting members of the board as provided for in section three of this article and shall exercise all the powers given to the authority in this article. On the second Monday of July of each odd-numbered year, the board shall meet to elect a chairman and a secretary from among its own members. The secretary of the department of administration or his or her designated representative shall serve as treasurer of the board. The board shall otherwise meet quarterly, unless a special meeting is called by its chairman.

(b) A majority of the members of the board constitute a quorum, and a quorum must be present for the board to conduct
business. Unless the bylaws require a larger number, action may be taken by majority vote of the members present.

(c) The board shall prescribe, amend and repeal bylaws and rules governing the manner in which the business of the authority is conducted and shall review and approve the budget prepared by the executive director annually.

(d) On or before the first day of April, two thousand, the West Virginia regional jail and correctional facility authority board shall, with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint an executive director to act as its chief executive officer, to serve at the will and pleasure of the board. The compensation of the director shall be at the same rate as the commissioner of corrections. The appointment shall be for a term of five years to begin on the first day of April, two thousand. The executive director may employ any other personnel he or she determines necessary and may appoint counsel and legal staff for the authority and retain any temporary engineering, financial and other consultants or technicians that are required for any special study or survey consistent with the provisions of this article. The executive director may engage in negotiations and carry out plans to implement the provisions of this article and exercise those powers listed in section five of this article on behalf of the authority. The executive director shall prepare annually a budget to be submitted to the board for its review and approval.

(c) All costs incidental to the administration of the authority, including office expense, personal services expense and current expense, shall be paid from the regional jail and correctional facility development fund in accordance with guidelines issued by the board of the authority.
That Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

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Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 18th day of April, 2001.

Governor