WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE
Regular Session, 2005

ENROLLED
Committee Substitute for
SENATE BILL NO. 580

(By Senator Ferecmyer, et al)

PASSED April 5, 2005

In Effect ninety days from Passage
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COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR
Senate Bill No. 580
(SENATORS FACEMYER, EDGELL AND LOVE, original sponsors)

[Passed April 5, 2005; in effect ninety days from passage.]

AN ACT to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new section, designated §19-16-4a, relating to prohibiting political subdivisions from regulating seeds.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended by adding thereto a new section, designated §19-16-4a, to read as follows:

ARTICLE 16. WEST VIRGINIA SEED LAW.

§19-16-4a. Local laws prohibited.

1 (a) No political subdivision may regulate the registration, packaging, labeling, sale, storage, distribution, transportation or any other use of seeds.
(b) No political subdivision may adopt or continue in effect any local laws, ordinances or regulations relating to the regulating, registration, packaging, labeling, sale, storage, distribution, transportation or any other use of seeds.

(c) Local laws, ordinances or regulations in violation of this section are void and unenforceable.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

In effect ninety days from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within................. this the................. Day of................. 2005.

Governor
PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR

Date __4/3/05__
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