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AN ACT to amend and reenact §31A-3-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating to providing reimbursement to members of Board of Banking and Financial Institutions for actual reasonable expenses for attending meetings in accordance with the regulations and policies of the State Purchasing Division.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That §31A-3-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 3. BOARD OF BANKING AND FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS.

§31A-3-1. Board continued; appointment, qualifications, terms, oath, etc., of members; quorum; meetings; when members disqualified from participation; compensation; records; office space; personnel; continuation. 1 1 2 1 1 A

1 (a) The West Virginia Board of Banking and Financial 2 Institutions is continued and shall consist of six members 3 and the commissioner, who shall be chairman. The six 4 members shall be appointed by the Governor, by and with 5 the advice and consent of the Senate. Three of the mem-6 bers shall be executive officers of state banking institu-When a vacancy occurs among the executive 7 tions. 8 officers of state banking institutions, the commissioner 9 shall list all state banking institutions according to each 10 bank's asset size and then divide the list into three groups 11 so that there is an equal number of banking institutions in 12 each group. The vacancy shall then be filled from the 13 appropriate group to ensure that each group has a repre-14 sentative on the board. One member shall be an executive 15 officer of a financial institution other than a banking 16 institution. Two members shall represent the public, 17 neither of whom shall be an employee, officer, trustee, 18 director or owner of five percent or more of the outstand-19 ing shares of any financial institution. A member shall not 20 hold any other office, employment or position with the 21 United States, any state, county, municipality or other 22 governmental entity or any of their instrumentalities or 23 agencies or with any political party.

(b) The members of the board shall be appointed for overlapping terms of six years and in every instance shall serve until their respective successors have been appointed and qualified. Any member appointed for a full six-year term may not be reappointed until two years after the expiration of that term. Any member appointed for less than a full six-year term is eligible for reappointment for a full term. Before entering upon the performance of his or her duties, each member shall take and subscribe to the oath required by section five, article IV of the constitution of this state. The Governor shall, within sixty days following the occurrence of a vacancy on the board, fill the vacancy by appointing a person for the unexpired term of, and meeting the same requirements for membership as, the
person vacating the office. The Governor may remove any
member in case of incompetency, neglect of duty, gross
immorality or malfeasance in office.

(c) A majority of the members of the board constitutes a 41 42 quorum. The board shall meet at least once in each 43 calendar quarter on a date fixed by the board. The 44 commissioner may, upon his or her own motion, or shall 45 upon the written request of three members of the board, 46 call additional meetings of the board upon at least 47 twenty-four hours' notice. A member shall not participate 48 in a proceeding before the board to which a corporation, 49 partnership or unincorporated association is a party and 50 of which he or she is, or was at any time in the preceding 51 twelve months, a director, officer, owner, partner, em-52 ployee, member or stockholder. A member may disqualify 53 himself or herself from participation in a proceeding for 54 any other cause determined by him or her to be sufficient. 55 Each member shall receive compensation in an amount 56 equal to that authorized by section five, article two-a, 57 chapter four of this code for members of the Legislature 58 for interim duties for each day or portion of a day spent in 59 attending meetings of the board and shall be reimbursed 60 for all reasonable and necessary actual expenses incurred 61 incident to his or her duties as a member of the board as 62 determined in accordance with regulations and policies 63 issued by the travel management unit of the state Purchas-64 ing Division.

(d) The board shall keep an accurate record of all its
proceedings and make certificates thereupon as may be
required by law. The commissioner shall make available
necessary office space and secretarial and other assistance
required by the board.

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

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