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BY SENATORS PLYMALE, WOELFEL, JEFFRIES, STOLLINGS, AND TAKUBO

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AN ACT to amend and reenact §5-2-24c of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating
to correcting the name of the Forensic Analysis Laboratory of the Marshall University
Forensic Science Center.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 2. WEST VIRGINIA STATE POLICE.

§15-2-24c. Relationship with Marshall University Forensic Science Center.

(a) The Forensic Analysis Laboratory of the Marshall University Forensic Science Center
is hereby declared to be engaged in the administration of criminal justice as that term is defined
in 28 C. F. R. 20.3(b).

(b) The Marshall University Forensic Science Center and the West Virginia State Police
shall confer with each other as to available grants or similar possible funding sources and
applications therefor.

(c) To avoid duplicative and wasteful use of limited resources and to ensure maximum
utilization of available funds, the West Virginia State Police shall have primacy of decisionmaking
over the Marshall University Forensic Science Center with regard to applications for particular
grants or funding in which both entities may have an interest to which the Marshall University
Forensic Science Center shall accede.

(d) The West Virginia State Police and the Marshall University Forensic Science Center
shall execute a written agreement to ensure compliance with the provisions of subsection (c) of
this section.
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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 from passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 25th Day of March, 2020.

Governor