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1 AN ACT to amend and reenact §15-1B-11 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended,  
2 relating generally to uniform and equipment allowances for the National Guard.

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

**ARTICLE 1B. NATIONAL GUARD.**

**§15-1B-11. Uniforms, arms, equipment and supplies.**

1 (a) The uniforms, arms, equipment, and supplies necessary for performance of duties shall  
2 be those prescribed by applicable federal laws and regulations. Officers shall provide themselves  
3 with uniforms and equipment prescribed, and there shall be annually allowed, to aid them in  
4 procuring and maintaining the same in condition for service, the sum of \$100 each or a higher  
5 sum not to exceed \$750 as determined at the discretion of the Adjutant General. Such sum shall  
6 be paid during the last month of each fiscal year for such year. In the event of service for less  
7 than the full fiscal year one-twelfth of such sum shall be allowed for each month of service during  
8 such year.

9 (b) Any member of the National Guard requiring a maternity or other specialty uniform,  
10 may request a sum or reimbursement to offset any expenses incurred in procuring such uniform,  
11 not to exceed the amount provided in subsection (a) of this section once in a 36-month period.  
12 Sums or reimbursements made pursuant to this subsection are made at the discretion of the  
13 Adjutant General. Any approved sum or reimbursement shall be paid during the last month of the  
14 fiscal year in which the request was approved.

The Clerk of the House of Delegates and the Clerk of the Senate hereby certify that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

*Steve Harris*

Clerk of the House of Delegates

*Jee Kim*  
Clerk of the Senate

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Originated in the House of Delegates.

In effect ninety days from passage.

*Ray Hester*  
Speaker of the House of Delegates

*C. P. Blaine*  
President of the Senate

The within is approved this the 29th  
Day of March, 2023.

*James O. Eastman*  
Governor

PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR

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Time 11:49am