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1 AN ACT to amend and reenact §5B-2-17 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, relating  
2 to the West Virginia Motorsport Committee; expanding the membership from five to 17  
3 members including the chairperson; and designating the motorsport that shall be  
4 represented by the increased membership.

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

**ARTICLE 2. DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.**

**§5B-2-17. West Virginia Motorsport Committee.**

- 1 (a) The West Virginia Motorsport Committee is hereby created.
- 2 (b) The committee consists of 17 members, including its chairperson, appointed by the  
3 Governor to serve at his or her will and pleasure. The committee members shall represent:
- 4 (1) Asphalt oval racing;  
5 (2) Dirt drag racing;  
6 (3) Dirt oval racing;  
7 (4) Drag racing;  
8 (5) Drift racing;  
9 (6) Hill climb racing;  
10 (7) Karting racing;  
11 (8) Motor cross racing;  
12 (9) Motorcycle road course racing;  
13 (10) Mud racing;  
14 (11) Off-road racing;  
15 (12) Rallying racing;  
16 (13) Rallycross racing;  
17 (14) Road course racing;  
18 (15) Time Trials racing; and  
19 (16) Truck/Tractor pulls.

20 (c) The Secretary of the Department of Tourism and the Secretary of the Department of  
21 Economic Development shall also serve on the committee, ex officio.

22 (d) The committee shall:

23 (1) Work with the existing facilities within the state to enhance existing racing;

24 (2) Develop a strategy that creates further opportunities, such as encouraging racing  
25 training schools, conducting special events, and encouraging special events and the construction  
26 of larger in-state racing facilities; and

27 (3) Seek opportunities to promote economic growth and manufacturing jobs related to  
28 motorsports.

29 (e) The committee shall hold regular meetings, at least quarterly, and conduct public  
30 hearings as it considers necessary.

31 (f) The committee shall report on the status of its duties, goals, accomplishments, and  
32 recommendations to the Legislature on at least an annual basis.

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

  
Clerk of the Senate

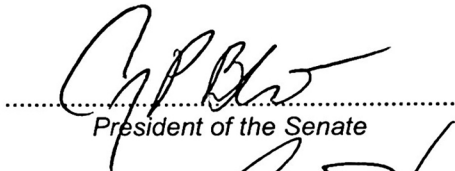
  
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Originated in the Senate.

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President of the Senate

  
Speaker of the House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 27<sup>th</sup>  
Day of March, 2024.

  
Governor





PRESENTED TO THE GOVERNOR

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