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SENATE BILL NO. 23

(By Senators Brackman and Uhldebusch)

PASSED April 7 1993
In Effect July 1, 1993 Passage

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Senate Bill No. 23

(SENATORS BRACKENRICH AND WIEDEBUSCH)

[Passed April 7, 1993; to take effect July 1, 1993.]

AN ACT to amend and reenact section eleven, article three-a, chapter twenty-nine-a of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, relating to continuation of the legislative oversight commission on education accountability.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That section eleven, article three-a, chapter twenty-nine-a of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, as amended, be amended and reenacted to read as follows:

ARTICLE 3A. HIGHER EDUCATION RULE MAKING.

§29A-3A-11. Creation of a legislative oversight commission on education accountability; continuation.

1 (a) There is hereby created a joint commission of the
2 Legislature known as the legislative oversight commis-
3 sion on education accountability to review all legisla-
4 tive rules of the board and such other rules as the
5 commission deems appropriate. The commission shall
6 be composed of six members of the Senate appointed
7 by the president of the Senate and six members of the

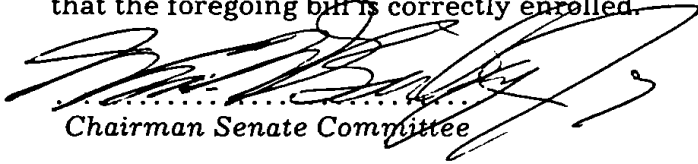
8 House of Delegates appointed by the speaker of the
9 House of Delegates. No more than five of the six
10 members appointed by the president of the Senate and
11 the speaker of the House of Delegates, respectively,
12 may be members of the same political party. In
13 addition, the president of the Senate and the speaker
14 of the House of Delegates shall be ex officio nonvoting
15 members of the commission and shall designate the
16 cochairmen. At least one of the Senate members and
17 one of the House members shall be members of the
18 committee on education of the Senate and House,
19 respectively, and at least one of the Senate members
20 and at least one of the House members shall be a
21 member of the committee on finance of the Senate
22 and House, respectively. The members shall serve
23 until their successors shall have been appointed as
24 heretofore provided. Members of the commission shall
25 receive such compensation and expenses as provided
26 in article two-a, chapter four of this code. Such
27 expenses and all other expenses including those
28 incurred in the employment of legal, technical, inves-
29 tigative, clerical, stenographic, advisory and other
30 personnel shall be paid from an appropriation to be
31 made expressly for the legislative oversight commis-
32 sion on education accountability, but if no such
33 appropriation be made, such expenses shall be paid
34 from the appropriation under "Account No. 103 for
35 Joint Expenses", but no expense of any kind whatever
36 payable under said account no. 103 for joint expenses
37 shall be incurred unless first approved by the joint
38 committee on government and finance. The commis-
39 sion shall meet at any time both during sessions of the
40 Legislature and in the interim.

41 (b) The commission may adopt such rules of proce-
42 dure as it considers necessary for the submission,
43 presentation and consideration of rules.

44 (c) After having conducted a performance audit
45 through its joint committee on government operations,
46 pursuant to section nine, article ten, chapter four of
47 this code, the Legislature hereby finds and declares
48 that the legislative oversight commission on education

49 accountability should be continued and reestablished.
50 Accordingly, notwithstanding the provisions of section
51 four of said article, the legislative oversight commis-
52 sion on education accountability shall continue to exist
53 until the first day of July, one thousand nine hundred
54 ninety-eight. If such commission is terminated pursu-
55 ant to this subsection, any report required to be
56 submitted to it shall instead be submitted to the joint
57 committee on education of the Legislature.

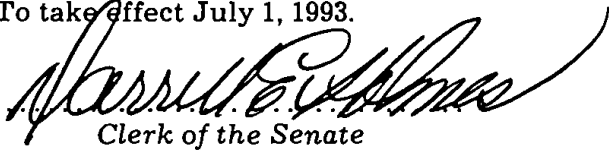
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.


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Chairman Senate Committee


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Ernest C. Moore
Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate.

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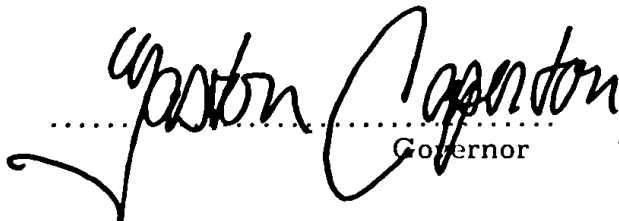

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Clerk of the Senate


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Clerk of the House of Delegates


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President of the Senate


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Speaker House of Delegates

The within is approved this the 22nd
day of April, 1993.


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Governor

PRESENTED TO THE

GOVERNOR

Date 4/16/93

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