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2   COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE

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6   **Senate Bill No. 560**

7   (SENATOR STOLLINGS (BY REQUEST), *original sponsor*)

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9   [Passed March 12, 2011; in effect ninety days from passage.]

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13 AN ACT to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by

14   adding thereto a new section, designated §16-29B-20a, relating

15   to the rate-setting model utilized by the board being exempt

16   from public disclosure; and providing when the options

17   generated by the computer program are available to the public.

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

19   That the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, be amended

20 by adding thereto a new section, designated §16-29B-20a, to read as

21 follows:

22 **ARTICLE 29B. HEALTH CARE AUTHORITY.**

23 **§16-29B-20a. Confidentiality of the rate-setting model.**

24   Rate-setting models utilized by the authority and options

25 generated by those models are exempt from public disclosure under

1 the provisions of chapter twenty-nine-b of this code: *Provided*,

2 That the options generated by the rate-setting models shall be

3 subject to disclosure under the provisions of chapter twenty-nine-b

4 of this code, following any decision by the board that utilizes the

5 rate-setting models.