

1 **H. B. 4289**

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7 Committee on Government Organization then Finance.]

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10 A BILL to amend and reenact §5F-2-1 of the Code of West Virginia,
11 1931, as amended; and to amend said code by adding thereto
12 eleven new sections, designated §5F-2-1a, §5F-2-1b, §5F-2-1c,
13 §5F-2-1d, §5F-2-1e, §5F-2-1f, §5F-2-1g, §5F-2-1h, §5F-2-1i,
14 §5F-2-1j, §5F-2-1k and §5F-2-1l, all relating to the
15 organization of code provisions regarding the administration
16 of state government agencies.

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

18 That §5F-2-1 of the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended,
19 be amended and reenacted; and that said code be amended by adding
20 thereto eleven new sections, designated §5F-2-1a, §5F-2-1b,
21 §5F-2-1c, §5F-2-1d, §5F-2-1f, §5F-2-1g, §5F-2-1h, §5F-2-1i,
22 §5F-2-1j, §5F-2-1k and §5F-2-1l, all to read as follows:

23 **ARTICLE 2. ~~TRANSFER OF AGENCIES AND BOARDS~~ ORGANIZATION OF STATE**
24 **AGENCIES, BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS WITHIN DEPARTMENTS**

1 OF STATE GOVERNMENT.

2 ~~§5F-2-1. Transfer and incorporation of agencies and boards; funds~~

3 General provisions.

4 ~~(a) The following agencies and boards, including all of the~~
5 ~~allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds~~
6 ~~associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and~~
7 ~~administered as a part of the Department of Administration:~~

8 ~~(1) Building Commission provided in article six, chapter five~~
9 ~~of this code;~~

10 ~~(2) Public Employees Insurance Agency provided in article~~
11 ~~sixteen, chapter five of this code;~~

12 ~~(3) Governor's Mansion Advisory Committee provided in article~~
13 ~~five, chapter five-a of this code;~~

14 ~~(4) Commission on Uniform State Laws provided in article~~
15 ~~one-a, chapter twenty-nine of this code;~~

16 ~~(5) West Virginia Public Employees Grievance Board provided in~~
17 ~~article three, chapter six-c of this code;~~

18 ~~(6) Board of Risk and Insurance Management provided in article~~
19 ~~twelve, chapter twenty-nine of this code;~~

20 ~~(7) Boundary Commission provided in article twenty-three,~~
21 ~~chapter twenty-nine of this code;~~

22 ~~(8) Public Defender Services provided in article twenty-one,~~
23 ~~chapter twenty-nine of this code;~~

24 ~~(9) Division of Personnel provided in article six, chapter~~

1 ~~twenty-nine of this code;~~

2 ~~(10) The West Virginia Ethics Commission provided in article~~
3 ~~two, chapter six-b of this code;~~

4 ~~(11) Consolidated Public Retirement Board provided in article~~
5 ~~ten-d, chapter five of this code; and~~

6 ~~(12) Real Estate Division provided in article ten, chapter~~
7 ~~five-a of this code.~~

8 ~~(b) The following agencies and boards, including all of the~~
9 ~~allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds~~
10 ~~associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and~~
11 ~~administered as a part of the Department of Commerce:~~

12 ~~(1) Division of Labor provided in article one, chapter~~
13 ~~twenty-one of this code, which includes:~~

14 ~~(A) Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission provided~~
15 ~~in article three-a, chapter twenty-one of this code; and~~

16 ~~(B) Board of Manufactured Housing Construction and Safety~~
17 ~~provided in article nine, chapter twenty-one of this code.~~

18 ~~(2) Office of Miners' Health, Safety and Training provided in~~
19 ~~article one, chapter twenty-two-a of this code. The following~~
20 ~~boards are transferred to the Office of Miners' Health, Safety and~~
21 ~~Training for purposes of administrative support and liaison with~~
22 ~~the Office of the Governor:~~

23 ~~(A) Board of Coal Mine Health and Safety and Coal Mine Safety~~
24 ~~and Technical Review Committee provided in article six, chapter~~

1 ~~twenty-two-a of this code;~~

2 ~~(B) Board of Miner Training, Education and Certification~~
3 ~~provided in article seven, chapter twenty-two-a of this code; and~~

4 ~~(C) Mine Inspectors' Examining Board provided in article nine,~~
5 ~~chapter twenty-two-a of this code.~~

6 ~~(3) The West Virginia Development Office provided in article~~
7 ~~two, chapter five-b of this code;~~

8 ~~(4) Division of Natural Resources and Natural Resources~~
9 ~~Commission provided in article one, chapter twenty of this code;~~

10 ~~(5) Division of Forestry provided in article one-a, chapter~~
11 ~~nineteen of this code;~~

12 ~~(6) Geological and Economic Survey provided in article two,~~
13 ~~chapter twenty-nine of this code; and~~

14 ~~(7) Workforce West Virginia provided in chapter twenty-one-a~~
15 ~~of this code, which includes:~~

16 ~~(A) Division of Unemployment Compensation;~~

17 ~~(B) Division of Employment Service;~~

18 ~~(C) Division of Workforce Development; and~~

19 ~~(D) Division of Research, Information and Analysis.~~

20 ~~(8) Division of Energy provided in article two-f, chapter~~
21 ~~five-b of this code.~~

22 ~~(9) Division of Tourism Commission provided in article two-h,~~
23 ~~chapter five-b of this code.~~

24 ~~(c) The Economic Development Authority provided in article~~

1 ~~fifteen, chapter thirty-one of this code is continued as an~~
2 ~~independent agency within the executive branch.~~

3 ~~(d) The Water Development Authority and the Water Development~~
4 ~~Authority Board provided in article one, chapter twenty-two-c of~~
5 ~~this code is continued as an independent agency within the~~
6 ~~executive branch.~~

7 ~~(e) The following agencies and boards, including all of the~~
8 ~~allied, advisory and affiliated entities, are transferred to the~~
9 ~~Department of Environmental Protection for purposes of~~
10 ~~administrative support and liaison with the office of the Governor:~~

11 ~~(1) Air Quality Board provided in article two, chapter~~
12 ~~twenty-two-b of this code;~~

13 ~~(2) Solid Waste Management Board provided in article three,~~
14 ~~chapter twenty-two-c of this code;~~

15 ~~(3) Environmental Quality Board, or its successor board,~~
16 ~~provided in article three, chapter twenty-two-b of this code;~~

17 ~~(4) Surface Mine Board provided in article four, chapter~~
18 ~~twenty-two-b of this code;~~

19 ~~(5) Oil and Gas Inspectors' Examining Board provided in~~
20 ~~article seven, chapter twenty-two-c of this code;~~

21 ~~(6) Shallow Gas Well Review Board provided in article eight,~~
22 ~~chapter twenty-two-c of this code; and~~

23 ~~(7) Oil and Gas Conservation Commission provided in article~~
24 ~~nine, chapter twenty-two-c of this code.~~

1 ~~(f) The following agencies and boards, including all of the~~
2 ~~allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds~~
3 ~~associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and~~
4 ~~administered as a part of the Department of Education and the Arts:~~

5 ~~(1) Library Commission provided in article one, chapter ten of~~
6 ~~this code;~~

7 ~~(2) Division of Culture and History provided in article one,~~
8 ~~chapter twenty-nine of this code; and~~

9 ~~(3) Division of Rehabilitation Services provided in article~~
10 ~~ten-a, chapter eighteen of this code.~~

11 ~~(g) The Educational Broadcasting Authority provided in article~~
12 ~~five, chapter ten of this code is part of the Department of~~
13 ~~Education and the Arts for the purposes of administrative support~~
14 ~~and liaison with the office of the Governor.~~

15 ~~(h) The following agencies and boards, including all of the~~
16 ~~allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds~~
17 ~~associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and~~
18 ~~administered as a part of the Department of Health and Human~~
19 ~~Resources:~~

20 ~~(1) Human Rights Commission provided in article eleven,~~
21 ~~chapter five of this code;~~

22 ~~(2) Division of Human Services provided in article two,~~
23 ~~chapter nine of this code;~~

24 ~~(3) Bureau for Public Health provided in article one, chapter~~

1 ~~sixteen of this code;~~

2 ~~(4) Office of Emergency Medical Services and the Emergency~~
3 ~~Medical Service Advisory Council provided in article four-c,~~
4 ~~chapter sixteen of this code;~~

5 ~~(5) Health Care Authority provided in article twenty-nine b,~~
6 ~~chapter sixteen of this code;~~

7 ~~(6) Commission on Mental Retardation provided in article~~
8 ~~fifteen, chapter twenty-nine of this code;~~

9 ~~(7) Women's Commission provided in article twenty, chapter~~
10 ~~twenty-nine of this code; and~~

11 ~~(8) The Child Support Enforcement Division provided in chapter~~
12 ~~forty-eight of this code.~~

13 ~~(I) The following agencies and boards, including all of the~~
14 ~~allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds~~
15 ~~associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and~~
16 ~~administered as a part of the Department of Military Affairs and~~
17 ~~Public Safety:~~

18 ~~(1) Adjutant General's Department provided in article one-a,~~
19 ~~chapter fifteen of this code;~~

20 ~~(2) Armory Board provided in article six, chapter fifteen of~~
21 ~~this code;~~

22 ~~(3) Military Awards Board provided in article one-g, chapter~~
23 ~~fifteen of this code;~~

24 ~~(4) West Virginia State Police provided in article two,~~

1 ~~chapter fifteen of this code;~~

2 ~~(5) Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and~~
3 ~~Disaster Recovery Board provided in article five, chapter fifteen~~
4 ~~of this code and Emergency Response Commission provided in article~~
5 ~~five-a of said chapter;~~

6 ~~(6) Sheriffs' Bureau provided in article eight, chapter~~
7 ~~fifteen of this code;~~

8 ~~(7) Division of Justice and Community Services provided in~~
9 ~~article nine-a, chapter fifteen of this code;~~

10 ~~(8) Division of Corrections provided in chapter twenty-five of~~
11 ~~this code;~~

12 ~~(9) Fire Commission provided in article three, chapter~~
13 ~~twenty-nine of this code;~~

14 ~~(10) Regional Jail and Correctional Facility Authority~~
15 ~~provided in article twenty, chapter thirty-one of this code; and~~

16 ~~(11) Board of Probation and Parole provided in article twelve,~~
17 ~~chapter sixty-two of this code.~~

18 ~~(j) The following agencies and boards, including all of the~~
19 ~~allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds~~
20 ~~associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and~~
21 ~~administered as a part of the Department of Revenue:~~

22 ~~(1) Tax Division provided in chapter eleven of this code;~~

23 ~~(2) Racing Commission provided in article twenty-three,~~
24 ~~chapter nineteen of this code;~~

- 1 ~~(3) Lottery Commission and position of Lottery Director~~
2 ~~provided in article twenty-two, chapter twenty-nine of this code;~~
- 3 ~~(4) Insurance Commissioner provided in article two, chapter~~
4 ~~thirty-three of this code;~~
- 5 ~~(5) West Virginia Alcohol Beverage Control Commissioner~~
6 ~~provided in article sixteen, chapter eleven of this code and~~
7 ~~article two, chapter sixty of this code;~~
- 8 ~~(6) Board of Banking and Financial Institutions provided in~~
9 ~~article three, chapter thirty one a of this co02/de;~~
- 10 ~~(7) Lending and Credit Rate Board provided in chapter~~
11 ~~forty-seven a of this code;~~
- 12 ~~(8) Division of Banking provided in article two, chapter~~
13 ~~thirty one a of this code;~~
- 14 ~~(9) The State Budget Office provided in article two of this~~
15 ~~chapter;~~
- 16 ~~(10) The Municipal Bond Commission provided in article three,~~
17 ~~chapter thirteen of this code;~~
- 18 ~~(11) The Office of Tax Appeals provided in article ten a,~~
19 ~~chapter eleven of this code; and~~
- 20 ~~(12) The State Athletic Commission provided in article five a,~~
21 ~~chapter twenty-nine of this code.~~
- 22 ~~(k) The following agencies and boards, including all of the~~
23 ~~allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds~~
24 ~~associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and~~

1 ~~administered as a part of the Department of Transportation:~~

2 ~~(1) Division of Highways provided in article two-a, chapter~~
3 ~~seventeen of this code;~~

4 ~~(2) Parkways, Economic Development and Tourism Authority~~
5 ~~provided in article sixteen-a, chapter seventeen of this code;~~

6 ~~(3) Division of Motor Vehicles provided in article two,~~
7 ~~chapter seventeen-a of this code;~~

8 ~~(4) Driver's Licensing Advisory Board provided in article two,~~
9 ~~chapter seventeen-b of this code;~~

10 ~~(5) Aeronautics Commission provided in article two-a, chapter~~
11 ~~twenty-nine of this code;~~

12 ~~(6) State Rail Authority provided in article eighteen, chapter~~
13 ~~twenty-nine of this code; and~~

14 ~~(7) Public Port Authority provided in article sixteen-b,~~
15 ~~chapter seventeen of this code.~~

16 ~~(1) Effective July 1, 2011, the Veterans' Council provided in~~
17 ~~article one, chapter nine-a of this code, including all of the~~
18 ~~allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds~~
19 ~~associated with it, is incorporated in and administered as a part~~
20 ~~of the Department of Veterans' Assistance.~~

21 ~~(m) (a)~~ Except for powers, authority and duties that have been
22 delegated to the secretaries of the departments by the provisions
23 of section two of this article, the position of administrator and
24 the powers, authority and duties of each administrator and agency

1 are not affected by the enactment of this chapter.

2 ~~(n)~~ (b) Except for powers, authority and duties that have been
3 delegated to the secretaries of the departments by the provisions
4 of section two of this article, the existence, powers, authority
5 and duties of boards and the membership, terms and qualifications
6 of members of the boards are not affected by the enactment of this
7 chapter. All boards that are appellate bodies or are independent
8 decision makers shall not have their appellate or independent
9 decision-making status affected by the enactment of this chapter.

10 ~~(o)~~ (c) Any department previously transferred to and
11 incorporated in a department by prior enactment of this section
12 means a division of the appropriate department. Wherever reference
13 is made to any department transferred to and incorporated in a
14 department created in section two, article one of this chapter, the
15 reference means a division of the appropriate department and any
16 reference to a division of a department so transferred and
17 incorporated means a section of the appropriate division of the
18 department.

19 ~~(p)~~ (d) When an agency, board or commission is transferred
20 under a bureau or agency other than a department headed by a
21 secretary pursuant to this section, that transfer is solely for
22 purposes of administrative support and liaison with the office of
23 the Governor, a department secretary or a bureau. Nothing in this
24 section extends the powers of department secretaries under section

1 two of this article to any person other than a department secretary
2 and nothing limits or abridges the statutory powers and duties of
3 statutory commissioners or officers pursuant to this code.

4 **§5F-2-1a. Department of Administration.**

5 The following agencies and boards, including all of the
6 allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds
7 associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and
8 administered as a part of the Department of Administration:

9 (a) Building Commission provided in article six, chapter five
10 of this code;

11 (b) Public Employees Insurance Agency provided in article
12 sixteen, chapter five of this code;

13 (c) Governor's Mansion Advisory Committee provided in article
14 five, chapter five-a of this code;

15 (d) Commission on Uniform State Laws provided in article
16 one-a, chapter twenty-nine of this code;

17 (e) West Virginia Public Employees Grievance Board provided in
18 article three, chapter six-c of this code;

19 (f) Board of Risk and Insurance Management provided in article
20 twelve, chapter twenty-nine of this code;

21 (g) Boundary Commission provided in article twenty-three,
22 chapter twenty-nine of this code;

23 (h) Public Defender Services provided in article twenty-one,
24 chapter twenty-nine of this code;

1 (I) Division of Personnel provided in article six, chapter
2 twenty-nine of this code;

3 (j) The West Virginia Ethics Commission provided in article
4 two, chapter six-b of this code;

5 (k) Consolidated Public Retirement Board provided in article
6 ten-d, chapter five of this code; and

7 (l) Real Estate Division provided in article ten, chapter
8 five-a of this code.

9 **§5F-2-1b. Department of Commerce.**

10 The following agencies and boards, including all of the
11 allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds
12 associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and
13 administered as a part of the Department of Commerce:

14 (a) Division of Labor provided in article one, chapter
15 twenty-one of this code, which includes:

16 (1) Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission provided
17 in article three-a, chapter twenty-one of this code; and

18 (2) Board of Manufactured Housing Construction and Safety
19 provided in article nine, chapter twenty-one of this code.

20 (b) Office of Miners' Health, Safety and Training provided in
21 article one, chapter twenty-two-a of this code. The following
22 boards are transferred to the Office of Miners' Health, Safety and
23 Training for purposes of administrative support and liaison with
24 the Office of the Governor:

1 (1) Board of Coal Mine Health and Safety and Coal Mine Safety
2 and Technical Review Committee provided in article six, chapter
3 twenty-two-a of this code;

4 (2) Board of Miner Training, Education and Certification
5 provided in article seven, chapter twenty-two-a of this code; and

6 (3) Mine Inspectors' Examining Board provided in article nine,
7 chapter twenty-two-a of this code.

8 (c) The West Virginia Development Office provided in article
9 two, chapter five-b of this code;

10 (d) Division of Natural Resources and Natural Resources
11 Commission provided in article one, chapter twenty of this code;

12 (e) Division of Forestry provided in article one-a, chapter
13 nineteen of this code;

14 (f) Geological and Economic Survey provided in article two,
15 chapter twenty-nine of this code; and

16 (g) Workforce West Virginia provided in chapter twenty-one-a
17 of this code, which includes:

18 (1) Division of Unemployment Compensation;

19 (2) Division of Employment Service;

20 (3) Division of Workforce Development; and

21 (4) Division of Research, Information and Analysis.

22 (h) Division of Energy provided in article two-f, chapter
23 five-b of this code.

24 (I) Division of Tourism Commission provided in article two-h,

1 chapter five-b of this code.

2 **§5F-2-1c. Economic Development Authority.**

3 The Economic Development Authority provided in article
4 fifteen, chapter thirty-one of this code is continued as an
5 independent agency within the executive branch.

6 **§5F-2-1d. Water Development Authority.**

7 The Water Development Authority and the Water Development
8 Authority Board provided in article one, chapter twenty-two-c of
9 this code is continued as an independent agency within the
10 executive branch.

11 **§5F-2-1e. Department of Environmental Protection.**

12 The following agencies and boards, including all of the
13 allied, advisory and affiliated entities, are transferred to the
14 Department of Environmental Protection for purposes of
15 administrative support and liaison with the office of the Governor:

16 (a) Air Quality Board provided in article two, chapter
17 twenty-two-b of this code;

18 (b) Solid Waste Management Board provided in article three,
19 chapter twenty-two-c of this code;

20 (c) Environmental Quality Board, or its successor board,
21 provided in article three, chapter twenty-two-b of this code;

22 (d) Surface Mine Board provided in article four, chapter
23 twenty-two-b of this code;

24 (e) Oil and Gas Inspectors' Examining Board provided in

1 article seven, chapter twenty-two-c of this code;

2 (f) Shallow Gas Well Review Board provided in article eight,
3 chapter twenty-two-c of this code; and

4 (g) Oil and Gas Conservation Commission provided in article
5 nine, chapter twenty-two-c of this code.

6 **§5F-2-1f. Department of Education and the Arts.**

7 The following agencies and boards, including all of the
8 allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds
9 associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and
10 administered as a part of the Department of Education and the Arts:

11 (a) Library Commission provided in article one, chapter ten of
12 this code;

13 (b) Division of Culture and History provided in article one,
14 chapter twenty-nine of this code; and

15 (c) Division of Rehabilitation Services provided in article
16 ten-a, chapter eighteen of this code.

17 **§5F-2-1g. Educational Broadcasting Authority.**

18 The Educational Broadcasting Authority provided in article
19 five, chapter ten of this code is part of the Department of
20 Education and the Arts for the purposes of administrative support
21 and liaison with the office of the Governor.

22 **§5F-2-1h. Department of Health and Human Resources.**

23 The following agencies and boards, including all of the
24 allied, advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds

1 associated with any agency or board, are incorporated in and
2 administered as a part of the Department of Health and Human
3 Resources:

4 (a) Human Rights Commission provided in article eleven,
5 chapter five of this code;

6 (b) Division of Human Services provided in article two,
7 chapter nine of this code;

8 (c) Bureau for Public Health provided in article one, chapter
9 sixteen of this code;

10 (d) Office of Emergency Medical Services and the Emergency
11 Medical Service Advisory Council provided in article four-c,
12 chapter sixteen of this code;

13 (e) Health Care Authority provided in article twenty-nine-b,
14 chapter sixteen of this code;

15 (f) Commission on Mental Retardation provided in article
16 fifteen, chapter twenty-nine of this code;

17 (g) Women's Commission provided in article twenty, chapter
18 twenty-nine of this code; and

19 (h) The Child Support Enforcement Division provided in chapter
20 forty-eight of this code.

21 **§5F-2-1i. Department of Military Affairs and Public Safety.**

22 The following agencies and boards, including all of the allied,
23 advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds associated with
24 any agency or board, are incorporated in and administered as a part

1 of the Department of Military Affairs and Public Safety:

2 (a) Adjutant General's Department provided in article one-a,
3 chapter fifteen of this code;

4 (b) Armory Board provided in article six, chapter fifteen of
5 this code;

6 (c) Military Awards Board provided in article one-g, chapter
7 fifteen of this code;

8 (d) West Virginia State Police provided in article two, chapter
9 fifteen of this code;

10 (e) Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and
11 Disaster Recovery Board provided in article five, chapter fifteen
12 of this code and Emergency Response Commission provided in article
13 five-a of said chapter;

14 (f) Sheriffs' Bureau provided in article eight, chapter fifteen
15 of this code;

16 (g) Division of Justice and Community Services provided in
17 article nine-a, chapter fifteen of this code;

18 (h) Division of Corrections provided in chapter twenty-five of
19 this code;

20 (I) Fire Commission provided in article three, chapter
21 twenty-nine of this code;

22 (j) Regional Jail and Correctional Facility Authority provided
23 in article twenty, chapter thirty-one of this code; and

24 (k) Board of Probation and Parole provided in article twelve,

1 chapter sixty-two of this code.

2 **§5F-2-1j. Department of Revenue.**

3 The following agencies and boards, including all of the allied,
4 advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds associated with
5 any agency or board, are incorporated in and administered as a part
6 of the Department of Revenue:

7 (a) Tax Division provided in chapter eleven of this code;

8 (b) Racing Commission provided in article twenty-three, chapter
9 nineteen of this code;

10 (c) Lottery Commission and position of Lottery Director
11 provided in article twenty-two, chapter twenty-nine of this code;

12 (d) Insurance Commissioner provided in article two, chapter
13 thirty-three of this code;

14 (e) West Virginia Alcohol Beverage Control Commissioner
15 provided in article sixteen, chapter eleven of this code and article
16 two, chapter sixty of this code;

17 (f) Board of Banking and Financial Institutions provided in
18 article three, chapter thirty-one-a of this code;

19 (g) Lending and Credit Rate Board provided in chapter
20 forty-seven-a of this code;

21 (h) Division of Banking provided in article two, chapter
22 thirty-one-a of this code;

23 (I) The State Budget Office provided in article two of this
24 chapter;

1 (j) The Municipal Bond Commission provided in article three,
2 chapter thirteen of this code;

3 (k) The Office of Tax Appeals provided in article ten-a,
4 chapter eleven of this code; and

5 (l) The State Athletic Commission provided in article five-a,
6 chapter twenty-nine of this code.

7 **§5F-2-1k. Department of Transportation.**

8 The following agencies and boards, including all of the allied,
9 advisory, affiliated or related entities and funds associated with
10 any agency or board, are incorporated in and administered as a part
11 of the Department of Transportation:

12 (a) Division of Highways provided in article two-a, chapter
13 seventeen of this code;

14 (b) Parkways, Economic Development and Tourism Authority
15 provided in article sixteen-a, chapter seventeen of this code;

16 (c) Division of Motor Vehicles provided in article two, chapter
17 seventeen-a of this code;

18 (d) Driver's Licensing Advisory Board provided in article two,
19 chapter seventeen-b of this code;

20 (e) Aeronautics Commission provided in article two-a, chapter
21 twenty-nine of this code;

22 (f) State Rail Authority provided in article eighteen, chapter
23 twenty-nine of this code; and

24 (g) Public Port Authority provided in article sixteen-b,

1 chapter seventeen of this code.

2 **§5F-2-11. Department of Veterans' Assistance.**

3 The Veterans' Council provided in article one, chapter nine-a
4 of this code, including all of the allied, advisory, affiliated or
5 related entities and funds associated with it, is incorporated in
6 and administered as a part of the Department of Veterans'
7 Assistance.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to create new code sections which separate the executive departments, designated §5F-2-1a through §5F-2-11.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from the present law, and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.